




SEEKERS PREP – GR2	TEAM LEADERS: TEAM:		DATE: 26/07/2020
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SERIES TITLE	Believe it or Not
SESSION 1	Provider
BIG IDEA	When Jesus meets my needs today I know He will do it again tomorrow
SHOUT OUT	Jesus meets my needs
KEY VERSE	Hebrews 11:1 Faith shows the reality of what we hope for; it is the evidence of things we cannot see.
BIBLE STORY	Luke 5:1-11 Fishers of Men
9.55am	CONNECT GROUP TIME
CONNECT ACTIVITIES	Fishing gear – discuss who has been fishing? Where, what did they catch, fishing books, fishing game, Birthdays, Giving
10.10 – 10.50am	PROGRAM TIME
WELCOME	Dorothy: Topic, Big Idea, Families, Speaker – Sam Cogger
WORSHIP	ALL AROUND THE WORLD, FOLLOW YOU, THIS LITTLE LIGHT
ENERGISER	Fishers of Men game (background music News Boys) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kU2N9KWGG-o 4 teams – 4 fish nets / 4 buckets/ Red fish / small balls 1 person at a time runs to middle and catches a ball in the net and places it in the team bucket.
CRAFT	 Fish 'kite' - Sartorio Family
BIBLE CLIP	SADDLEBACK KIDS https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EhlwTU9RbxY
WORD	The Word – https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ELy1FvAg9yU inspiring message from Life without Limbs Jesus wants us to follow him. Being a fisher of men means trusting and obeying even though you may not know what will happen. Will you trust him even though you might be afraid? People need to know about God's incredible love for them. They need to know that Jesus is their saviour and they don't have to do life alone. How can you be a fisher of people? Big Idea: When Jesus meets my needs today, I know He will do it again tomorrow. Key Verse: Hebrews 11:1 "Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about what we do not see."
CLOSE	PRAY & back to Connect Groups
10.50 – 11.00am	CONNECT GROUP TIME
DISCUSSION QUESTIONS	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The fishermen had been up all night fishing, this is the time that fish come out and are easier to catch. How many fish did they catch? 2. The fishermen listened to what Jesus was teaching the crowd, how did this help them to trust Him? 3. What happened when they trusted Him? 4. What was Simon Peter's response to Jesus?
FAMILY ACTIVITY	Mealtime: How has God met your needs this week?

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SERIES TITLE	Believe it or Not
SESSION 1	Miracle Maker
BIG IDEA	When I experience what Jesus can do, it helps me face my fears
SHOUT OUT	Jesus is out of this world!
KEY VERSE	Hebrews 11:1 Faith shows the reality of what we hope for; it is the evidence of things we cannot see.
BIBLE STORY	Matthew 14:22-33 Peter walks on water
9.55am	CONNECT GROUP TIME
CONNECT ACTIVITIES	Floating & sinking tray – test objects that will float or sink, paper folding to make a boat that will float Chat – who likes to play in water, what's your favourite thing to do with water, books about water Birthdays & Giving
10.10am	PROGRAM TIME
WELCOME	Adam: Topic, Big Idea, Families, Speaker – Dorothy
WORSHIP	
ENERGISER	Walk on water object lesson - Mel Richards https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ggQB5PU7GCs bowl, water, paper clips, detergent
CRAFT	 Beeston Family - Walking on water
BIBLE CLIP	Saddleback Kids – Peter walks on water https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oVy9HGr3Qig&t=12s
WORD	Notes: Moving outside your comfort zone – tackling fear and worry. thinking about our own limitations, feeling overwhelmed and intimidated by what we face. Jesus can help us face our fears. He has overcome death! Big Idea: When I experience what Jesus can do, it helps me face my fears. Key Verse: Hebrews 11:1 "Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about what we do not see."
CLOSE	PRAY & Return to Connect Groups
10.50 – 11.00am	CONNECT GROUP TIME
DISCUSSION QUESTIONS	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Seeing a person walking on water is not a usual thing to see. What was the disciples response to seeing Jesus walk on water? 2. What fear did Jesus help Peter face? 3. Did Peter's fear go away immediately or was there some lingering fear? 4. How did Jesus help Peter conquer all his fear? 5. Jesus is gentle and kind, He will help us to overcome our fears even if it takes a few tries or a longer time. What fear are you facing that you can ask Jesus to help you with?
FAMILY ACTIVITY	Prayer time – keep track of the prayers God has answered

