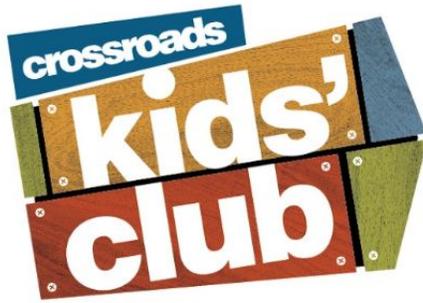


# Younger



# July 25, 2021

## NEED TO KNOW



- Welcome kids into your room and connect with them while playing games! Here are some ground rules for how every Kids' Club room should feel
  - **Fun** is a language kids always understand, so have fun with everything you do.
  - **Respect** each other by treating others the way you want to be treated.
  - **Encourage kids** to listen when your leader is speaking, and follow their directions.
  - **Everyone belongs** here, so let's include every person and show respect to each other.
- Split kids into small groups of 10 or less. Encourage kids to do all the lessons activities within their small groups.
- All videos will be played on a Youtube playlist that can be watched on a projector screen, TV, computer, etc. Find the Youtube playlist here: [KC Site Lesson Playlist \(Younger\)](#)

## ACTIVITY 1 | 15 minutes

Spend time connecting with kids as they play and do an activity.

## VIDEO | 10-15 minutes

Watch a video to hear today's Bible story and worship God with singing and dancing!

## ACTIVITY 2 | 15+ minutes

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

## ACTIVITY 1

## VIDEO

## ACTIVITY 2

### SUPPLIES

- None

### PREPARE

- **Free play:** Connect with kids as they play with toys and materials for 15 minutes.
- **Clean Up:** Clean up and get ready for the first activity. (*Clean up idea: slowly countdown from 10 to 1 until kids have cleaned up their toys.*)

### ACTIVITY | 5-10 minutes

- Have kids act out each thing you describe, and say “We can spend time with Jesus” before each action
- “We can spend time with Jesus...”
  - When we wake up in the morning (pretend to be tired and get out of bed)
  - When we go to Kids’ Club (pretend to run)
  - When we play (jump up and down)
  - When we dance (dance in place)
  - When we’re acting silly (make a funny face)
  - When we ride in the car (pretend to drive a steering wheel)
  - When we eat (pretend to eat)
  - When we color (pretend to write on paper)
  - When we go to bed (pretend to go to sleep and snore)

## VIDEO | 20 minutes

**Introduce the big idea:**

- Here's our big idea for today: **We can spend time with Jesus.** Let's all say that together! **We can spend time with Jesus!** Let's watch some videos and hear all about it!

**Play the following videos from the Youtube playlist. If kids are having trouble paying attention, feel free to pause the video at any time and take a short stretch break, or ask them some questions about what they've watched so far!**

- **Video: HOPS**
- **Video: Kids' Club at Home (Younger)**
- **Worship Song / Movement Video**
- **Worship Song / Movement Video**

## SCRIPT (IN CASE VIDEO IS UNAVAILABLE)

*Do you know what this is? It's a Bible, and it's all about God's story, and how he rescued us! In the beginning, God made the whole world and everything in it. He made the sun and moon and planets and stars. He made forests and mountains and oceans. He made all kinds of animals, like lions and elephants and birds!*

*Next, God made his most special creation of all—PEOPLE! Like you and me! The first two people were named Adam and Eve. They lived in a beautiful garden filled with flowers and trees and fruit. They got to spend time with God everyday! And it was GOOD. Can you show "good" again? Awesome!*

*THEN, something sad happened. Can you show me sad? A snake lied to Adam and Eve, and they believed him, and disobeyed God. Then, all the wrong things came into the world, like sickness, and sadness and death. But the story doesn't stop there....because even though Adam and Eve disobeyed God, God still loved them, just like he loves us! And he came up with a rescue plan so that Adam and Eve, and YOU and ME, could be close to God again! And our Rescuer is Jesus. Can you show me the sign for "Jesus"? Great job!*

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## SCRIPT (IN CASE VIDEO IS UNAVAILABLE)

There were two sisters named Mary and Martha, and they were friends with Jesus! One day, they invited Jesus and his disciples over for dinner. Can you imagine getting to eat dinner with Jesus!? That would be SO cool. If Jesus came to your house, what would you want to do with him? Would you talk to him? Ask him questions? Play games?? Show him your coolest toys?!

