Small Group Leader Guide



Ages 2-3
A Happy
Sunday:
Jesus Is King

Question

Who is Jesus?

Answer

Jesus is my King.

Bible Verse

Matthew 19:14 NLT ... Jesus said, "Let the children come to me. ..."

What To Do First

Review

- 1. **Introduce** yourself.
- 2. **Say** the **Question**, **Answer**, and **Verse** together.

Read

- 1. **Lay** Story Cards in order.
- 2. **Point** to the first card.
- 3. **Read** the caption.
- 4. **Say** the **Say With Me** statement together.
- 5. Do Action together.
- 6. **Repeat** steps 2-5 for Story Cards 2-3.

Remember Now What?

- 1. **Show** Story Card 1.
- 2. **Read** the caption.
- 3. **Ask**, "Now what's going to happen in the next picture?" *Kids answer*.
- 4. **Repeat** steps 1-3 for Story Cards 2-3.

Say With Me & Actions

Say With Me

Jesus died.

Action

It was sad when Jesus died. Make a sad face.

Story Card

Story

Card

Say With Me

Jesus is alive!

Action

Clap and cheer to celebrate!

Story Card

3

Tell people about Jesus.

Say With Me

Whisper, "Jesus loves you," into a friend's ear.

Action

How To Wrap Up

Talk

What kind of crown would you wear if you were a king or a queen?

Pray

Ask kids what they want to talk to God about, and pray with them.

Check Out Time

Begin When Parents Arrive

- 1. **Combine** your Small Groups if you need to free up a leader.
- 2. One leader **stands** at the door to **greet** parents and **run** check out.
- 3. When a kid leaves, **tell** the parents something positive about their kid.
- 4. **Encourage** parents to take a picture of the Parent Convo card.
- 5. **Keep kids busy in small groups:** Do Story Card activities, let kids share what's on their mind, or pray together to build closer relationships.

