

## FRIENDS HEROES **Church Bible Curriculum**



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Week	<b>Lesson and Episode</b>	Bible Story and Reference	<b>Learning Objectives</b>	Series 1 (Episodes 1-13, Weeks 1-26)
1	Lesson 1.1 Episode 1, part 1	Daniel and the Lions¹ Den Daniel 6:1-24a	To deepen the children's understanding of Daniel's courage and faithfulness, and God's loyalty to true believers.	
2	Lesson 1.2 Episode 1, part 2	The Miraculous Catch of Fish Luke 5:5-11	To explore Jesus's call to individuals, the choices we face, and the extraordinary things that ordinary people can do with God's help.	
3	Lesson 2.1 Episode 2, part 1	Samson and Delilah Judges 16:4-30	To deepen the children's understanding of human weakness and the need for God's help.	
4	Lesson 2.2 Episode 2, part 2	Peter's friendship with Cornelius Acts 10:9-28	To explore the idea of being open to others a	nd accepting them for who they are.
5	Lesson 3.1 Episode 3, part 1	David the Musician and King Saul, David and Goliath 1 Samuel 17:1-51, 16:14-23	To help children understand that God gives us individual talents and gifts.	
6	Lesson 3.2 Episode 3, part 2	God releases Peter from Prison Acts 12:1-17	To explore the idea of overcoming difficulties and trusting in God's help.	
7	Lesson 4.1 Episode 4, part 1	Rahab and the Spies Joshua 2:1-24; 6:22-25	To help the children to understand the importance of helping others who are in need	
8	Lesson 4.2 Episode 4, part 2	Peter heals Aeneas and Raises Tabitha Acts 9:32-42	To explore our hope in God, his love for each one of us and his extraordinary power.	
9	Lesson 5.1 Episode 5, part 1	Gideon and the Midianites Judges 6:1-16; 7:1-22	To explore the fact that ordinary people can do extraordinary things if they follow God's calling.	
10	Lesson 5.2 Episode 5, part 2	Jesus <sup>1</sup> Birth and the Revelation to the Shepherds Luke 2:1-38	To reinforce the fact that Jesus was born in the humblest of circumstances and to deepen the children's understanding that God's message brought to us by Jesus should bring light and hope to everyone.	
11	Lesson 6.1 Episode 6, part 1	Moses and the Egyptian Slavemaster Exodus 2:1-15	To teach children the importance of standing up for what is right.	
12	Lesson 6.2 Episode 6, part 2	Saul on the Road to Damascus Acts 9:1-18	To equip children in choosing the right path in life.	
13	Lesson 7.1 Episode 7, part 1	Ruth and Naomi Ruth 1:1-22; 2:1-16	To explore the idea of being prepared to accept people, even if they are different from the way you are.	

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14	Lesson 7.2 Episode 7, part 2	The Parable of the Good Samaritan Luke 10:30-37	To explore the meaning of being a true friend.	
15	Lesson 8.1 Episode 8, part 1	Peter and John Heal a Lame Man Acts 3:1-16; 4:1-22; 5:17-42	To explore the idea of understanding God's will and having the courage to carry it out	
16	Lesson 8.2 Episode 8, part 2	Shadrach and the Furnace Daniel 3:1-27	To strengthen children's understanding of doing the right thing (God's will). To look at the idea of idols.	
17	Lesson 9.1 Episode 9, part 1	Esther the Queen Esther chapters 2-7 (not all suitable!)	To explore the theme of being brave and standing up for the things you believe in.	
18	Lesson 9.2 Episode 9, part 2	Joseph of Cyprus (Barnabas) Acts 4:32-37	To teach children the importance of be	ing generous.
19	Lesson 10.1 Episode 10, part 1	Joseph and his Brothers Genesis 37:1-4, 18-36; 41:41- 57; chapters 42-44; 45:1-15	To explore the theme of forgiveness.	
20	Lesson 10.2 Episode 10, part 2	Philip and Simon the Sorcerer Acts 8:4-23	To teach children the importance of true values.	
21	Lesson 11.1 Episode 11, part 1	Moses and the Exodus Exodus chapter 3; 4:1-12; chapter 5; 7:14-25; chapters 8-14	To explore the theme of overcoming fear by trusting in God.	
22	Lesson 11.2 Episode 11, part 2	The Last Supper Matthew 26:17-30	To consider the theme of moving on an	d leaving things behind.
23	Lesson 12.1 Episode 12, part 1	Jonah and the Big Fish Jonah chapters 1-2; 3:1-6	To consider the theme of obedience to God.	
24	Lesson 12.2 Episode 12, part 2	The Parable of the Prodigal Son Luke 15:11-32	To teach children the importance of making good choices.	
25	Lesson 13.1 Episode 13, part 1	Elijah and the Prophets of Baal 1 Kings 17:1; 18:1,5- 8,16-39; 19:1-16	To explore the theme of steadfastness.	
26	Lesson 13.2 Episode 13, part 2	The First Pentecost Acts 2:1-21	To equip children understand the truth that God inspires and transforms lives.	

