



TRINITY
GRACE
CHURCH

PRESCHOOL ACTIVITY GUIDE

SUNDAY, APRIL 19, 2020

INTRODUCTION

Following the leader is definitely something preschoolers love and understand. What they need to learn is that throughout life there will be countless choices of leaders they can follow. We want them to know who the best leader is to follow. And that is Jesus! Jesus is the best leader we can follow!

BIBLE STORY

Jesus is alive, and
He wants to be our
Friend forever.

BREAKFAST ON THE BEACH

JOHN 21:1-14

MEMORY VERSE

"I am alive for ever and ever!"

REVELATION 1:18, NIV

KEY QUESTION

Who is alive?

BOTTOM LINE

Jesus is alive.

BASIC TRUTH

Jesus wants to be my friend forever.



Have fun learning and playing with your preschooler.
First, watch this video:
<https://bit.ly/BloomWeek3>
Then, follow up with the fun activity below!

BIBLE STORY
Breakfast On The Beach
John 21: 1-14

REMEMBER THIS
“I am alive
for ever and ever!”
Revelation 1:18, NIV

SAY THIS
Who is alive?
Jesus is alive!

WHAT YOU NEED:
No supplies needed

WHAT YOU DO:
Form a circle and hold hands. Walk in a circle while singing the following song to the tune of “Ring Around the Rosie”:
*Jesus is our friend.
Jesus is our friend.
He’s my friend.
He’s your friend.
We all yell, “Hooray!” (Jump on “Hooray!”)*

WHAT YOU SAY:
“What a fun song! That was awesome. Jesus wants to be our friend FOREVER. Our Bible story today was about some men who were in a boat fishing. Who did they see on the beach while they were in the boat fishing? (Pause.) Yes! They saw Jesus! And what did Jesus do for His friends when they hurried to see Him? (Pause.) Right again! Jesus made them breakfast on the beach. Jesus wanted His friends to see that He is alive and He wants to be their friend forever. **Jesus is alive. Who is alive? [Bottom Line] Jesus is alive.**”

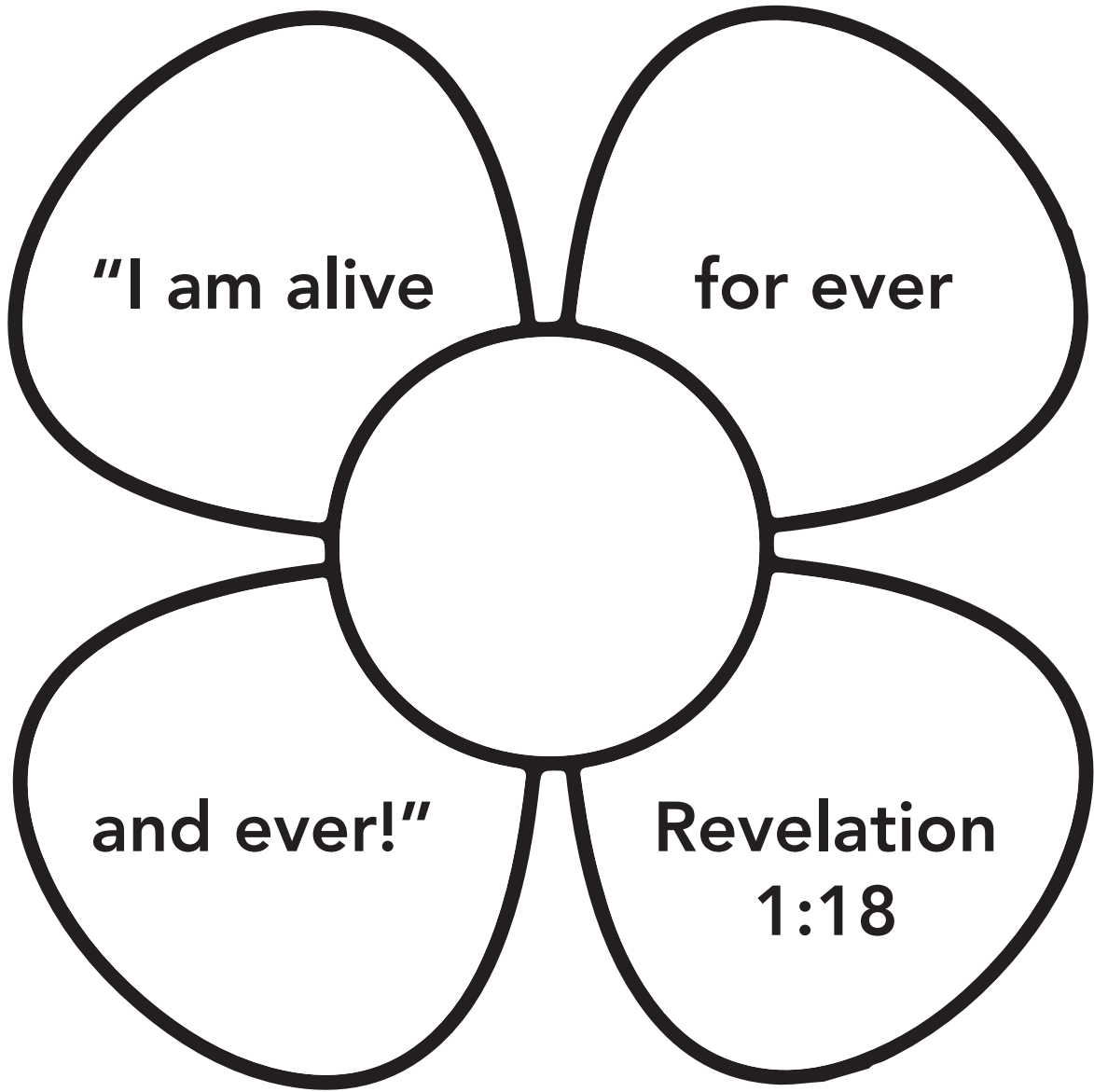
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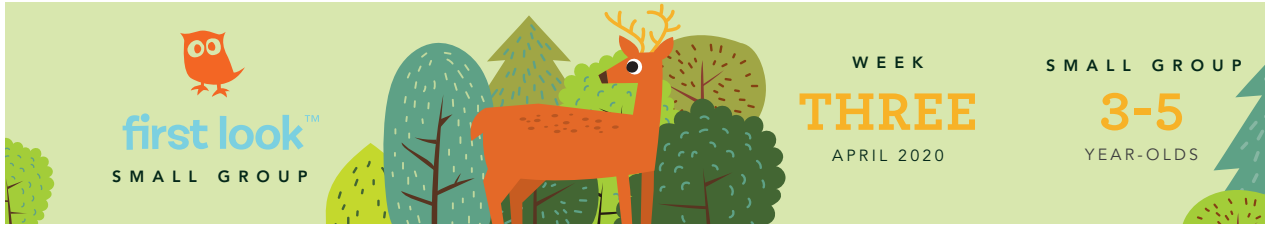
PRAYER