That all sounds fun to me. And when Jesus arrived at Mary and Martha's house, the sisters got everything ready. Well, actually...*Martha* got everything ready. Instead of helping, Mary was sitting with Jesus, listening to him talk.

When Martha saw Mary, spending time with Jesus instead of helping get dinner ready...Martha was really frustrated. She wanted everything to be perfect for Jesus, and she thought that Mary should help! But instead, Mary was so excited just to BE with Jesus, and hear him speak!

Well, when Martha got mad at her sister for not helping, Jesus told Martha that it *was okay*. He was *glad* Mary was spending time with him! And he's glad when WE spend time with him! Jesus LOVES spending time with us. He wants to know us, and for us to know him.

Now, we may not be able to have dinner with Jesus like Mary and Martha did, but there are so many ways we can spend time with Jesus, and show him that we love him. We can pray to him, and tell him anything we want—and he listens to everything we say! We can give him all our attention by worshipping, like when we sing songs to him. We can also read the Bible, and get to know him better by hearing all the things he's said.

Let's spend time with Jesus right now...by praying! When we pray, that means we talk with Jesus, and listen to him...and he listens to us too! You can say these words after me:

*Hey Jesus!*

*I love you.*

*I'm so glad you want to spend time with me.*

*Aaa-men!*

## SUPPLIES

- Crayons/Markers (1 per kid)
- Mary template (1 per kid)
- Martha template (1 per kid)
- Scotch tape

## REVIEW THE STORY | 5 minutes

- What did Martha do when Jesus came over? What did Mary do?
- Does Jesus want to spend time with us?
- Does Jesus like to have FUN with his friends?
- What do you like to do with your friends?
- **Share a personal example** of your favorite way to have fun friends with your (or, you favorite way to have fun with friends when you were a kid!)

## ACTIVITY | 10+ minutes

### Mary and Martha Puppets

- Give each kid a **Mary template** and a **Martha template**.
- Let kids color and decorate the templates however they like. Then go around and **tape** their templates into a circle, to create a “puppet.”
- Let kids retell the story and play with their Mary and Martha puppets. Remind them how Jesus wanted to spend time with his friends and have fun with them, and he wants us to do the same!

### Busy Bee Game

- **Say:** Sometimes we are too busy to hear what Jesus has to say just like Martha. Other times we can be still and hear Jesus just like Mary!
- Kids stand in a circle. The leader picks an action (i.e. run in place, hop, flap arms, spin)
- If the leader says “Martha”, kids should do the physical action (remind them what it is). If you say “Mary”, they should freeze.
- Repeat several times.

Let kids do a **coloring page and activity sheet** if there's extra time.



## lesson

## NEEDS



### CONNECT QUESTIONS

Tell me about Mary and Martha.  
How can we spend time with Jesus?

