

Need to Know:

Be Kind (pat heart)

Bible Story:

Joseph Was Kind in Prison Genesis 39:20-41:14

Materials per Group:

- Pocket Die
 - o Traveling
 Pictures (in each
 pocket)
- Bible Story Cards
- Colored Sample
 Plate
- Crayons
 - o Red
 - o Green
- (h) Leader Card
- Hand Sanitizer
- Remember Verse Card

Materials per Child:

- Small Paper Plates(1)
- Snacks (1)
- Coloring Sheets (1)
- Extra ColoringSheets (1)

Get Their Attention! (4 minutes)

Materials: Pocket Die (with Traveling Pictures in each pocket)

WELCOME kids and **INTRODUCE** yourself to the group as their leader. Then **EXPLAIN** that we are all going to pretend to travel in time here in Dr. Tock's Clock Workshop.

ROLL the Pocket Die to each child. Have the child SAY his/her name aloud and SHOW the Traveling Picture that is on the TOP of the pocket die to the group.

READ aloud the question on the **Traveling Picture**, and have the child **RESPOND**.

After all kids have been introduced, SAY:

- **Thank you for BEING KIND to others in our group by SHARING and LISTENING!**
- Today we are going to learn how God helped Joseph (pronounced: Joe-sehf) BE KIND to others, too!

What The Bible Says (5 minutes)

Materials: Bible Story Cards

SHOW and READ the Bible Story Cards.

Make It Matter (6 minutes)

Materials: Colored Sample Plate, Small Paper Plates, Crayons (Red, Green), Leader Card

- 1. **EXPLAIN** that we're going to make something with paper plates to help us learn how to GO (show GREEN side of Sample Plate) and BE KIND (pat heart) to others.
- 2. GIVE each child ONE Small Paper Plate.
- Allow kids to COLOR one side of the plate RED and the other side of the plate GREEN.
- 4. **READ** aloud each statement/question from the Leader Card and have kids **HOLD UP** the correct side of their **plate** (red or green).
- 5. Then SAY:

God wants us to BE KIND to others, even when it is hard to do.

If you can BE KIND, let me hear you say this after me: (have kids repeat after you)

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Remember Verse:

"Love (hug self)

Being kind (pat heart)

To others." (point to others)

Micah 6:8 (hands open, like a book)

Wrap It Up (5 minutes)

Materials: Hand Sanitizer, Snacks, Remember Verse Card, Crayons, Coloring Sheets

PRAY with your group, having them repeat after you in short phrases.

SANITIZE hands with hand sanitizer and PASS OUT snacks.

EXPLAIN and PRACTICE the series Remember Verse using the Remember Verse Card.

As kids are eating, allow them to COLOR their Coloring Sheets and discuss what they learned today.

Have Extra Time?

Materials: Pocket Die, Colored Sample Plate, Crayons, Extra Coloring Sheets

DO any of the following activities to keep kids engaged for the remainder of small group.

- (b) Pocket Die: PLAY the "Get Their Attention" Game again.
 - Option: Have kids tell you what they would take with them if they were traveling to the Traveling Picture shown
- Play STOP and GO: Lead kids in playing a game similar to "Red Light, Green Light". USE the Colored Sample Plate to SHOW kids when to stop and go.
 - Option: Have kids STOP when you say an action or statement that is NOT a way to BE KIND. When you say an action/statement that IS a way to BE KIND, allow them to GO and dance/shake/get wiggles out.
- Bryme Time: TEACH kids the following rhyme to help them remember different ways they can BE KIND. SAY each line and have kids REPEAT after you.

(Like "One, Two, Buckle My Shoe")

One, two. I'll smile at you! (Buckle my shoe)

Three, four. I'll sweep the floor. (Shut the door)

Five, six. I'll share my sticks. (Pick up sticks)

Seven, eight. I'll clean my plate. (Lay them straight)

Nine, ten. I'll BE KIND again! (Let's do it again!)

- Extra Coloring Sheet: Allow kids to COLOR the Extra Coloring Sheets, as time and attention spans allow.
- Get To Know Your Group: ASK any of the following to get to know your group.
 - o Have you ever been on a trip?
 - If so, where did you go? And what did you do?
 - If not, where do you WANT to go?
 - What is one way you can BE KIND at home? On the playground? At church? At school?
 - o Did you have fun today?
 - O What did you learn at church today?