



Series Overview: There is a legacy waiting, for every kid everywhere. The legacy has been handed down like a valuable family heirloom and this month you'll get to tell kids about what that legacy is! The Holy Spirit is the legacy that Jesus gives to every person who believes. The Holy Spirit is for everyone and helps us so much. The Holy Spirit help us know God, love everyone, do God's work, and makes us a part of God's family.

Bible Story: Philip and the Ethiopian Eunuch: Acts 8:26-40; (John 15:1-8)

Big Idea: The Holy Spirit helps us want to know God.

Series Memory Verse: "For those who are led by the Spirit of God are the children of God." –Romans 8:14

Lesson Guide:

1. GATHER & SHARE TIME

- Sit together with your child/ family.
- Have everyone share something they heard from Pastor Brent's message or a question they have from his message.

2. BIBLE STORY REVIEW

Supplies: Bibles

- Today, we heard about one of Jesus' friends named Philip. Philip was a special friend of Jesus' called a disciple, or a follower Jesus.
- The Spirit of God told Philip to go to this place in the middle of nowhere, and Philip didn't ask why — he just agreed to go just like that! When he arrived, he met a person from Ethiopia. And this guy was really important because he was the treasurer — that's the person in charge of money — for the Queen of Ethiopia!
- The man brought with him on his trip to Jerusalem a big part of the Hebrew scriptures, which is what we call the Old Testament, and specifically, the book of Isaiah. He was reading it out loud.
- Even though he was well educated and worked for the queen, the man still didn't understand what he was reading — it didn't make any sense to him.
- **Have you ever read something you didn't understand?**
- Well, Philip heard the man reading, approached him and asked, "Do you understand what you're reading?"
- You see, Philip had heard the Holy Spirit's voice telling Philip to help someone. And even though he was a little nervous, he helped the man anyway because Philip knew this was what the Holy Spirit wanted him to do.

THE BIG IDEA | The Holy Spirit helps us want to know God.

3. BIBLE STORY APPLICATION ACTIVITY:

***Supplies = fan of some kind or make a fan out of paper**

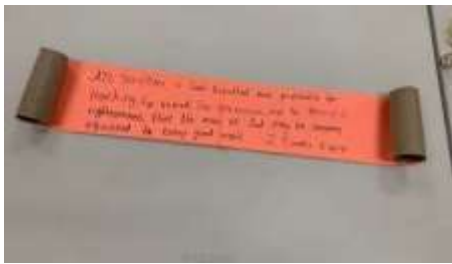
- Let your kids see the wind from a fan somehow...how it blows their hair, paper, etc. or walk around the house with paper and use it as a fan to see what all you can blow.
- You also could use your breath to try to blow small house hold items across a table (like crayons, or cotton balls, paper or anything relatively light)
- Next discuss the following...
 - Can you see the wind coming out of a fan or your breath when you blow out?
 - How do you know the wind is there?
 - When you go outside on a windy day, can you see the wind?
 - How do you know the wind is blowing?
 - The Holy Spirit is a lot like the wind coming from a fan or the wind outside on a windy day. Even though we can't see it, it's there.
 - Just like the wind from the fan moved the balloon, the Holy Spirit moves us. The Holy Spirit guides and travels with us, helping us when we need to make important choices.

4. Memory Verse Practice:

***Supplies = Bible, paper of some kind and writing/ coloring utensils...optional: 2 toilet paper rolls or popsicle/ craft sticks or pencils to be the ends of your scroll, clear tape, glue**

- Open the Bible to Romans 8:14 and read it aloud .
- Talk about how Philip was led by the Spirit of God in today's story, and how they can also be led by that same Spirit if they have asked Jesus to live in their hearts.

- Next make a scroll and write the verse on it.



- Read the verse from the scroll like Philip and the Ethiopian man read Isaiah from a scroll in today's story.
- Hang it up where your family will see it often and practice it together throughout the week.

5. DISCUSSION & APPLICATION QUESTIONS:

Supplies: Bibles

- What did the Holy Spirit tell Philip to do?
- Who did Philip meet on the desert road?
- What did Philip and the Ethiopian eunuch talk about?
- Read Romans 15:13. How does this verse encourage us?
- What does the Holy Spirit do for us?
- What are some things you know about God already?
- What are some things you want to know more about?

6. PRAY WITH YOUR FAMILY.

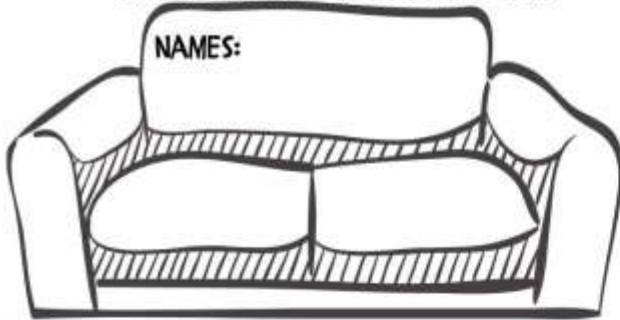
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Sermon Notes From Home



WHO DID YOU SIT WITH ON THE COUCH?



HOW DID YOU WATCH THE SERMON FROM HOME?



WHAT DO YOU MISS ABOUT CHURCH AT CHURCH?

IF YOU DIDN'T SIT ON THE COUCH, DRAW A PICTURE OF HOW YOU VIEWED TODAY'S SERMON OR DRAW A PICTURE OF WHO YOU WATCHED THE SERMON WITH:

ARE YOU IN YOUR JAMMIES OR CLOTHES??
DRAW A PICTURE:



TODAY'S BIBLE PASSAGE:



3 BIG THINKS FROM TODAY'S SERMON YOU CAN ASK GOD TO USE TO GROW YOU CLOSER TO HIM:

1 _____

2 _____

3 _____

SOMETHING SPECIFIC THAT WAS PRAYED FOR:

SOMETHING SPECIFIC YOU ARE PRAYING FOR:

WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE PART ABOUT CHURCH AT HOME?