### ACTIVITY 1

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### VIDEO

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### ACTIVITY 2

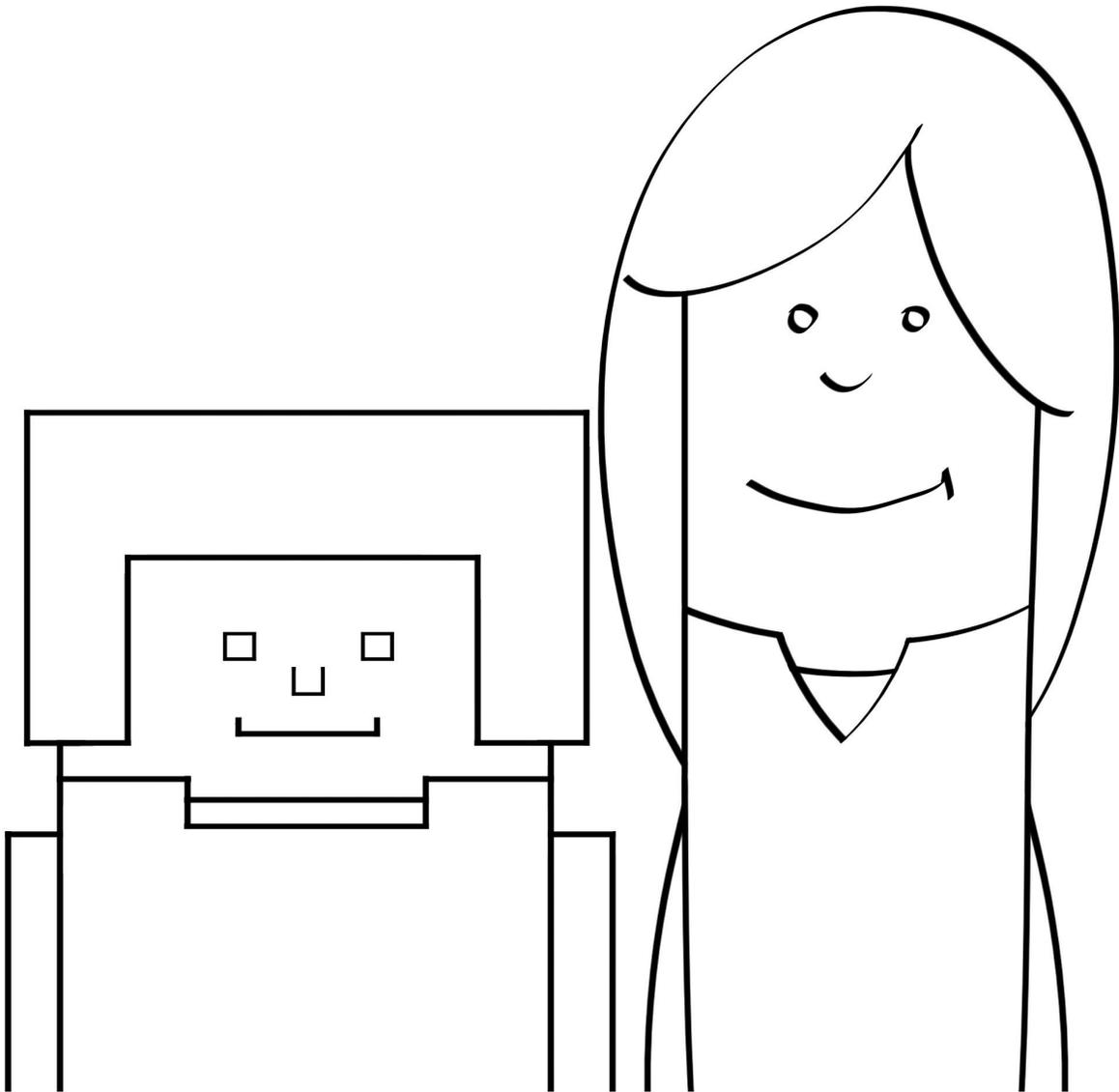
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Coloring page/Activity sheet	Quantity determined by site.	8.5x11 paper, black & white, Page 7/8
Crayons/Markers	1 set per kid	
Mary template	1 per kid	8.5x11 cardstock, cut into half sheets, black&white, Page 9
Martha template	1 per kid	8.5x11 cardstock, cut into thirds, black&white, Page 10
Scotch tape	Quantity determined by site	

### VIDEOS

Youtube Playlist Link: [KC Site Lesson Playlist \(Younger\)](#)

