

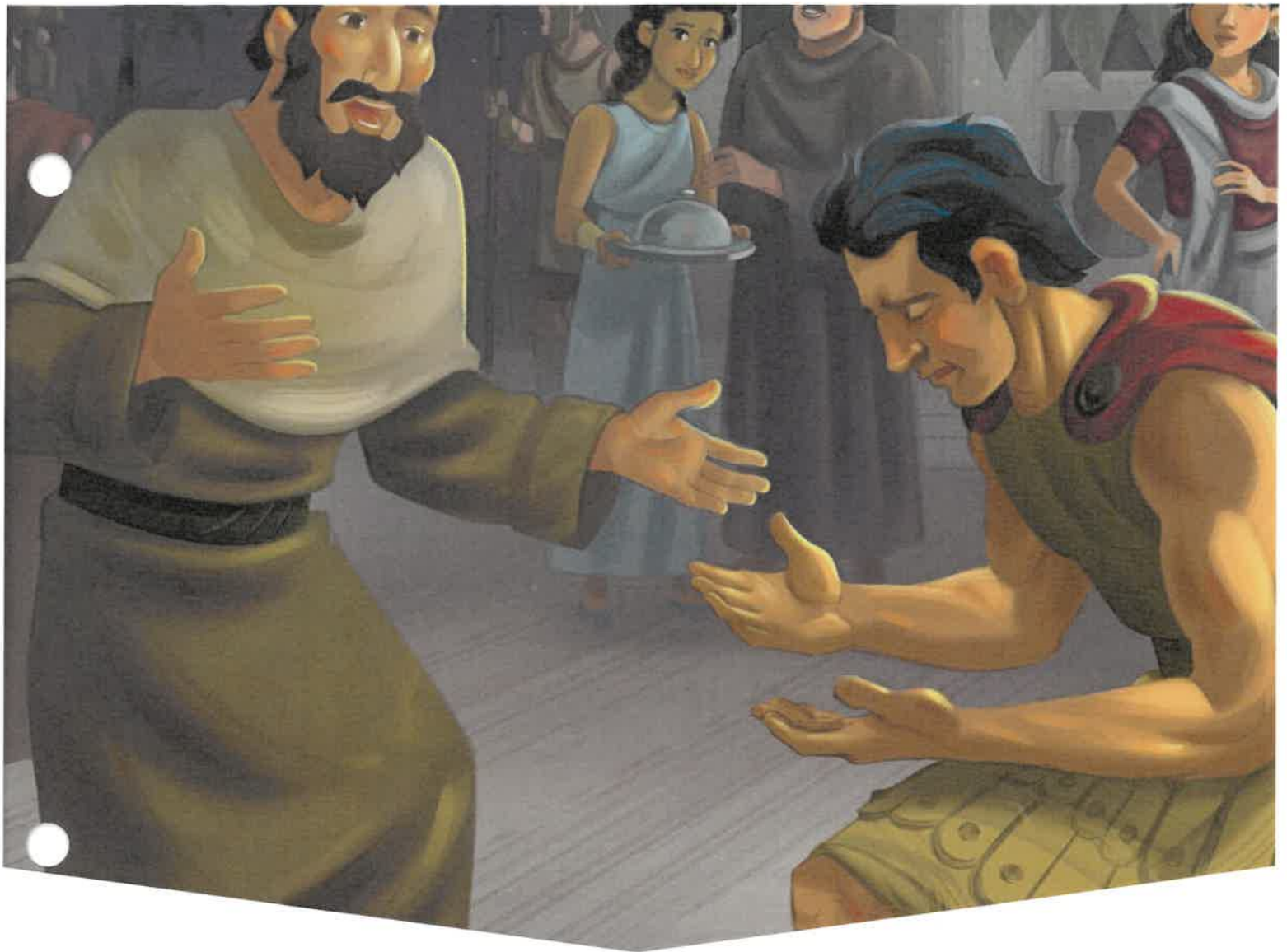
Aug. 3

Large Group Leader:

