

1st-5th Grade

Explorers Lab: Learning and Exploring how Jesus Changes Everything

Memory Verse: 2 Corinthians 5:17

February 1st
Jesus understands us.

Bible Story: Jesus Tempted in the Wilderness (Matthew 4:1-11)

Let's Read...
Hebrews 4:15

Let's talk...

What is temptation? (Temptation is a strong urge to do something you know isn't right.)

How was Jesus tempted? (The devil tried to trick Jesus by telling Him to do wrong things, like using His power in the wrong way or choosing Himself instead of God.)

What did Jesus do when the devil tried to tempt Him? (Jesus used God's Word to say no to temptation.)

How can we know what is right and what is wrong? (We can look to the Bible, God's Word, to help us - just like Jesus did.)

What are some temptations you might face at home or at school?
How does knowing Jesus understands temptation help you trust Him more?

Let's Pray...
Let's ask God to help us when we face temptations to choose what is right.

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February 8th

Jesus calls you.

Bible Story: Jesus Calls His Disciples (Luke 5:1-11)

Let's Read...

Mark 1:17

Let's talk...

What job did the men in the story have? (They were fishermen.)

What does it mean to “fish for people”? (It means to tell others about Jesus and help them follow Him.)

What did the men do when Jesus told them to fish for people? (They left everything and followed him.)

Do you think it was easy or hard for them to leave everything?

Who is someone you know that you can share Jesus with?

Let's Pray...

Let's ask God to help us share His love with others.

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February 15th
Jesus is a good teacher.

Bible Story: Jesus' Sermon on the Mount (Matthew 5:1-12 & Matthew 6)

Let's Read...
John 13:13

Let's talk...
What lesson sticks out to you most?

Who is your favorite teacher? What makes them your favorite? (Connect the attributes of their favorite teacher to attributes of Jesus if possible)

What's something you want to get better at? How can I help encourage you in that?

Is there anything you'd like to learn more about Jesus?

Let's Pray...
Let's thank God for being a good teacher and for giving us the Bible to learn from.

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February 22nd

Jesus heals.

Bible Story: Jesus Forgives and Heals a Paralyzed Man

(Luke 5:17-26)

Let's Read...

1 Peter 2:24

Let's talk...

What did the men do when they couldn't get their paralyzed friend in the house? (They climbed on the roof and lowered him down through the roof right in front of Jesus.)

How did Jesus respond? (Jesus forgave the man's sins first. He healed his heart and then He healed his body so he could walk.)

What did the man do after he got up? (He went home praising God.)

What's the worst injury you've ever had? How long did it take to heal?

How can we heal from sin? (We can pray and ask God for forgiveness.)

Let's Pray...

Let's ask God to forgive our sins and help heal our hearts.