



Who are the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit?

- ♥ Check in and snack
- ♥ Song and prayer
- ♥ Introduction
- ♥ Activity

PLEASE READ MATERIAL PRIOR TO SESSION.

Week	Pages from 'Who is God and how can I really know Him?'	Theme / Session Plan
1	page 88 to 94	<p>before the session cut enough apples (for one half per child) in half once and put in a bowl (these will be provided)</p> <p>read aloud bottom of page 88 from 'He is one God in three persons - Father, Son and Holy Spirit...' to bottom of page.</p> <p>hand out each child an apple half TELL THEM NOT TO EAT IT...YET.</p>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The peel is like God the Father, because He protects us. ▪ The flesh is like God the Son, because Jesus is God made flesh. ▪ The seeds are like the Holy Spirit because He helps us grow. <p>then ask children to repeat back to you hat each part represents</p> <p>now they can eat it ☺</p> <p>ACTIVITY:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) waterfall colouring -may the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy spirit be with you all (2 Corinthians 13:14) 2) playdoh - see if children can make playdoh apples 3) activity on floor - bricks or animals or toy food etc

2	page 96 to top of 97 GOD IS GOD THE LORD	who has heard of the word 'Lord'? who are we talking about? What does it mean? read aloud the paragraph at the bottom of page 96 - 'so who are we talking about when we refer to the Lord?' there is no one like you, O Lord, and there is no God but you, as we have heard with our own ears - 1 chronicles 17:20 1) kitty to plan ACTIVITY: 2) playdough or nature resources - theme TBC 3) blocks/animals etc on floor
3	bottom of 97 to 98 GOD IS GOD THE FATHER	read aloud bottom of page 97 from 'you were born... to 'the first person of the trinity'. ACTIVITY: 1) every child to draw around their hand on a piece of coloured paper, let them choose the colour - write their name in LARGE in the middle in black pen. Cut around. Stick up a piece of A4 paper and on it write 'TO WHOM DO I BELONG?' I BELONG to God pin up title and pin all their little hands around. 2) God the father colouring 3) activity on floor - bricks or animals or toy food etc
4	page 99 & 101 GOD IS GOD THE SON	Read aloud middle of page 99 (from: Jesus is God the son... to 'who has always existed') AND read aloud from (...He allowed Himself to be born as a human to...He never sinned) and read aloud middle of page 101 - (from: one day, when he returns...to...deep sense of wonder and reverence') ACTIVITY: 1) colouring of Jesus being baptised. Write out Philippians 2:9-11 out across the top of their colouring

		2) playdoh or nature box (sand, sticks, animals) 3) floor activity
5	bottom of 101 to 103 GOD IS GOD THE HOLY SPIRIT	tell children that 'today we are going to talk about the third part of the trinity - the Holy Spirit. read aloud bottom of page 102 from 'but the amazing truth about the Holy Spirit is...' up to Galatians 5:22-23 (on page 103) give each child a Fruits of the Spirit puzzle piece. Ask them to each come and put it in the right place on the pin board. Read out each word together. ACTIVITY: 1) fruits of the spirit collage - get children to stick colourful paper, pompoms, glitter (whatever you can find!) over big fruits of the spirit pictures. Display these in the room. 2) fruits of the spirit colouring 3) activity on floor - blocks, duplo etc
6	bottom of 103 to 104 THE FATHER, SON AND HOLY SPIRIT WORK TOGETHER	read aloud the bottom of page 103 up until 'always work in harmony as one God' Then read bottom of page 104 'the one true God...' to as Jesus himself taught us'. ACTIVITY: 1)  2) playdoh or nature box (sand/twigs/shells/pebbles) 3) toys on floor - blocks/toy food/puppets
7	page 105 LOYALTY	go around the group - ask the children: Who is your nest friend? How do best friends treat each other? you are KIND to each other. You SUPPORT each other. You help EACH other. Even if you argue about something you still do all these things...this is called LOYALTY. WE have been talking about the Trinity - the Father, son and holy spirit. They show perfect LOYALTY to one another.

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		God is LOYAL to us - He loves, supports and helps us, even in tough times. ACTIVITY 1) trinity colouring 2) playdoh 3) activity on floor - blocks/play food etc
8	review YKC 3 circles from last term	
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