Time	Slide	What to Do	Materials
10 minutes	1	Set up Computer with songs on Youtube, google slides powerpoint for today	
3 minutes	2	Start timer. Invite classes to join	Timer video
2 minutes	3	Welcome kids Collect the offering: For the Philippines, to buy a sink.	Offering bag
	4	Birthdays: Sing Happy birthday to Noah Arends (6)	
2 minutes	5-7	<p>Call to Worship:</p> <p>leader: Good morning, everyone! Let's get ready to worship God together! Today, we remember the words of Psalm 8, which says:</p> <p>"Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!"</p> <p>Kids: Wow! God's name is amazing!</p> <p>Leader: God made the stars, the moon, and the skies. He also made you and me!</p> <p>Kids: God made everything big and small!</p> <p>Leader: Even though God is so big and powerful, He still cares about us so much.</p> <p>Kids: Thank you, God, for loving us!</p> <p>Leader: Let's lift our voices and worship our awesome God—</p>	Bible

		the one who made us and loves us forever!	
	8	New Song: Video 10,000 reasons Focus on second verse	
	8	New Memory Verse: Galatians 5:22-23 But the Fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law.	
	9	Song: The Fruit of the Spirit	
		Choose to do another song here using youtube if you want	
	10	Tell the story (see notes from story if you wish to tell it from here)	
3 minutes	11	Watch the video of the story	powerpoint
		Ask a few questions: see "Review the Bible Story" page 72 1. What did Peter see in his vision? 2. What did Peter's vision mean? 3. How did Cornelius and his household show that they trusted Jesus?	
	12	Watch the video "Questions from Kids"	
2 minutes	13	Pray with the kids Thank you Lord that your plan for salvation includes all people, both Jews and non-Jews. Please help us to share the truth of your gospel with others. In Jesus' name, amen.	
	14	Talk about the BINGO page "Where's the Word?" Encourage kids to continue to read the Bible at home and bring their paper back in when they get	

		Bingo!	
1 minute	18	Do the blessing with them: May the Lord Bless You and Keep you. May he make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you. May the Lord show you His favour and give you peace."	



UNIT 32 | SESSION 2

PETER LEARNED THAT JESUS IS FOR ALL

ACTS 10

KEY PASSAGE:

1 Corinthians 12:12

BIG PICTURE QUESTION:

What is the church? The church is all Christians everywhere, who gather together in their communities to worship and serve God.

CHRIST CONNECTION:

God showed Peter that just as there is no “clean” and “unclean” food in Christ, there are no “clean” and “unclean” people. God calls believers to tell everyone the good news about Jesus, no matter who they are or where they come from. Jesus is the Lord of all.



THE STORY OF THE GOSPEL

LEARN the Bible Story

1 TELL THE BIBLE STORY: VIDEO OR STORYTELLER (10 minutes)

Open your Bible to Acts 10. Use the Bible storytelling tips to help you tell the story, or show the Bible story video “Peter Learned That Jesus Is for All.” Use the bold text to retell or review the story.

PETER LEARNED THAT JESUS IS FOR ALL

“Cornelius was an officer in the Roman army who lived in Caesarea (sess uh REE uh). He and everyone in his house worshiped God. Cornelius helped other people, and he always prayed to God. One afternoon, Cornelius saw an angel of God in a vision which frightened him.

The angel said to him, “God has heard your prayers, and He has seen how you help others.” Then the angel told Cornelius to send for a man named Peter, who was in the city of Joppa. So Cornelius sent two of his servants and one soldier to Joppa.

The next day, as the servants and the soldier were nearing the city, Peter went up on the roof of the house to pray. Peter saw a vision of something like a large sheet coming down from heaven. In the sheet were all kinds of animals, reptiles, and birds. A voice said to him, “Get up, Peter; kill and eat!”

“No, Lord!” Peter said. “I have never eaten anything that is unclean or used for sacrifices.”

Again, a voice said to him, “God has made these clean. Do not call them unclean.” This happened three times, and then the whole thing was taken up into heaven. Peter tried to understand what the vision meant.

Then Cornelius’ men arrived at the gate. They explained that Cornelius had seen a vision, and an angel instructed him to send for Peter. So the next day, Peter went with the men to Caesarea.

When Peter got to Cornelius’ house, he explained to Cornelius that God does not consider some people to be better than others. God had sent good news to the Israelites: Jesus is Lord of all. After Jesus was killed, God raised Him from the dead on the third day, and Jesus appeared to many people. Jesus told His followers to tell others about Him. Peter said, “Everyone who believes in Jesus will have their sins forgiven.”

