TEACHER'S BIBLE CURRICULUM

EDITION

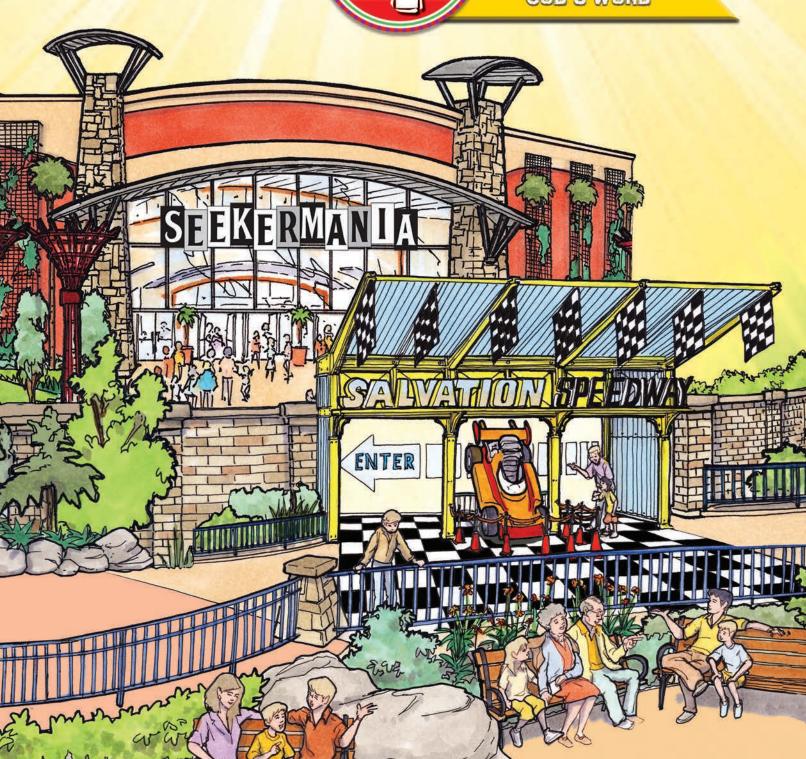


ADVENTURES IN THE PURSUIT OF GOD'S PRESENCE



SALVATION SPEEDWAY

ADVENTURES IN THE POWER OF GOD'S WORD



BIBLE SCOPE & SEQUENCE

Grade 4 Fall SEEKERMANIA

ADVENTURES IN THE PURSUIT OF GOD'S PRESENCE

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Core Bible Story

Matthew 5:3–16 Jesus Teaches the Beatitudes, Salt & Light

Bible Passage 1 Hebrews 10:22

Let us draw near to God with a sincere heart in full assurance of faith, having our hearts sprinkled to cleanse us from a guilty conscience and having our bodies washed with pure water.

Bible Passage 2 Psalm 63:1

O God, you are my God, earnestly I seek you; my soul thirsts for you, my body longs for you, in a dry and weary land where there is no water.

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Core Bible Story

Matthew 6:5–13 Jesus Teaches about Prayer

Bible Passage 3 Matthew 6:6

But when you pray, go into your room, close the door and pray to your Father, who is unseen. Then your Father, who sees what is done in secret, will reward you.

Bible Passage 4 Colossians 3:1-2

Since, then, you have been raised with Christ, set your hearts on things above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things.

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Core Bible Story

Matthew 6:19-24 Jesus Teaches about Treasures in Heaven

Bible Passage 5 Matthew 6:20–21



But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where moth and rust do not destroy, and where thieves do not break in and steal. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

Bible Passage 6 Romans 12:1–2a

Therefore, I urge you, brothers, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as living sacrifices, holy and pleasing to God—this is your spiritual act of worship. Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind.

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Core Bible Story

Matthew 6:25–34 Jesus Teaches about Not Worrying

Bible Passage 7 Matthew 6:33–34



But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own.

Bible Passage 8 Proverbs 3:5-6



Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make your paths straight.

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Core Bible Story

Matthew 7:1-5 Jesus Teaches about Judging Others

Bible Passage 9 Psalm 130:3-4

If you, O LORD, kept a record of sins, O LORD, who could stand? But with you there is forgiveness; therefore you are feared.

Bible Passage 10 Galatians 2:20



I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.

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Core Bible Story

Matthew 7:15–23
Jesus Teaches about a
Tree and its Fruit

Bible Passage 11 Ephesians 4:22–24

You were taught, with regard to your former way of life, to put off your old self, which is being corrupted by its deceitful desires; to be made new in the attitude of your minds; and to put on the new self, created to be like God in true righteousness and holiness.