“Dear God,
Thank You for sending Jesus. Thank You that Jesus is alive and He loves us and He wants to be our friend for ever and ever. You are the best, God, and we love You. In Jesus’ name, amen.”

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PRELUDE SOCIAL WORSHIP STORY **GROUPS** HOME

25 MINUTES

LIVE FOR GOD
APPLICATION ACTIVITY



CREATE

an activity that allows preschoolers to review the Bible story, bottom line, or memory verse by creating a craft to take home

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5. FRIENDSHIP BRACELETS

WHAT YOU NEED: "Charm" Activity Page, cardstock, scissors, hole punch, one-inch colored straw pieces (*four per child*), and pipe cleaners (*two per child*)

WHAT YOU DO:

BEFORE THE ACTIVITY: Copy the "Charm" Activity Page onto the cardstock. Cut each charm out on the dotted lines. Punch a hole in the top of each charm on the dot. Each child will need two charms.

DURING THE ACTIVITY: Help the children string one straw piece, a charm, and another straw piece onto a pipe cleaner. Wrap the pipe cleaner around the child's wrist and twist the ends to make a bracelet. Encourage the children to make a second bracelet to give away to a friend.

WHAT YOU SAY:

BEFORE THE ACTIVITY: "Today our Bible story was about friendship. We are going to make friendship bracelets."

DURING THE ACTIVITY: "Place one colored straw piece (*hold up*) onto the pipe cleaner. (*Demonstrate.*) Then you can put this cool charm (*hold up*) onto your bracelet. The charm says, 'Jesus wants to be my friend forever!' And then add another straw piece." (*Finish activity.*)

AFTER THE ACTIVITY: "You have two bracelets so that you can give one to a friend. Friends are important, and Jesus wants to be our friend forever. You can tell your friend that **Jesus is alive! Who is alive? Jesus is alive!**"



Charm • Friendship Bracelets • April Week 3

Copy on cardstock and cut on dotted lines. Two cutouts per child.

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QUESTIONS?

Contact us with any questions you have about this activity guide. Please note, we can best support you during the week (Monday thru Friday). No question is too big or too small. We're here to help! With love, Elisa Booker and Danielle Swink