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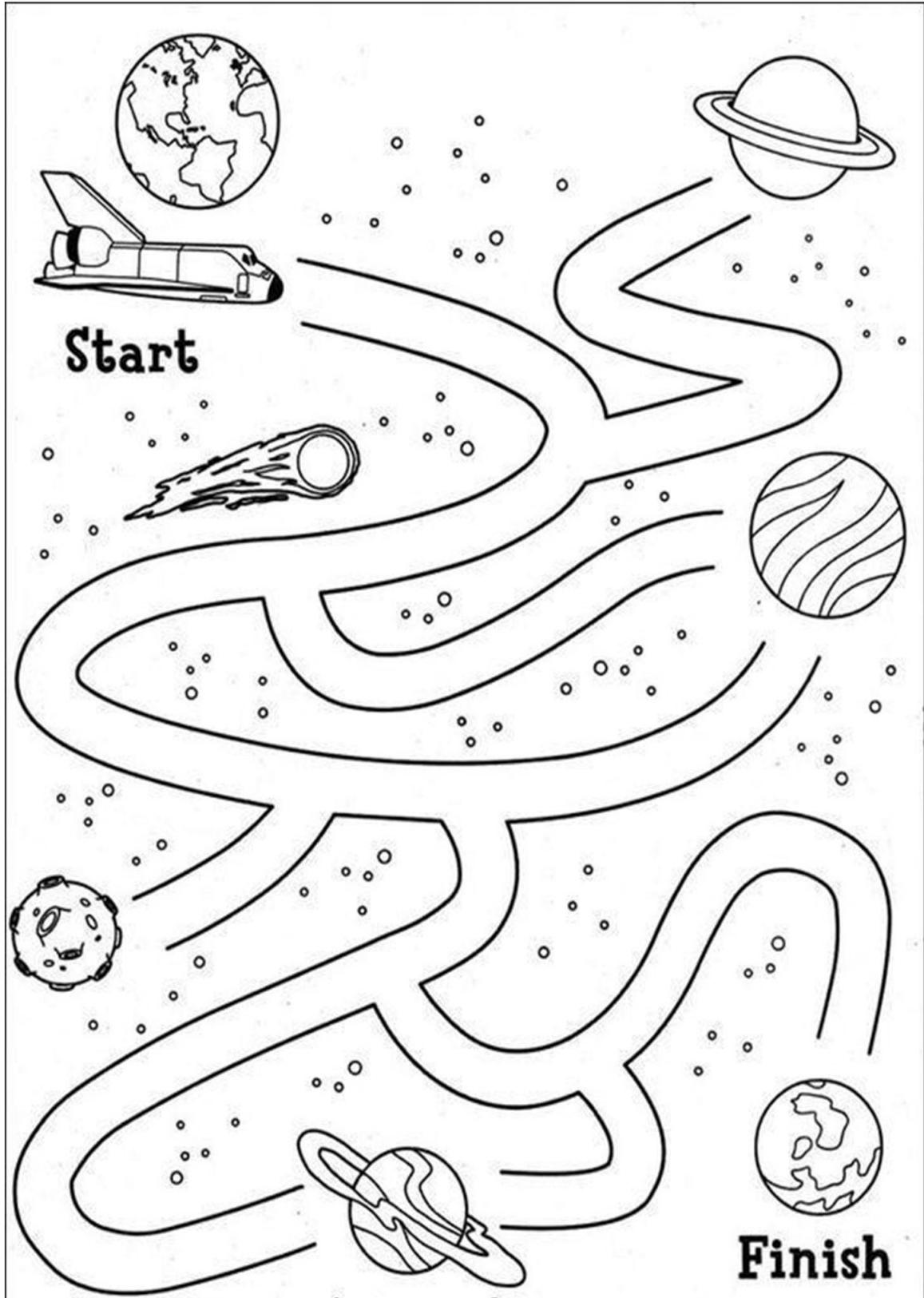


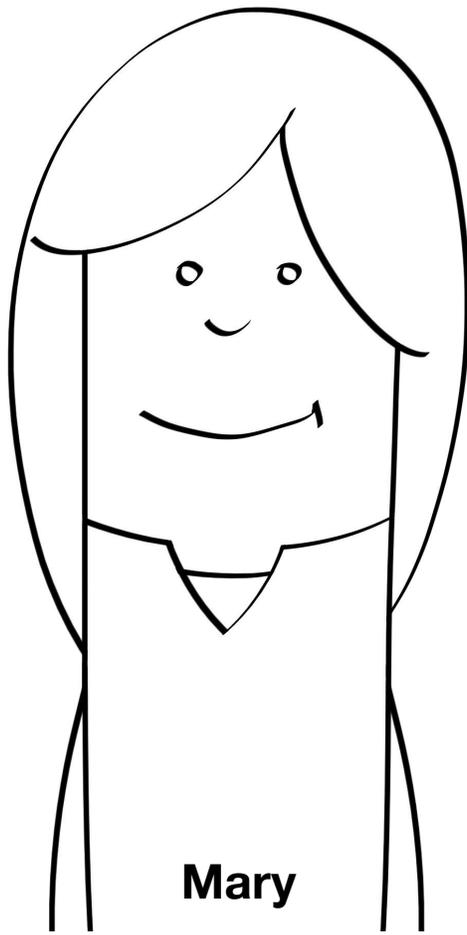
Tell me about Mary and Martha.  
How can we give our attention to Jesus?