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SESSION 1	Presence
BIG IDEA	When I know Jesus is close to me, it helps me trust Him with more
SHOUT OUT	Jesus is in my world
KEY VERSE	Hebrews 11:1 Faith shows the reality of what we hope for; it is the evidence of things we cannot see.
BIBLE STORY	John 20:24-31 Doubting Thomas
9.55am	CONNECT GROUP TIME
CONNECT ACTIVITIES	<p>Chat – list all the things you use your eyes for, close your eyes – what can you hear, smell, feel?</p> <p>Hole in the hand trick - https://www.dailymail.co.uk/sciencetech/article-3469414/Mind-bending-illusion-puts-HOLE-hand-Trick-makes-appear-like-body.html (paper to roll up)</p> <p>Tub of coloured rice – find the hidden objects by touch & guess what they are without removing from the tub.</p> <p>Blindfold tag – one child wears a blindfold, all other children must find a spot and sit quietly in that spot, tagger must find others by sound & touch.</p> <p>Birthdays, Giving</p>
10.10am	PROGRAM TIME
WELCOME	Jessi: Topic, Big Idea, Families, Speaker - Adam
WORSHIP	
ENERGISER	<p>Believe It or Not Game – stand up for believe it and sit down for doubt it</p> <p>https://teresaklassen.wordpress.com/2010/04/11/doubting-thomas-ice-breaker-idea/amp/</p>
CRAFT	 <p>Periscope craft Kromkamp Family</p>
BIBLE CLIP	<p>Jesus appears to doubting Thomas</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=A_QcGnwilXI</p>
WORD	<p>Difference between believing in what you have seen and what you hear from others you trust.</p> <p>It's normal to have doubts. What are some things that people commonly doubt? How do we overcome our doubts? Do you have any personal stories about trusting in Jesus.</p> <p>Trust Jesus with the smallest doubt and when He proves he is trustworthy you can trust him with the next doubt and just keep doing that until you have given all your doubts back to Him!</p> <p>Big Idea: When I know Jesus is close to me, it helps me trust him with more. Key Verse: Hebrews 11:1 "Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about what we do not see."</p>
CLOSE	PRAY
10.50 – 11.00am	CONNECT GROUP TIME
DISCUSSION QUESTIONS	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Each person develops a testimony, a hope story of how God has helped them in some way. God uses these first hand stories to encourage and invite others to know Him more. What are some hope stories you have heard? 2. It can be great listening to another person's hope story, it can make you want to share yours or you may ask what your hope story is. You can ask God to help you in a specific way and when He does that becomes your hope story. What is your hope story? What is some way that God has helped you?

FAMILY ACTIVITY	Hole in the hand trick – Discuss what doubts do you have? Pray and ask God to reveal his truth.
LINK TO SOURCE	https://www.dailymail.co.uk/sciencetech/article-3469414/Mind-bending-illusion-puts-HOLE-hand-Trick-makes-appear-like-body.html

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SERIES TITLE	Believe it or Not
SESSION 1	Saviour
BIG IDEA	When I trust Jesus is who He said He is, I am brought back into God's family
SHOUT OUT	Jesus is in me
KEY VERSE	Hebrews 11:1 Faith shows the reality of what we hope for; it is the evidence of things we cannot see.
BIBLE STORY	John 14:1-14 My Father's House has many rooms
	CONNECT GROUP TIME
CONNECT ACTIVITIES	Chat – share about how many people live at your house, what is your favourite room in your house? Origami paper house - https://www.google.com/search?q=origami+house+instructions&rlz=1C1CHBF_enAU872AU872&oq=origami+house&aqs=chrome..69j57j0l3j46j0l3.5511j0j8&sourceid=chrome&ie=UTF-8#kpvalbx=_sYACX5OaOtKc4-EPrOOB8Ak65 Birthdays, Giving
10.10am	PROGRAM TIME
WELCOME	Topic, Big Idea, Families, Speaker
WORSHIP	
ENERGISER	Paper Folding activity - magic-fold-and-cut-cross.html
CRAFT	
BIBLE CLIP	Visual https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wZPWf2jWTmw Audio – own recording
WORD	Notes Have you ever been somewhere incredible that you didn't want to leave? https://vimeo.com/66288274 Disneyland - place that most of us have heard about, long to go to. Life long ambition - worried it would disappoint - better than I expected. Faith is believing in what we haven't seen. God sent Jesus to us. Jesus told us that God has a place for us in heaven. check out the teaching on heaven here; https://www.biblestudytools.com/bible-study/topical-studies/what-is-heaven-like-11636670.html Big Idea: When I trust Jesus is Who He says He is, I I am brought back into God's family Key Verse: Hebrews 11:1 "Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about what we do not see."
CLOSE	PRAY
10.50 – 11.00am	CONNECT GROUP TIME
DISCUSSION QUESTIONS	1. Where is Jesus' Father's house? 2. What did Jesus say he was going to do there? 3. Thomas didn't know where Jesus was going or how to get there but we do; how would you answer Thomas?
FAMILY ACTIVITY	Drive time – ask your children to choose the way home when returning from school or child care. Don't worry if they take you the wrong way! On the way discuss what you love about your home. Share what you think heaven will be like.