

4 & 5 Year Old Lesson Plan

Jesus Was Anointed

Bible Passage: Matthew 26; Mark 14; John 12

Memory Verse: Hebrews 4:15

Big Picture Question: How is Jesus the perfect Priest?

Jesus gave His life as the perfect sacrifice for sin.



First Service

8:15 - 8:45

Check-ins and Playtime

8:45 - 9:15

Large Group

9:15 - 9:25

Small Group | 3 Questions

9:25 - 9:40

Snack with "Lollipops & Lemons"
and Prayer Requests

9:40 - 9:55

Craft

9:55 - end

Playtime until Check-out

Second Service

10:30 - 11:00

Check-ins and Playtime

11:00 - 11:30

Large Group:

11:30 - 11:40

Small Group | 3 Questions

11:40 - 11:55

Snack with "Lollipops & Lemons"
and Prayer Requests

11:55 - 12:10

Craft

12:10 - end

Playtime until Check-out

Check-ins & Playtime

8:15 - 8:45 \\ 10:30 - 11:00

Check-ins | Welcome families and receive kids as they arrive. Remind the parents that their child's safety is our highest priority. For the safety of their child, we must see their Security Label at pick-up, and if their child needs them before the service ends, we will TEXT them.

Free Time | There are games and activity pages that go along with today's lesson available for the kids. Use this time to connect with the kids and help the kids connect with each other.

Large Group

8:45 - 9:15 \\ 11:00 - 11:30

Line up and go to the Worship Room for Large Group. The Large Group Leader and Worship Leader will be teaching the lesson leading worship.



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Volunteers PLEASE remember to

- Sit with your kids. Chairs are available if needed.
- Participate, listen, and engage with the lesson alongside your class
- Support the Large Group and Worship leaders by lovingly correcting your kids if necessary.

Small Group | 3 Questions

9:15 - 9:25 \ 11:30 - 11:40

Line up, go back to your classroom, and sit on the carpet for Small Group.

Gather the kids together and ask these four questions and discuss their answers.

- What did you like about today's story?
- What did we learn about God?
- In the story today, how did Mary worship Jesus?

Snack with “Lollipops & Lemons” and Prayer Requests

9:25 - 9:40 \ 11:40 - 11:55

Snack

- Work together to pass out a cup of Goldfish crackers (Chex are available for those who are gluten and dairy free), a cup of water, and a napkin to each child. Encourage them not to eat until after you have prayed.
- Pray, asking God to bless your time together and that you will all get to know Jesus more. Invite a child to pray for the food.
- Enjoy while...

“Lollipops and Lemons” & Prayer Requests

- While eating, ask your class if anyone had any “Lollipops” (good things that happened) or “Lemons” (bad things that happened) from this last week.
 - Lollipops - immediately thank God!
 - Lemons - immediately ask if someone would like to pray for their friend's “lemon.” Model short, one-sentence prayers.

NOTE: This time gives kids a chance to learn that praying for someone is easy and doesn't have to sound fancy. There's power in their prayers too!

Craft

9:40 - 9:55 \ 11:55 - 12:10

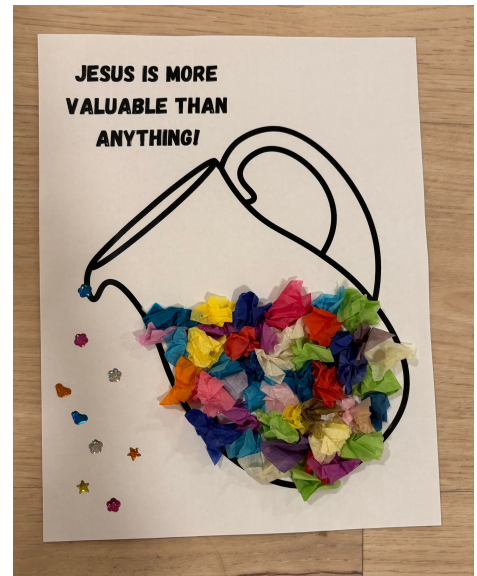
Jesus Anointed Craft

Supplies:

- Jar Template
- White Glue
- Tissue paper squares
- Adhesive jewels

Instructions:

- 1. In our lesson, we learned about when the woman anointed Jesus with an expensive bottle of fragrant oil, showing that Jesus is more valuable than anything else in the whole wide world!**
2. Pass out the Jar template. Set out the white glue and tissue paper squares.
3. Show the kids how to put white glue on their paper and adhere little balls of tissue paper squares to the jar.
4. Pass out the adhesive jewels and have the kids adhere the jewels like dripping oil.



Free Time until Check-out

9:55 - end \ 12:10 - end

Free Time

If time allows, allow the kids to play until their parents arrive.

Check-out

As kids are getting picked up, check each security label. If they lost their label come find the coordinator who will help verify the guardian.

Send each kid home with an Activity Page. Show the parent that there are activities they can do during the week to help disciple their kids at home.

**Thank you
4 & 5 year old
volunteers!**