Week	Lesson and Episode	Bible Story and Reference	Learning Objectives	Series 2 (Episodes 14-26, Lessons 27-51)
27	Lesson 14.1 Episode 14, part 1	Jesus in the Temple as a boy Luke 2:41-52	To reveal the specialness of Jesus, the Son of God.	
28	Lesson 14.2 Episode 14, part 2	King David captures Jerusalem 2 Samuel 5:1-9; 1 Chronicles 11:1-9	To teach children the importance of overcoming obstacles.	
29	Lesson 15.1 Episode 15, part 1	Paul escapes in a basket 2 Corinthians 11:32-33	To explore the theme of learning to trust.	
30	Lesson 15.2 Episode 15, part 2	Jacob and Esau Genesis chapters 25; 27; 32; 33	To help children understand the importance of learning trust.	
31	Lesson 16.1 Episode 16, part 1	Elijah, Ahab and Naboth's vineyard 1 Kings chapter 21	To explore the concept of justice.	
32	Lesson 16.2 Episode 16, part 2	Paul and the Shipwreck Acts chapter 27; 2 Corinthians 11:25ff	To equip children understand the concept of grace.	
33	Lesson 17.1 Episode 17, part 1	Paul and Barnabas Acts 14:8-20	To teach children the importance of humility.	
34	Lesson 17.2 Episode 17, part 2	Michal's rescue of David from King Saul 1 Samuel 18:6-11; 19:9-18	To teach children the meaning of steadfastness.	
35	Lesson 18.1 Episode 18, part 1	Paul and Elymas Acts 13:4-12	To teach children the priority of protecting what is good.	
36	Lesson 18.2 Episode 18, part 2	Moses and the miracle water Exodus 15:22-25; 16:1-3, 11-15; 17:1-6	To help children grasp the promise of God provision.	
37	Lesson 19.1 Episode 19, part 1	David spares Saul's life 1 Samuel chapter 26	To teach children the importance of mercy.	
38	Lesson 19.2 Episode 19, part 2	Paul, Silas and the earthquake Acts 16:16-36	To explore the theme of doing right.	
39	Lesson 20.1 Episode 20, part 1	Elisha and Naaman 2 Kings 5:1-17	To equip children understand the concept of sacrifice.	

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40	Lesson 20.2 Episode 20, part 2	Jesus cures a sick woman Mark 5:21, 25-34	To explore the theme of healing.	
41	Lesson 21.1 Episode 21, part 1	Herod and the Wise Men Matt 2:1-18	To teach children the importance of listening to God.	
42	Lesson 21.2 Episode 21, part 2	The Boy Samuel and Eli 1 Samuel 1:1-28; 3:1-19	To teach children the importance of God's provision.	
43	Lesson 22.1 Episode 22, part 1	Jesus feeds the five thousand Mark 6:30-44	To explore the theme of God's provision.	
44	Lesson 22.2 Episode 22, part 2	Elisha and the woman with olive oil 2 Kings 4:1-7, 42-44	To equip children understand the meaning of generosity.	
45	Lesson 23.1 Episode 23, part 1	Jethro the Midianite welcomes Moses the stranger Exodus 2:11-23	To teach children the importance of helping each other.	
46	Lesson 23.2 Episode 23, part 2	Paul escapes from the mob Acts 17:1-10a	To help children understand God's help in overcoming difficulties.	
47	Lesson 24.1 Episode 24, part 1	Solomon's wisdom with a baby 1 Kings 3:16-28	To equip children in learning the meaning of being wise.	
48	Lesson 24.2 Episode 24, part 2	Paul appeals to Caesar Acts 24:27 - 25:12	To teach children the importance of finding a different way.	
49	Lesson 25 Episode 25, whole episode	Paul's disappearance Acts 28:15-24, 30-31 Moses, the desert trek and manna from heaven Exodus 16:11-26	To explore the themes of being brave and God's protection and provision.	
50	Lesson 26.1 Episode 26, part 1	Noah and the Ark Genesis chapters 6-8; 9:12-17	To equip children understand the concept of hope.	
51	Lesson 26.2 Episode 26, part 2	Paul speaks to Agrippa Acts 25:13-27 to 26:1, 26:9-29	To help children learn the importance of trust in God.	