*Read more about this week's story in Luke 10: 38-42*

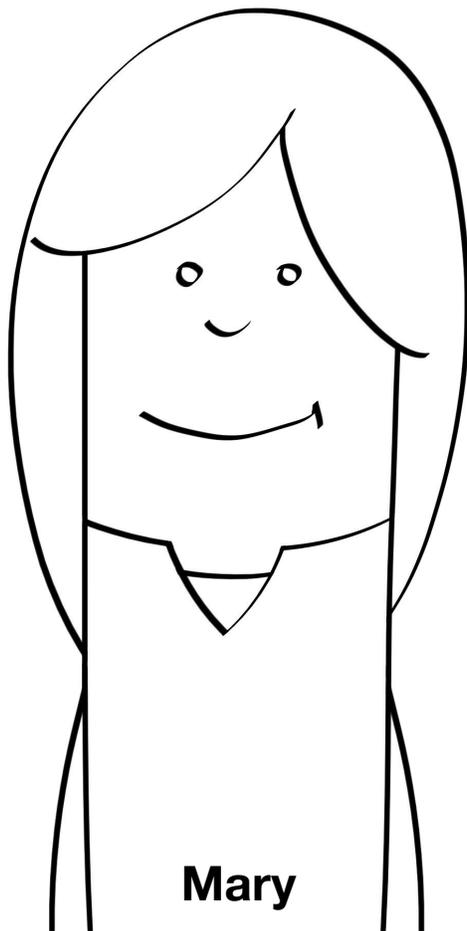
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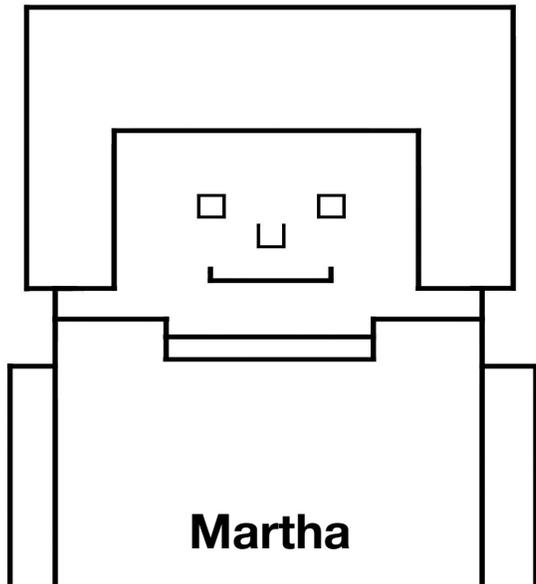
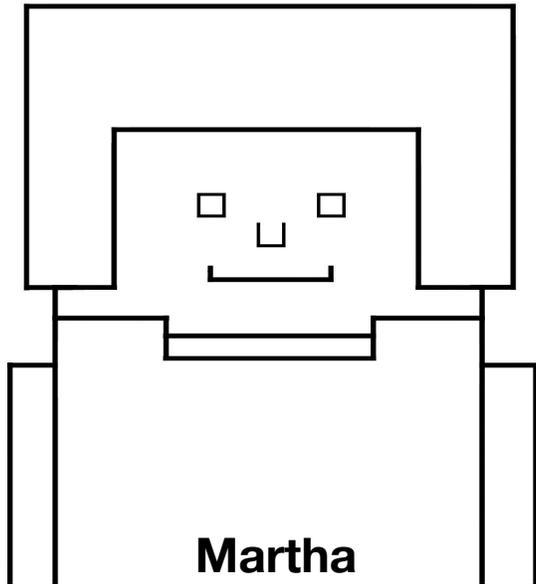
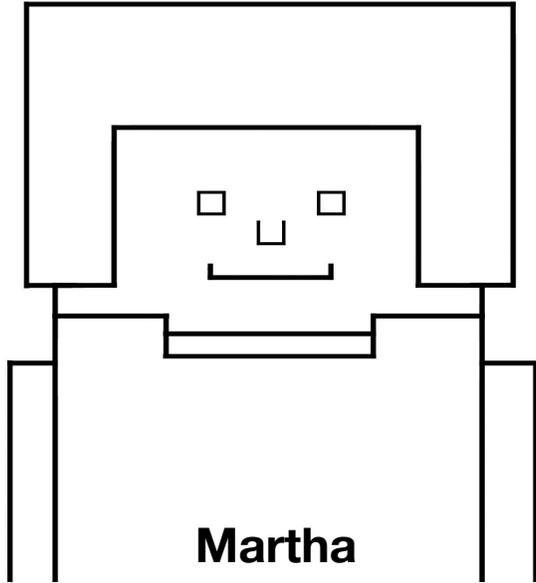




**Mary**



**Mary**



**Tell me about  
Mary and  
Martha.**

**How can we  
spend time with  
Jesus?**