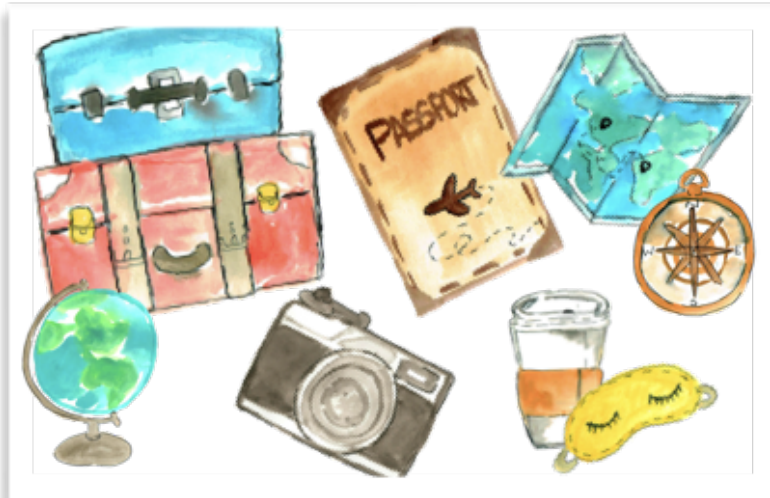


LET'S GO!

LESSON 22: TROUBLE IN JERUSALEM – ACTS 21-26



Along the way...

LEARN GOD'S WORD

I consider my life worth nothing to me; my only aim is to finish the race and complete the task the Lord Jesus has given me.

- ACTS 20:24

TALK TO GOD

Dear God, Thank you that I can be strong and brave because I know you are always with me. AMEN

be joyful... be encouraged... be brave

Share the journey... Parent/Child Activity

Today the kids learned that they don't need to worry. They can be strong and brave knowing that God is with them wherever they go.

During the week remember to encourage your kids to be strong and brave. God will be with them when things are scary. God will be with them when things are hard. God is always with them.

Pray with your kids. Encourage them to be joyful and brave.



I wonder...

Introduction

I wonder why Paul wasn't worried even when his friends warned him it was dangerous for him to go to Jerusalem...

(Let the kids share their thoughts and ideas. Share some of your own, as well)

Where to...

Story

Read TROUBLE IN JERUSALEM from The Complete Illustrated Children's Bible, Harvest House Publishers (page 582). Or tell the story of Paul in Jerusalem from **Acts 21-26**.

Get packed...

Activity

Stand in a circle with the kids. Teach them a very special memory verse. Make up some motions to go with the words.

"Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the LORD your God will be with you wherever you go." – Joshua 1:9

Ask the kids, Is God only with you on Tuesday? (NO) Is God only with you when you're good? (NO) Is God only with you when you go to church? (NO) Is God only with you when the sun is shining? (NO) God is ALWAYS with you!

Let's go!

Application

Paul was not worried about what would happen to him because he knew that God would be with him. God promises to be with you, just like he was with Paul.