As Peter said this, the Holy Spirit came down on those who heard the message—not just the Jews, but the Gentiles, or non-Jews, too. The Jewish believers were amazed.

Cornelius, his friends, and his relatives were baptized in the name of Jesus, and Peter stayed with them for a few days.

Christ Connection: God showed Peter that just as there is no “clean” and “unclean”

STORYTELLING TIPS

Provide a visual: Lay out a bedsheet with toy animals on it while telling the story.

Act it out: Perform the actions of Peter as you tell the story.



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food in Christ, there are no “clean” and “unclean” people. God calls believers to tell everyone the good news about Jesus, no matter who they are or where they come from. Jesus is the Lord of all. ”

2 REVIEW THE BIBLE STORY

SAY God wants all people to know Him. Even though Cornelius was not Jewish—he was a Gentile—God wanted Cornelius to know Him and trust in Jesus. God gave Peter a vision to help him understand an important truth. What did Peter see in his vision? **[Allow responses.]** Peter saw a large sheet coming down from heaven, lowered by its four corners and filled with all kinds of animals. God commanded Peter to kill and eat the animals, but Peter refused. Then God told Peter how He has made all animals clean.

What did Peter's vision mean? **[Allow responses.]** Peter understood that salvation in Jesus is offered to all people, everywhere—not just to one group of people. Even though Cornelius was not Jewish, Jesus had come to save him too. Jesus is Lord of all—anyone can trust in Jesus and be saved from their sin. This is good news for all people!

The Holy Spirit came down on all who heard the gospel and believed in Cornelius' household. They began speaking in other languages and proclaiming God's greatness, just like the apostles did when the Holy Spirit first came on them. How did Cornelius and his household show they had trusted in Jesus? **[Allow responses.]** Cornelius and his household were baptized.

It doesn't matter where anyone is from, what language they speak, what they look like, or what their family is like. Jesus came to offer salvation to all people. All people need to hear the good news so they have an opportunity to trust in Jesus and be saved from their sins. ”

3 CHRIST CONNECTION

SAY God showed Peter that just as there is no “clean” and “unclean” food in Christ, there are no “clean” and “unclean” people. God calls believers to tell everyone the good news about Jesus, no matter who they are or where they come from. Jesus is the Lord of all. ”

(Tip: Use Scripture and the Gospel Plan Poster to explain how to become a Christian. Make sure kids know when and where they can ask questions.)

4 QUESTIONS FROM KIDS (3 minutes)

Show the “Unit 32, Session 2” questions from kids video. Prompt kids to discuss:

1. Why were some foods in the Bible called “unclean”?
2. How can you pray for all people to know and believe in Jesus?

5 MISSIONS MOMENT (3 minutes)

SAY In September 2022, a new church called Gospel City Church launched in Boynton Beach, Florida. The church meets in a movie theater. The first regular worship service included 77 people, and now the church averages over 100 people. ”



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Play the missions video. Tell kids that missions is important to Gospel City Church. Share how they encourage kids to take part in missions: Kids might write notes of encouragement to widows or make crafts for those who are sick. They also collected shoe boxes filled with gifts for kids in other parts of the world. Remind kids that Jesus is Lord of all and wants all people, no matter where they're from, to trust in Him. Pray that as the church continues to share the gospel, many people will come to hear and trust in Jesus as their Savior.

6 KEY PASSAGE ACTIVITY (5 minutes)

Before the session, write one or two words of the key passage on sticky notes. Create enough sticky notes for each kid. Show the key passage poster. Lead kids in reading aloud 1 Corinthians 12:12 together.

SAY 🗣️ Jesus loves all people and His church is made of all different people. Everyone has an important job to serve others and honor God. 🙏

Invite a kid to select a sticky note with a word or two of the key passage. Lead him to place his sticky note on the correct spot on the key passage poster. Continue inviting kids to choose a sticky note and place it on the key passage poster.

Lead kids to sing "Many Parts (1 Corinthians 12:12)." You may also choose to sing a worship song of your choice.

7 PRAY (2 minutes)

Invite kids to pray before transitioning to Love.

SAY 🗣️ Thank You, Lord, that Your plan for salvation includes all people, both Jews and non-Jews. Please help us share the truth of your gospel with others. In Jesus' name, amen. 🙏

Transition from **LEARN** to **LOVE**

