

March Week 5

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CRAFT WEEK 5

Only Jesus Can

SUPPLIES: Heart handout, story cutouts, crayons, glue sticks

What You DO and SAY:

- ⇒ **Give each child a heart handout and a set of story cutouts. Invite the children to color the page.**
 - *“Friends! Come over and join me at the table! All month long we’ve been learning about amazing things that Jesus did and today we’re going to make a craft to remember some of the amazing things Jesus did. Start coloring your pictures while we talk about the stories!”*
- ⇒ **Review the stories and invite children to find the picture for each story.**
 - *“Let’s talk about some of the amazing things that only Jesus can do.”*
 - *Jesus calmed a storm. Jesus told the storm to stop, and it did. Only Jesus can do that! Can you find the picture for that story?*
 - *Jesus helped the man who was born blind to see. Jesus spit into some dirt to make mud and covered the man’s eyes. When the man washed the mud from his eyes, he could see! Only Jesus can do that! Can you find the picture for that story?*
 - *Jesus helped Peter and Andrew catch tons of fish! Peter and Andrew had not caught any fish, but Jesus helped them catch so many that their nets started to break! Only Jesus can do that! Can you find the picture for that story?*
 - *Jesus fed over 5,000 people! Jesus took two fish and five loaves of bread, thanked God for them, and then fed all those people and had food left over! Only Jesus can do that! Can you find the picture for that story?*
 - *Jesus healed His friend Peter’s mother-in-law. She was really sick with a fever. Jesus touched her hand, and her fever went away! She was feeling so much better that she got up and she started taking care of people—giving them food and drinks! Jesus made her better by touching her hand. Only Jesus can do that! Can you find the picture for that story?*
- ⇒ **Set out glue sticks and encourage the children to glue each picture onto their hearts.**
 - *“Let’s glue all our pictures onto the heart.”*
- ⇒ **Bring it Back to the Bible Story and Bottom Line**
 - *“Wow! What a great reminder that **Jesus can do anything.***
 - ***“Who can do anything?”***
 - ***“Jesus can do anything!”***

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ACTIVITY #1

Freeze Touch

SUPPLIES: None

What You DO and SAY:

⇒ **Have children spread out around the room.**

- *“Friends! Spread out and get ready for a game we’re going to play. In our true Bible Story today Jesus healed the woman just by touching her hand, so we’re going to play a game where we’ll help our friends by touching their hand.”*

⇒ **Play music and encourage the children to sing and dance. Instruct the children to freeze if you touch their hand. Then invite the children to unfreeze the frozen child by touching their hand. Continue as long as interest remains.**

“I’m going to play music for you to sing and dance to. You can move around the room, but if I touch your hand, you have to freeze like a statue. (Pretend to freeze like a statue.) The only way you can be unfrozen is to have a friend come tap your hand. Ready to play? Here we go! (Tap a child’s hand.) [Child’s name] is frozen! Who will tap their hand to unfreeze them? (Continue as desired.) That was so fun!” (Stop music.)

⇒ **Bring it back to the Bible Story and Bottom Line.**

- *“Jesus was able to heal the woman just by touching her hand because **Jesus can do anything!***
- ***Who can do anything?***
- ***Jesus can do anything!”***

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ACTIVITY #2

I Can...

SUPPLIES: Foam cube with I Can cards in sleeves

What You DO and SAY:

- ⇒ **Invite children to spread out to get ready to play the game.**
 - *“Friends, come gather here with me. Everyone, put your arms out to your sides like this (spread arms out wide) so you have plenty of room. Good job! You can put your arms down.”*
- ⇒ **Invite children to roll the cube and do the action on the card. After they’ve done the action, ask them the big question.**
 - *“On this cube, there are some movements you can do! Watch this. (Roll the cube.) Oh look, it landed on ‘run!’ I can run. Can you run? Show me how you can run in place. (Pause.) Great job! Now tell me: **Who can do anything? Jesus can do anything!** Let’s let someone else roll it this time. (Repeat as desired, reviewing the bottom line after each action.) You can run, and jump, and twirl, and march, and clap, and sing!”*
- ⇒ **Bring it back to the Bottom Line**
 - *“You can run, and jump, and twirl, and march, and clap, and sing, but in our true Bible Story today we heard about something that only Jesus can do because **Jesus can do anything!***
 - **Who can do anything?**
 - **Jesus can do anything!”**

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READ, REVIEW, CONNECT IT, & PRAY
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Here are some ideas to try in a group or one-on-one.

2-year-olds are all at different stages of development! Some are ready to answer big questions and say the memory verse, while others aren't ready to talk yet. Even if they aren't ready to answer, they are listening!

READ A STORY –

- *I Know Jesus Loves Me by PK Hallinan*

ASK A QUESTION

Who can do anything?

Jesus can do anything!

PRACTICE THE MEMORY VERSE

“And the power of the Lord was with Jesus.” Luke 5:17

SAY A PRAYER

Dear God,

Thank you for making me.

Thank you for loving me.

Thank you for sending Jesus to be my friend forever.

Amen.