

Adapted  
Curriculum  
for  
Preschoolers

(Coloring Pages to Follow)

## Day 1 (Monday)

### Service Organization Station

#### **Summer Food Program**

*We will start a week-long collection for the Summer Food Program. Ask the children to bring in:*

- *Cereal*
- *Canned fruit*
- *Juice*
- *Soup*
- *Mac & cheese*
- *Ramen noodles*

The children will make small banks to take home and collect their coins in. When they fill up the box, they can donate it to the \*insert Day 1 organization: \_\_\_\_\_ (ex: Summer Food Program) \* or another service organization.

#### **Banks**

What you'll need:

- Small box with a lid (cans may also work)
- Sharpies
- Stickers
- Sharp knife (for preparation only)

Instructions:

1. In preparation for the week of bible camp, collect small boxes or cans and cut slits in the lids for the coins to fit through.
2. Allow each child to decorate the boxes or cans.
3. Explain to the children that this bank is for them to collect for a service organization.

### Bible Story Station

**The Poor Widow's Contribution:** Mark 12:41-44

### Outdoor Games Station

#### **Water Relay**

What you'll need:

- 2 buckets per team
- Dixie cups
- Duct tape
- Water

Instructions:

Split the children into teams. Have each team line up with one bucket full of water, and give the first person on each team a Dixie cup. Place the other bucket for each team on the other end with duct tape marking a certain height. The first child uses the Dixie cup to

take water to the far bucket and passes the cup off to the next child. The relay continues until one team fills their bucket to the designated line. For more of a challenge, poke holes in the bottom of the cups. Make sure to explain to the kids how their little contributions all came together to make a big impact.

### Craft Station

#### **Secret Agent Name Badges**

What you'll need:

- Black felt
- Attached paper cutouts
- String
- Scissors
- Glue
- Hole punch
- Markers
- Paint
- Stickers

Instructions:

In preparation, cut out enough identification sheets, felt pieces (about  $\frac{1}{4}$  sheet), and pieces of string for each child. Have the children write down their name and group and choose a code name for themselves. Have them write these down before continuing. Then have them glue the paper onto the felt. Punch a hole in the top of the felt and tie the string so that it is long enough to hang around the child's neck. Allow the child to decorate however he or she pleases. When the children finish, have them come to the side, place their thumb in paint, and put their thumbprint on their name badges. Send the children to wash their hands, and place the name badges off to the side to dry overnight.

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## Day 2 (Tuesday)

### Service Organization Station

#### *Safe Passage*

##### **Bookmarks**

What you'll need:

- Card stock strips
- Organization information
- Glue
- Markers

Instructions:

Make bookmarks that advertise the organization to potential volunteers. Glue on the information and decorate.

### Bible Story Station

**The Boy Jesus in the Temple:** Luke 2:41-51

### Outdoor Games Station

##### **Scavenger Hunt**

Instructions:

Leave pieces of paper with clues to the next piece of paper. The final piece of paper can be the daily memory verse or another ending statement.

##### **Telephone**

Instructions:

Have the kids sit in a circle. Whisper a message to the first, have the first whisper it to the second, and continue. See how the message changes to the end.

### Craft Station

##### **Glasses**

What you'll need:

- Sunglasses
- Stickers

Instructions:

Decorate sunglasses. These glasses can be used to see what needs done around you.

## Day 3 (Wednesday)

### Service Organization Station

#### *Nursing Home*

##### **Flowers**

What you'll need:

- Construction paper
- Plastic cap
- Pom-pom
- Popsicle stick
- Scissors
- Glue

Instructions:

1. Trace and cut petal shapes from the construction paper.
2. Glue petals around the cap.
3. Glue a pom-pom in the middle of the cap.
4. Glue the Popsicle stick on the back.
5. Leave to dry.
6. Collect the flowers to be given to the residents at the nursing home!

### Bible Story Station

#### **The Washing of the Disciples' Feet:** John 13:1-20

### Outdoor Games Station

##### **Relay**

Instructions:

Play a relay game to emphasize teamwork and to get the kids moving.

### Craft Station

##### **Disguise**

What you'll need:

- Paper plates
- Scissors
- Markers
- Hole puncher
- String

Instructions:

1. Cut the paper plate in half.
2. Cut eye holes in the plate.
3. Decorate however you'd like.
4. Punch holes in each side.
5. Tie a string so it fits around the child's head.

## Day 4 (Thursday)

Service Organization Station

*Sisters of Saint Francis of Oldenburg*

**The kids will watch a video about prayer.**

Bible Story Station

**Teaching About Prayer:** Matthew 6:5-8

Outdoor Games Station

### **Bible Verse Mix-Up**

What you'll need:

- Rocks
- Different colored sharpies
- Kiddie pool full of sand

Instructions:

1. In preparation, write the bible verse (“Pray without ceasing”) on rocks, one word at a time. Have multiple sets in different colors.
2. Hide the rocks in the sand.
3. Break the kids into teams and have a relay. The goal is to get the verse in order in a specific color.

Craft Station

### **Prayer Rock**

What you'll need:

- Rocks
- Small drawstring bags
- Attached poem

Instructions:

1. Hide the rocks in a grassy area.
2. Have the children look for a rock and bring it back.
3. Give them a drawstring bag and a poem.
4. Read the poem together.
5. Tell them to place the rock on their pillow to remind them to pray before bed, and to place it on the floor to remind them to pray when they wake up.

I'm a little prayer rock,  
And this is what I'll do:  
Put me on your pillow,  
Until the day is through.  
Then turn back the covers,  
And climb into bed;  
Whack! Your little prayer rock,  
Will hit you in the head.  
You will then remember  
To fold your hands in prayer.  
Ask that God will bless you,  
And keep you in God's care.  
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## **Day 5 (Friday)**

### Service Organization Station

#### ***Good Samaritans***

##### **Well-wishes cards**

What you'll need:

- Pre-printed message
- Foam sheets
- Markers
- Stickers

Instructions:

5. Put together pre-printed messages such as "I prayed for you. Bible Camp."
6. Have each kid glue the message to a fourth of a foam sheet.
7. Decorate.
8. Take a minute to pray for the people getting the cards.

### Bible Story Station

**The Parable of the Good Samaritan:** Luke 10:29-37

### Outdoor Games Station

#### **Water Games**

Fill up water balloons and play water games. The kids will love having fun in the sun and getting wet together.

### Craft Station

#### **Handprint Craft**

What you'll need:

- God Made Me Special Handprint Ornament Craft Kit from Oriental Trading
- Markers
- Scissors

Instructions:

1. Trace and cut out the child's handprint. (It may be helpful to trace the handprints on an earlier day and cut them out in your free time.)
2. Make the ornament.



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