

Jesus shows us how to trust Him.

Theme- We trust in Jesus, there is nothing he cannot do.

Games

Trust walk Get the children into pairs. One person becomes the “leader”. An amount of time is specified for how long the walk should take. The “leader” takes the “followers hand (who should be blindfolded), and they go for a walk. Halfway through they switch roles. Place some objects such as chairs etc in the room so that the follower has to trust the “leader” completely.

Red Light – Green Light The player serving as the “traffic light” stands at one end of the room. All the others stand at the other end. Play begins when the “traffic light” turns his back to the others and says, “Green light.” This is the signal for the others to advance toward the light. At any moment, however, the “traffic light” may turn around and say, “Red Light!” Everyone freezes as quickly as possible, because anyone the light sees in motion must return to the starting place. The light alternates red and green until someone succeeds in touching them without being seen and then they become the light.

Number race Sit in a circle and number children 1,2,3,4,5. Place an object in the centre. Call a number; everyone with that number gets up, runs round the circle, through their gap and tries to pick up the object in the middle. The person who gets the object first calls the next number.

Memory verse *“Trust in the lord with all your heart; never rely on what you think you know”. Proverbs 3 verse 5.* Have a box with a lid and put some jelly or something gooey in a bowl which is hidden inside the box. Ask the children if anyone trusts you. Pick a volunteer to come up and put their hand in the box. Get them to describe what they are feeling and how they are feeling.

Introduction Discuss how the children felt having to trust the people around them.

Story The story is “The Centurion’s Servant” which is in Luke 7 verse 1-10.

Application Give out the fun sheets, and ask them to look at the bottom, ‘Friends to pray for’:-Ask them to write down some friends or family who are ill, and say that God doesn’t need to visit them to make them better. Explain that God will hear our prayers and He will answer them and all we have to do is trust Him.

Prayer There is a prayer card for the children to fill in. After they have completed the cards get the children to put them in a box and pray that God will answer their prayers.

Resources There is a funsheet in the resources section

Song My God is so big, so strong and so mighty.

Luke 7:1-10

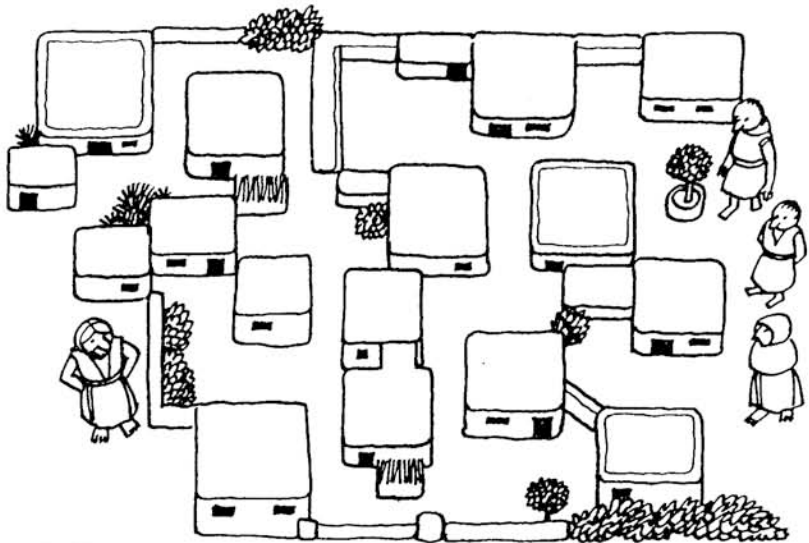


Help the centurion's friends find Jesus

Try and find these words in the puzzle

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- AMAZED
- CENTURION
- FAITH
- FRIENDS
- HEAL
- HOUSE
- JESUS
- ROOF
- SERVANT
- WORD
- WORTHY



"Trust in the Lord
with all your heart;
never rely on what
you think you know"
Proverbs 3 verse 5



Friends to pray for:-

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

Dear God
Please would you look after _____
 Amen. 

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 Amen. 

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