



Series Overview: Astronaut Neil Armstrong once said landing on the moon was “one small step for man.” Maybe he understood that the biggest adventures start in such a simple way – with a step. Stepping out to explore uncharted territory can be intimidating, but when we are following Jesus, it is always worth it! In this four-week series, we’ll take a look at the Book of Acts to learn from the first Christians. Through their stories of faith and bravery, kids will learn how to take the first step of believing in Jesus, the next step of praying for others, an even bigger step of trusting the Holy Spirit makes us brave, and a faith-filled step of telling others about Jesus.

Bible Story: Peter and John at the Beautiful Gate: Acts 3

Big Idea: Take another step — pray for others.

Series Memory Verse: “The heavens declare the glory of God; the skies proclaim the work of His hands.” -Psalm 19:1

Lesson Guide:

1. Dance and sing with your child to these songs.

- [I Believe - Song Video \(youtube.com\)"This Little Light Of Mine" \(youtube.com\)](#)
- [I Will Pray \(youtube.com\)](#)
- [God Makes Me Brave | Mr. Music's Sing-Along Vol. 1 | LifeKids \(youtube.com\)](#)

2. Show this video to teach the Bible story.

- [TeachingVideo2_OneSmallStep_Preschool_Growkids on Vimeo](#)

3. Review the Bible story like this:

***Supplies: Bible**

- Open the Bible Acts 3 and show your family where today's story comes from (You could even read verses 1-3 aloud).
- Ask the following questions to review the story...
 - Who were the two disciples in the story? *Peter and John.*
 - Who did they meet at the temple gates? *A man who couldn't walk.*
 - What happened when Peter and John prayed for the man? *He walked and jumped and gave thanks to God.*
 - Who gave Peter the power to heal the man? *God.*
 - Who remembers the first step? *Believe in Jesus.*
 - What's the next step we learned today? *Pray for others.*

4. Practice the May Memory Verse like this:

***Supplies = a Bible**

- Look up Psalm 19:1 in the Bible and read it to your family.
- Help the kids learn the verse and teach these motions to go along with it.
- <https://photos.app.goo.gl/sJdyv1kJXhLLLURt6>
- In our story today, a lame man was healed by God's power, and he began to walk and leap about!
- Let's do some of our own leaping...
- Have your family leap across the room like the man may have leaped, and then say the memory verse together again.
- Next have them leap like frogs across the room and say the memory verse.
- Then have them leap like kangaroos across the room and say the memory verse.
- Then let them choose how to leap across the room and say the memory verse one last time.

5. PRAY WITH THE YOUR FAMILY!