Bethel Temple Children's Ministry (BTCM)

Studio 3K/K - Preschool & Kindergarten

Clubhouse - 1st - 5th Grade Elementary

Sunday, April 26, 2020 - The Promise of the Father

## Praise & Worship:

Father Abraham Had Many Sons -

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5o\_J30x6E6s&list=PLDwhSkW9Vq0VyUchw8mnB98f0hXpC5MDU&index=2 10,000 Reasons - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jfAc95-IIWo

Scripture References: John 14:15-17,25-29, 16:13-14 Acts 1:4-5,8-9

<u>Clubhouse</u>: "I Am" The Way The Truth and The Life John 14 - <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xmZ8qqNjfwY">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xmZ8qqNjfwY</a> Clubhouse: God Gives Us the Holy Spirit - <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0kWV5-JQ9Yg">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xmZ8qqNjfwY</a>

<u>Memory Verses of Power (MVP)</u>: But you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be witnesses to Me in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth. Acts 1:8 (NKJV) Review and Memorize during the week. (We will have this same verse for several weeks,)

## Scripture summary:

- Jesus instructs the disciples to go to Jerusalem and wait there until they receive power from God to be witnesses. They are to wait in Jerusalem until they are baptized in the Holy Spirit. Luke 24:49, Acts 1:4-5,8
- 2. He refers to the Holy Spirit as the Spirit of Truth (Jn 14:17, 16:13), Helper (vv.16,26), Teacher (v.26).
- 3. Jesus says in John 14:17, "the Holy Spirit dwells (lives) with you and will be in you."
- 4. In John 16:13, Jesus says the Spirit of Truth will guide you into all truth and (v.14) tell us things about Jesus. He will tell us things to come. This if only for those who know Jesus. People who don't know Jesus cannot receive the Holy Spirit.

## Discussion Questions:

- 1. The disciples were instructed to wait in Jerusalem for the Promise of the Father. What/Who is the Promise of the Father? (The Gift of the Holy Spirit)
- 2. What are some ministries of the Holy Spirit as seen in John 14:16, 17, 26? (Helper. Teacher, Abide in you. Guide us to all truth)
  - What will the Holy Spirit help them to remember (The things Jesus shared with them & taught them.)
- 3. Why did Jesus tell the disciples what was going to happen ahead of time? (John 14:29)
- 4. In Acts 1:8, What did Jesus say the Holy Spirit would give the disciples? What will it help them to do?

## Encouragement:

- 1. Jesus returned to heaven to prepare a place for us to be with Him. John 14:1-3
- 2. He promises to always be with us and to send the Holy Spirit to give us power to be His witnesses. The Holy Spirit is our Helper, Teacher, Guide, and Power (anointing).

Object Lesson: Super Center Store - In the store there is everything needed to pretty much sustain life. There is usually enough for everyone who needs it. You don't need to call ahead to see if it's available. You go to the store, knowing that whatever you need is there. In that way it is similar to the Holy Spirit. Everything we need to do what God created us to do can be found in the Holy Spirit. In Him is found wisdom, truth, understanding, guidance, courage, love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, self-control. All we need to do is to access what He offers and be obedient to His leading and we can do any task at hand.

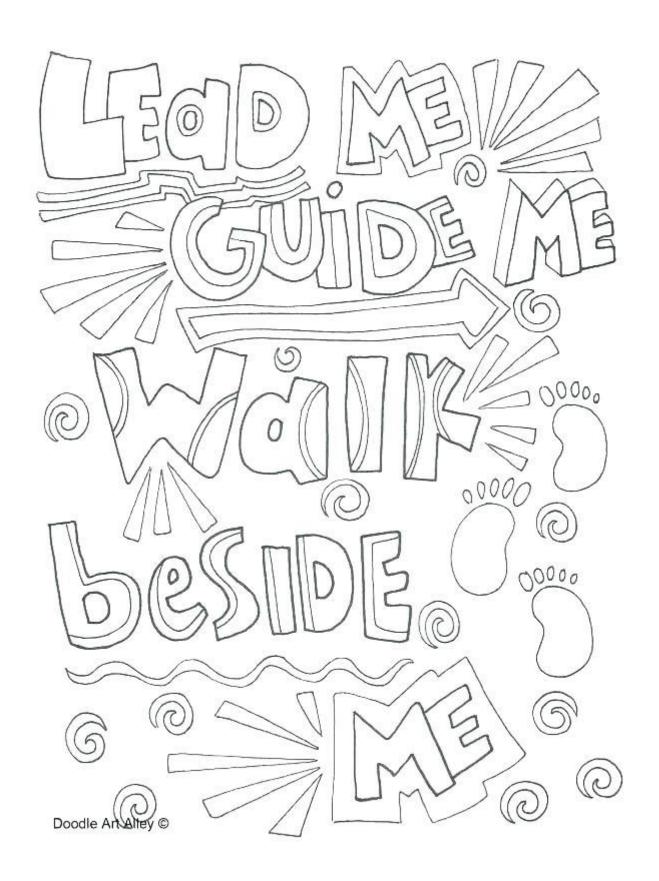
<u>Prayer</u>: Thank you Jesus for loving me and dying on the cross for me so that I can be forgiven for my sins and have a relationship with God the Father. Thank you for giving me the gift of the Holy Spirit so that I can be a bold witness for you and do and be everything you created me to do and be In Jesus Name, Amen.



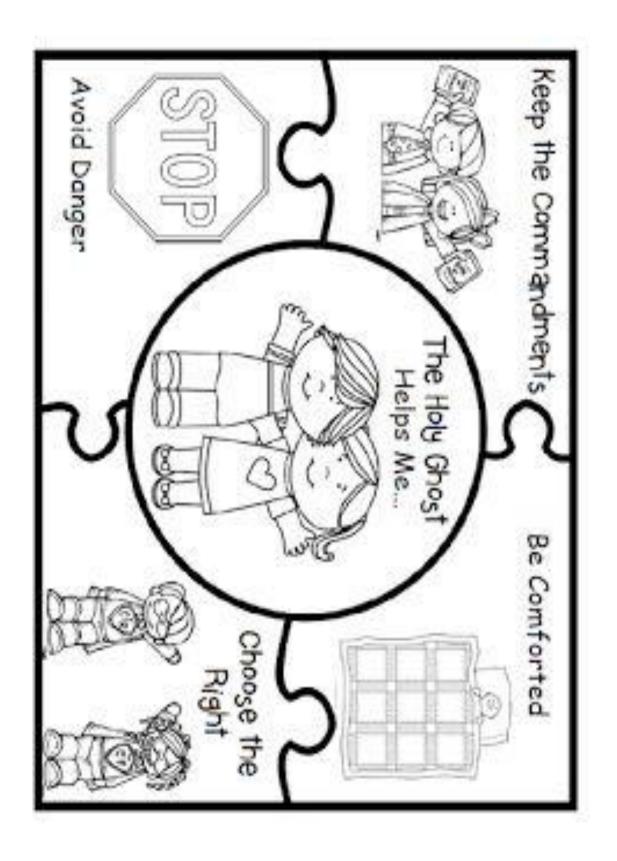
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