

Joseph (Old)

Trigger

When I'll Be 20

Material

- Sheet of paper "When I'll be 20 "(attachment when I'll be 20)
- Coloured pencils
- Pencils



Steps

1. Tell the children that God always has a plan for us, even if we don't always know it in advance. God also wants us to make plans and have dreams.
2. Discuss with the children what they would like to be and do later.
3. Give them 1 sheet, "When I'm 20", and have them fill it out.

Key Verse

Romans 8:28

Multimedia & Clips

Images

freebibleimages.org

Clip-YouTube

1. God's Story: Joseph
2. Joseph in Egypt (Genesis 39-41)
3. Joseph and coat of many colors Greatest Heroes and Legends of the Bible

Object Lesson

Forgiveness

Material

- Pitcher or glass of water
- Effervescent tablets like Alka Seltzer



Steps

1. Encourage children to think of someone they should forgive.
2. Talk about how we feel when we are hurt and angry. It hurts us, but we can ask God to help us give up those feelings.
3. Put the tablets in the water and ask the children to imagine asking God to help them forgive. As the bubbles begin to detach from the tablets, imagine that you give the hurt feelings to God. The tablets take a while to dissolve, which also illustrates that sometimes it takes time to forgive. The water may also have changed colour, which illustrates that it is not as if the thing that hurt you had never happened, it was just changed by God.
4. Remind the children that Joseph chose to forgive his brothers. Despite the harm they had done to him, Joseph was able to see the fulfillment of his dream.

Songs

www.youtube.com

- I'm Trusting You
- Never Let Go Of Me

The Heart Of The Father

& Prayer

Joseph was a great dreamer. What can we learn from him? So many things... Joseph had great faith in God and he knew that if God showed him something, it would happen. He had learned to recognize when God spoke to him. In his case, it was often through dreams. Not only did God give him dreams for his own life, but also he gave him the wisdom to interpret the dreams of others and thus reveal to them what God wanted to tell them.

Do you know how to recognize the voice of God? Do you know when God wants to talk to you? God the Father wants to talk to us, but the problem is that too often we do not pay attention to his voice. We don't know how to recognize it. God the Father speaks to us in many ways: sometimes it is only an impression in your heart, sometimes it is by reading the Bible, sometimes it is through your dreams or a vision,



sometimes it is through the words of others. He talks to us in different ways. Since he created us, he knows how to talk to us. As a father knows how to talk to his children, God the Father knows how to talk to you.

Discussion

Have you ever heard God the Father speak to you?

Give the children time to share their experiences and share your own experiences with them.

Prayer

“Father, help me hear your voice, help me recognize it, I want to develop my relationship with you and get closer to you. I want to talk to you and I want to hear your voice. Amen.”

Craft

Joseph’s Coat

Material

- Joseph template (attachment)
- Coloured pencils

Steps

1. Print out the number of drawings needed for your class.
2. Let the children colour the drawing.



Activity

Joseph’s Coat

Material

- Wheels of electric tape (yellow, blue, green, red) for each team (2 to 4 teams of 4 children)



Steps

1. Divide the children into teams of 4 people.
2. Each team has 3 dressmakers and 1 Joseph.
3. Give the electric tape wheels of all colours to each team.
4. At your signal, each team has 2 minutes to make the most beautiful coat to its Joseph.
5. After 2 minutes, the winning team receives the loudest applause.

Physical Activity

Who Has It Joseph?

Version of “Who has it Marie-Stella?”



Material

- 1 small soft object (to refer to the cup that Joseph had hidden in his brother’s bag)

Steps

1. Separate the room in 2: one side is the soup and the other side is the birthright.
2. Let the children choose which side they wish to be on.
3. Once the children have chosen their side, the host throws a coin and shouts soup or birthright (if it’s a coin toss). If it’s soup, all players on the side of birthright will sit down and are eliminated. Those who were on the soup side continue the game and again choose which side they wish to be on (soup or birthright).
4. The host throws the coin again...
5. The game continues until all the children are eliminated or until there are the number of children left that you have determined at the beginning: 3 last are the winners or the last 5 are the winners.

Snack

The Multicoloured Coat

Material

- Graham Crackers type cookies (for body and coat sleeves)
- Icing
- Rainbow mini-belts or multicoloured jelly candies (jelly beans)
- Small plates
- Plastic knives



Steps

1. Give the children cookies
2. Ask them to cut them and place them to create a coat and sleeves.
3. Then ask them to put the icing on the cookies and add the multicoloured candy.
4. It’s Joseph’s coat.