SHINE April 21

April Week 3 Large Group Prompts

Countdown/Worship Song #1: Follow On

Key Question/Bottom Line:

Who can do what Jesus says? I can do what Jesus says!

Monthly Bible Verse:

"Let your light shine." Matthew 5:16

Bible Story Intro:

Today's true story from the Bible is all about the people who were part of the very first church. Jesus told them to go and tell everyone everywhere that he wanted to be their friend forever. But I wonder – how were they supposed to act? What were they supposed to do? Let's check out our true Bible story and see!

Ollie Video: The Early Church

Bible Story Recap

Wow! Did you hear that? The people of the early church shared everything they had. They took care of each other and helped each other. They loved each other. And they prayed for each other! They were shining their light and loving like Jesus! And we can do that same thing.

Boys and Girls, let me ask you that important question one more time – Who can do what Jesus says? I can do what Jesus says! Again! Who can do what Jesus says? I can do what Jesus says!

Sample Prayer:

"Dear God,

Thank you for this true story of the early church.

Help us to share.

Help us to be helpers.

Help us to pray for each other.

Help us to love like Jesus.

We love you, God.

In Jesus' name, amen.

Worship Song #2: Love Like Jesus





"Let



your light



shine."



Matthew 5:16

