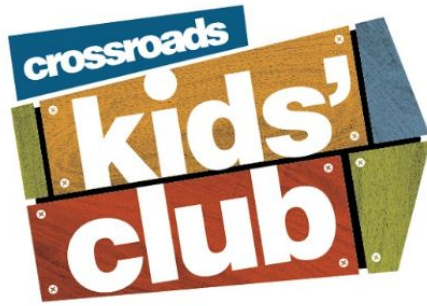


# Toddler



March 2020

## NEED TO KNOW



Check out the new lesson design! The format of the hour is the same, but there are some tweaks and adjustments to how the pages look, and what the sections are titles. Look ahead and see what's changed!

## FREE PLAY | 15 minutes

Spend time connecting with kids as they play.

## STORY TIME | 10 minutes

Hear a Bible story, do motions to go along with today's big idea, and worship God with singing and dancing!

## CREATE AND PLAY | 10+ minutes

Connect with kids by reviewing today's story, and engage them with hands on play and crafts.

## SUPPLIES

- Beginner's Bible (1 per room)

## THE BIG IDEA | 10 minutes

**SAY** Hi everybody! It's so good to see you today. Today we'll learn that **Jesus had helpers!** Let's do motions and say **Jesus had helpers!**

- **Jesus (point up)**
- **Had helpers (stack fists on top of each other)**

**SAY** This is the Bible, and it's a very special book! (**Show the Bible to kids**) It's all about God, and how much he loves us. God loves me (**Point to yourself**) and God loves you! (**Point to kids**) God loves us so much, that he sent someone to rescue us from all the sad things in the world. That rescuer is Jesus! Can you say "Jesus"? Good job.

## TELL THE STORY | 10 minutes

**SAY** Jesus wanted his friends to help him isn't that so exciting!? **Let's all say, Jesus had helpers!** Let's watch a video to see how Jesus choose special helpers, because he had lots of important work to do!

- **Video: Jesus Had Helpers / Story (2 minutes)**

**SAY** One day, some men were in a fishing boat, trying to catch lots of fish! **Let's all pretend to be a fish (respond along with kids).** But guess what? They couldn't find any fish in the sea! **Can you show me a sad face? (Let kids respond.)**

**SAY** Just then, Jesus came and helped them; he told them how to catch the fish...and they did! They caught lots and lots of fish! Then, Jesus said, "Come with me!" And did they go follow Jesus? Yes, they did! They followed Jesus, and helped him tell others about God. **Let's all shout, "Hooray!"** Now let's watch a special song, and hear how Jesus wants all of US to help him too!

- **Video: Jesus Had Helpers / Song (2 minutes)**

**SAY** Let's do our motions and say **Jesus had helpers!**

**PRAY** Dear God. Thank you for letting us help you. We love you. Aaaa-men!

FREE PLAY

STORY TIME

CREATE AND PLAY

## SUPPLIES

- Fishing net (1 per room)
- Fish images (5 per kid, reused)

## SNACK TIME

Pass out **a snack**, and let kids eat at tables. This is a time to personally connect with kids and find out about their day, not just focusing on the story.

**ASK** Tell me about your day. What's your favorite (blank)? Who do you live with?

## CREATE AND PLAY

- Give each kid **five fish images**.
- Hold the **fishing net** and go around to each kid.
- Tell kids that Jesus helped the men catch lots of fish in their net! Then, he asked them to help him tell others about God!
- Let kids **throw their fish into the net!** They can throw their fish one at a time, or all at once. Let them do it as many times as they want!
- **Collect fish and net** to be used for the next service.
- Hand each kid **a coloring page**. As kids color their page, ask:
  - Did Jesus choose helpers? (Yes!)
  - Does Jesus want us to help him too? (Yes!)



## lesson NEEDS



**Big Idea:** Can we help Jesus?

LARGE GROUP			
Item	Usage	Details	Provided by
Beginner's Bible	1 per room, reused	Beginner's Bible *Confirm that all Toddler rooms have this bible!	site

SMALL GROUP			
Item	Usage	Details	Provided by
Coloring Page- Fish & Loaves	1 per kid	Page 5, white paper, black & white	site
Crayons	Quantity determined by site.		site
Net	1 per room, reused	<a href="#">Oriental Trading. Butterfly Net</a>	KC Site Support
Fish image	5 per kid, reused	8.5x11 cardstock, color, cut into eighths, Page 6	site

AV Needs		
Item	Usage	Details
Twos: Jesus Finds Helpers ( <a href="#">Story</a> and <a href="#">Song</a> )	1 per room	<i>2s Songs and Stories</i> DVD or Keynote File

**Special Note:**  
Twos lessons are the same for every week this month. Keep & reuse all lesson materials at site during this period.

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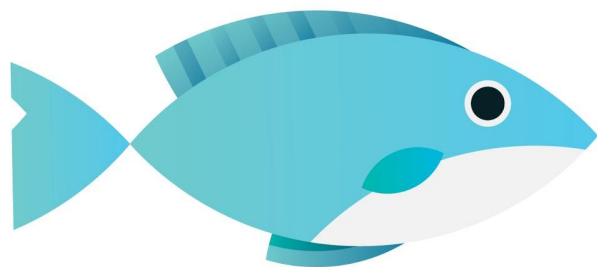
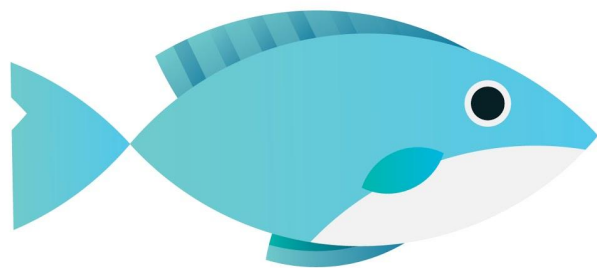
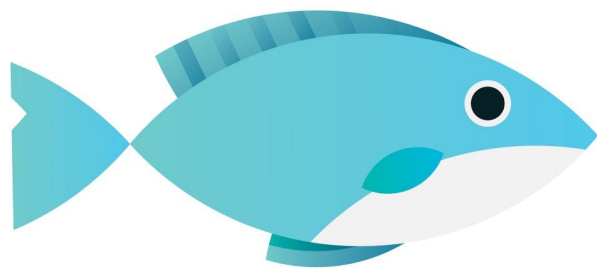
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Can we help Jesus?

*Read more about this story in Luke 5:1-11.*

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## NEEDS



### AV Needs - Sites using Keynote

- 1. KC Logo slide
- 2. Video: [Jesus Finds Helpers \(Story\)](#)
- 3. Music Video: [Jesus Finds Helpers \(Song\)](#)

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