Bible Passage 12 1 John 2:15-16

Do not love the world or anything in the world. If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him. For everything in the world—the cravings of sinful man, the lust of his eyes and the boasting of what he has and does—comes not from the Father but from the world.

Bible REPLAY Curriculum Grade 4

Fall Encounter: SEEKERMANIA — Adventures in the Pursuit of God's Presence

Overview

FALL Core Bible Stories feature the teachings of Jesus in the Sermon on the Mount from Matthew's gospel, with correlating Unit Bible Passages and songs such as Colossians 3:16 ("Set your minds on things above") and Matthew 6:19-20 ("Store up treasures in heaven") in the application of the pursuit of God's presence.

Targets

By the end of Grade 4 FALL, students will be able to accomplish the following 30 spiritual responses:

- 1. Realize that we can seek God at any time and in any place as the path is always clear for us to pray.
- 2. Praise God that He cleanses us from guilt when we pray to Him with a pure heart.
- 3. Express joy that through prayer, we can draw near to God and receive His forgiveness.
- 4. Know that every day brings a new opportunity to seek the Lord, who is always there when we need Him.
- 5. Trust that God cares for us and will bless our lives when we hunger and thirst for Him.
- 6. Pray to be heard by God—not seen by men—so that God knows we truly want to be in His presence.
- 7. Marvel that God the Father will reward us when we close the door and pray to Him, who is unseen.
- 8. Choose to set our hearts and minds on Godly things, which will bring us peace and spiritual victory.
- 9. Know that Christ followers have been forgiven and raised with Christ, who is seated at God's right hand.
- 10. Set our hearts and minds on things above, by remembering Scripture and ignoring earthly things.
- 11. Praise God and anticipate that treasures in heaven await those who serve the Lord and live for Him.
- 12. Remember that serving God with our hearts produces kingdom fruit that will last forever.
- 13. Choose to be transformed by the renewing of our minds rather than snared by the values of the world.
- 14. Acknowledge that no one can truly follow Christ and love the world at the same time.
- 15. Daily offer ourselves to God—as devoted Christ followers—and decide to live this life for Him.
- 16. Recognize that God knows what we need and seek first His kingdom to let Him provide for us.
- 17. Trust God and remember that He can take care of us better than we can take care of ourselves.
- 18. Live knowing that when we listen to God's Word, He will always give us a straight path to stay on.
- 19. Acknowledge God in all our ways as He is faithful to guard us from our own missteps and failures.
- 20. Realize that God will guide us through thick and thin when we forget ourselves and listen to His Word.
- 21. Recognize that we can only stand righteous before God by the forgiveness that came through Jesus.
- 22. Praise God that He is always willing to forgive our sin rather than keep a record of it.
- 23. Live with joy knowing that Christ is alive in us and we have no need to resemble the world.
- 24. Appreciate that we live by faith in the Son of God, who loved us and gave Himself for us.
- 25. Recognize that believers in Christ have been crucified with Him and no longer live without Him.
- 26. Remember to daily put off the old deceitful self and put on the new righteous self in Christ.
- 27. Thank God that our former life is behind us, since we are created to be like God in true righteousness.
- 28. Identify the three things this world offers: cravings, greed, and boasting—which are not from God.
- 29. Acknowledge the hard truth that the love of the Father is not in those who love the world.
- 30. Joyfully live for God knowing that the cravings of the sinful man go against what God desires for us.

BIBLE SCOPE & SEQUENCE

Grade 4 Spring SALVATION SPEEDWAY

ADVENTURES IN THE POWER OF GOD'S WORD

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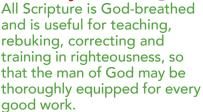
Core Bible Story

Luke 5:33-6:11 Jesus is Lord of the Sabbath (The Parable of Old Garments and Old Wineskins)

Bible Passage 1 Colossians 3:16

Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom, and as you sing psalms, hymns and spiritual songs with gratitude in your hearts to God.

Bible Passage 2 2 Timothy 3:16–17



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Core Bible Story

Luke 6:46-49
The Parable of the Wise and
Foolish Builders

Bible Passage 3 Psalm 1:1-2



Blessed is the man who does not walk in the counsel of the wicked or stand in the way of sinners or sit in the seat of mockers. But his delight is in the law of the Lord, and on his law he meditates day and night.

Bible Passage 4 James 1:25

But the man who looks intently into the perfect law that gives freedom, and continues to do this, not forgetting what he has heard, but doing it—he will be blessed in what he does.

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Core Bible Story

Luke 7:36-50 Jesus Anointed by a Sinful Woman (The Parable of Two Debtors)

Bible Passage 5 Psalm 32:1-2

Blessed is he whose transgressions are forgiven, whose sins are covered. Blessed is the man whose sin the Lord does not count against him and in whose spirit is no deceit.