Week	Lesson and Episode	Bible Story and Reference	Learning Objectives	Series 3 (Episodes 27-39, Weeks 52-77)
<b>52</b>	Lesson 27.1 Episode 27, part 1	Amos speaks out Amos 7:10-17	To teach children the importance of having the courage to speak out against injustice and unfairness.	
53	Lesson 27.2 Episode 27, part 2	John the Baptist Luke 3:1-16, 21-22	To equip children in finding the courage to choose the right way.	
54	Lesson 28.1 Episode 28, part 1	David and three Soldiers 2 Samuel 23:13-17	To teach children the importance of standi	ing firm for what is right.
55	Lesson 28.2 Episode 28, part 2	Jesus Speaks in Nazareth Luke 4:14-24, 28-30	To explore the theme of standing firm in a	complicated world.
56	Lesson 29.1 Episode 29, part 1	Jesus calms the storm Mark 4:35-41	To teach children the importance of trusting	ng in Jesus.
57	Lesson 29.2 Episode 29, part 2	David and Jonathan 1 Samuel 18:5-9; chapter 20	To explore the importance of trusting frien	nds.
58	Lesson 30.1 Episode 30, part 1	David and Mephibosheth 2 Samuel 4:4; 5:1-3; chapter 9	To help children learn the priority of helping others.	
59	Lesson 30.2 Episode 30, part 2	The Parable of the Sower Matthew 13:1-9 The House built on Rock Matthew 7:24-29	To teach children the importance of growing in faith.	
60	Lesson 31.1 Episode 31, part 1	Abraham and three strangers Genesis 18:1-15; 21:1-7	To equip children understand the concept being welcoming.	
61	Lesson 31.2 Episode 31, part 2	Jesus and Zacchaeus the tax collector Luke 19:1-10	To explore the theme of God's welcome to everyone.	
62	Lesson 32.1 Episode 32, part 1	Joseph and Pharaoh's Dreams Genesis 40:1-8; 41:1-44	To teach children the importance of trusting in the one eternal God.	
63	Lesson 32.2 Episode 32, part 2	Jesus raises Jairus's daughter Luke 8:40-56	To explore the theme of trusting in our constant, dependable God.	
64	Lesson 33.1 Episode 33, part 1	Jesus heals Blind Bartimaeus Mark 10:46-52	To equip children in having faith in God, who knows all about our current needs.	
65	Lesson 33.2 Episode 33, part 2	Samuel anoints Saul 1 Samuel chapter 9; 10:1-16	To explore the theme of having faith in God for our future.	
66	Lesson 34.1 Episode 34, part 1	Elijah and the poor widow 1 Kings 17:1-16	To equip children understand the truth of God's care for us all.	

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67	Lesson 34.2 Episode 34, part 2	The Parable of the Lost Sheep Matthew 18:10-14	To explore the theme of God'	's care for us individually.
68	Lesson 35.1 Episode 35, part 1	Jesus rides into Jerusalem Mark 11:1-11 Jesus and the Moneylenders Mark 11:15-17	To teach children the importance of doing the right thing, as an individual.	
69	Lesson 35.2 Episode 35, part 2	Jesus heals a paralyzed Man Mark 2:1-12	To explore the meaning of doing the right thing together.	
70	Lesson 36.1 Episode 36, part 1	The Parable of the Tenants in the Vineyard Mark 12:1-9	To explore the theme of seeing things differently.	
71	Lesson 36.2 Episode 36, part 2	Jesus and the Widow's Offering Mark 12:41-44 Jesus and the Roman tax Mark 12:13-17	To equip children to understand the concept trying to see things God's way.	
72	Lesson 37.1 Episode 37, part 1	Jesus washes the Disciples' feet John 13:2-15 Jesus and the Lepers Luke 17:11-19	To teach children the meaning of humility and serving others.	
73	Lesson 37.2 Episode 37, part 2	The Last Supper and Jesus' Arrest Mark 14:17-19, 29-46, 53, 66-72	To explore the theme of humility and strength of character.	
74	Lesson 38.1 Episode 38, part 1	Jesus before Pilate Mark 15:1-15 Jesus carries his cross Mark 15:16-23	To equip children to be prepared to make sacrifices for what they believe in.	
<b>75</b>	Lesson 38.2 Episode 38, part 2	The Crucifixion Mark 15:24-37	To equip children understand the meaning of Christ's sacrifice on the cross.	
<b>76</b>	Lesson 39.1 Episode 39, part 1	Jesus seen on the road Luke 24:13-43	To teach children the importance of choosing Jesus as your personal savior.	
77	Lesson 39.2 Episode 39, part 2	Jesus and the Rich Young Man Mark 10:17-23 Moses and the Ten Commandments Exodus 20:1-17	To explore the theme of choosing God's way.	