



Series Overview: This series kicks off with the greatest news ever—Jesus is alive! But even his closest friends were surprised by what they discovered. Each week, kids will follow the clues in the Bible, looking at the stories leading up to Easter and connecting them to other moments in Jesus’ life and ministry. Along the way, they’ll see that the Bible isn’t just full of clues about who Jesus is—it’s the complete story of God’s love. In this 4-week series, kids will learn that the Bible says Jesus is alive, the Bible tells us Jesus loves us, the Bible reveals who Jesus is, and the Bible shows us how to share God’s love.

Series Memory Verse: But God demonstrates His own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us. (Romans 5:8)

Today’s Lesson...

Bible: Jesus at the Sea of Galilee: John 21:1–17

Big Idea: The Bible shows us how to share God’s love.

Lesson Guide:

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

- <https://youtu.be/IUePulhSgkQ?feature=shared>
- <https://youtu.be/JpZJ-39IT1k?feature=shared>

2. Show this video to teach the Bible story.

- [TeachingVideo4 Clue Preschool GrowKids | Videos & Movies on Vimeo](#)

3. Review the Bible story like this:

***Supplies = a Bible**

- Open the Bible to John 21 and show your family where today's story comes from.
- Ask the following questions to review the story...
 - **What were the disciples doing through the night?** Fishing.
 - **Did they catch any fish?** No.
 - **Who helped them catch a whole lot of fish?** Jesus. He told them to throw the nets to the other side.
 - **When Peter saw Jesus from the boat, what did he do?** He jumped in the water immediately to get to Jesus!
 - **What did Jesus tell Peter to do?** To take care of his sheep. To share God's love with everyone.
 - **The Bible shows us how to share God's love!**

4. Practice the Memory Verse like this:

***Supplies = a Bible and a heart picture or cutout that you and your child make**

- Look up Romans 5:8 and read the verse and teach the motions to go along with it.
<https://photos.app.goo.gl/MYgKsE87A2mtb9gE9>
- Make a heart picture or cut out with your child.
- Then have your child turn their back as you hide the heart you just made.
- When your child finds the heart, have them bring it to you (share it with you) and say the memory vers together.
- Talk about how they can share God's love with others.
- Repeat several times allowing your child to hide the heart sometimes.

5. PRAY WITH YOUR FAMILY!