Bible Passage 6 Ephesians 1:7–8

In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, in accordance with the riches of God's grace that he lavished on us with all wisdom and understanding.

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Core Bible Story

Luke 8:4–15 The Parable of the Sower

Bible Passage 7 Psalm 119:9-11



How can a young man keep his way pure? By living according to your word. I seek you with all my heart; do not let me stray from your commands. I have hidden your word in my heart that I might not sin against you.

Bible Passage 8 Romans 10:17



Consequently, faith comes from hearing the message, and the message is heard through the word of Christ.

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Core Bible Story

Luke 10:25-37 The Parable of the Good Samaritan

Bible Passage 9

Psalm 37:7-9

Be still before the Lord and wait patiently for him; do not fret when men succeed in their ways, when they carry out their wicked schemes. Refrain from anger and turn from wrath; do not fret—it leads only to evil. For evil men will be cut off, but those who hope in the Lord will inherit the land.

Bible Passage 10 Hebrews 12:14-15a

Make every effort to live in peace with all men and to be holy; without holiness no one will see the Lord. See to it that no one misses the grace of God.

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Core Bible Story

Luke 11:1–13
Jesus' Teaching on Prayer (The Parable of the Friend in Need)

Bible Passage 11 Psalm 23:1–3

The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not be in want. He makes me lie down in green pastures, he leads me beside quiet waters, he restores my soul. He guides me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

Bible Passage 12 Philippians 4:6-7



Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

Bible REPLAY Curriculum Grade 4

Spring Encounter: SALVATION SPEEDWAY — Adventures in the Power of God's Word

Overview

SPRING Core Bible Stories feature the parables of Luke's gospel, with correlating Unit Bible Passages and songs such as 2 Timothy 3:16-17 ("All Scripture is God-breathed") and Romans 10:17 ("Faith comes from hearing the message through the Word of Christ") in the application of the power of God's Word.

Targets

By the end of Grade 4 SPRING, students will be able to accomplish the following 30 spiritual responses:

- 1. Remember that the message of Christ should guide the hearts of us as believers.
- 2. Realize that we as Christ followers are to make abundant room in our hearts for the Word of God.
- 3. Sing spiritual songs to God, which produces joy and shows the gratitude we have in our hearts.
- 4. Acknowledge that the Bible teaches, rebukes, corrects and trains—to give us spiritual fuel from God.
- 5. Know that God breathed-out the words of the Bible, making us equipped and ready for every good work.
- 6. Avoid the temptation of the wicked, the sinner, and the mocker by delighting in God's Word.
- 7. Choose the opposite of the counsel of the wicked through living by the wisdom of God's Word.
- 8. Remember that God promises to bless us when we don't forget His Word and actually do what it says.
- 9. Be determined to keep God's Word in the corner of our minds and to put it into practice.
- 10. Realize that the more we stay within God's Word, the more we will be blessed by obeying it.
- 11. Stay honest before God so that His forgiveness keeps us in step with where He wants us to be.
- 12. Express joy and live knowing that God wants to bless us, not hold our sin against us.
- 13. Recognize that when we cover our sin with deceit in our spirit, we are in need of God's forgiveness.
- 14. Praise God that He lavished His grace on us when He sent His Son to shed His blood for our sins.
- 15. Acknowledge that God's wisdom and understanding allowed us to have forgiveness through Jesus.
- 16. Find a pure way to live as we cherish God's Word and seek Him with all of our hearts.
- 17. Let God's Word shape our choices by remembering to not stray from His commands.
- 18. Remember that faith in Christ starts by hearing His Word, which promises eternal life through Him.
- 19. Daily choose to put our faith in the Word of Christ and allow Him to be in the driver's seat of our lives.
- 20. Allow our faith to grow deeper by earnestly seeking the living Word of Jesus himself.
- 21. Trust that while evil men and their schemes exist for a short time, God wins the ultimate victory.
- 22. Take comfort knowing that those who hope in the Lord and wait patiently for Him will inherit God's best.
- 23. Be willing to forgive others knowing that God has already forgiven us through His Son Jesus.
- 24. Remember that even our enemies need to see the love of Christ through our actions.
- 25. Realize that without being holy and living in peace with all men, the world will miss the grace of God.
- 26. Trust that when the Lord is our shepherd and comforter, we lack nothing and have no one to fear.
- 27. Know that the Lord is our comfort and will carry our loads and ease our burdens when we are weary.
- 28. Let our requests be made known to God in every part of our lives, knowing that He cares.
- 29. Turn our troubles and worries into prayer by seeking God with thanksgiving in our hearts.
- 30. Ask for God's peace—which is beyond our comprehension—to guard our hearts and minds in Christ.