



TODAY'S SUGGESTED SCHEDULE

BIBLE STORY

Jesus loves everyone.

BANQUET PARABLE
MATTHEW 22:8-10

MEMORY VERSE

"Do everything in love."

1 CORINTHIANS 16:14, NIV

KEY QUESTION

Who does Jesus love?

BOTTOM LINE

Jesus loves everyone.

BASIC TRUTH

Jesus wants to be
my friend forever.

PRELUDE: Setting the tone for the experience

See the **Getting Ready** pages at the end of this document for a detailed description of what you'll need for today.

In the **Prelude** folder of your curriculum, you'll find a variety of other resources to help you prepare.

SMALL GROUP

15
MIN

SOCIAL: Providing time for fun interaction

Offer one or more of these activities as preschoolers arrive.

Party Set-Up!
Food Match
Everyone's Invited

LARGE GROUP

20
MIN

WORSHIP: Inviting people to respond to God

STORY: Communicating God's truth in engaging ways

"Everyone Everywhere" and "I'm Gonna Tell"


Bible Story
Prayer

SMALL GROUP

25
MIN

GROUPS: Creating a safe place to connect

Offer as many of these activities as your time, facilities, resources, and leadership allow.

Memory Verse with Motions
Party on the Floor 
Jesus Loves Me!
Jesus Loves . . .
Party Plate
Journal and Prayer

HOME: Prompting action beyond the experience

Going Home
Parent Cue Card (*print or email*)
Parent Cue App



This symbol indicates an activity with potential allergens. Be sure to post allergy alert sign and inform parents at drop-off.



10 MINUTES

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LARGE GROUP

ENGAGE CHILDREN’S HEARTS THROUGH A DYNAMIC AND INTERACTIVE WORSHIP, BIBLE STORY, AND PRAYER EXPERIENCE IN A LARGE GROUP SETTING.

WORSHIP

WHAT YOU NEED: Paperclip “Memory Verse Card” in your Bible at 1 Corinthians 16:14, NIV. You need a music player and this month’s worship song, “Everyone Everywhere,” which is included in your monthly files. The dance moves video for “Everyone Everywhere” is available on the Very Big Things Dance Moves DVD, OrangeKidsMusic.com, or in your media package if you subscribe. You also need “I’m Gonna Tell,” which is available on the Love Like Jesus CD, iTunes®, and Spotify®. The dance moves video for this song is available on the Love Like Jesus Dance Moves DVD or OrangeKidsMusic.com.

WORSHIP LEADER: “Hello, everyone! I’m so glad you’re here because it’s time to worship! Who do we worship? God! He **LOVES** us so much that God sent Jesus to be our friend forever! Did you know that **Jesus loves everyone?** It’s true. When I ask, ‘**Who does Jesus love?**’, I want you to say, ‘**Jesus loves everyone!**’ **Who does Jesus love?**”

CHILDREN AND WORSHIP LEADER: “**Jesus loves everyone.**”

WORSHIP LEADER: “It’s a new month, which means we have a new song! It’s called, ‘Everyone Everywhere.’ Stand on your feet, and let’s sing it out!

Lead children in singing “Everyone Everywhere,” this month’s worship song.

“Great job! We’ll sing that all month long so you’ll have a lot more opportunities to sing about how Jesus loves everyone, everywhere! The Bible teaches us that we can ‘Do everything in love,’ 1 Corinthians 16:14. Let’s learn our memory verse together. Are you ready? Listen to me say it and watch the motions, then you can do it with me!

“‘Do everything (march in place) in love’ (hug yourself), 1 Corinthians 16:14. (Open hands like a book.)

Lead children to say the verse with the motions several times.

“Awesome. We can do everything in love when we remember that Jesus loves everyone! We can tell EVERYONE about Jesus. Sing with me.

Lead children in singing “I’m Gonna Tell.”



WEEK
ONE
FEBRUARY 2022

LARGE GROUP
3-5 YEAR
-OLDS
STAGE

PRELUDE

SOCIAL

WORSHIP

STORY

GROUPS

HOME

10 MINUTES

"I love worshipping with you, friends. I wanna tell everyone, everywhere about the love of Jesus! One more time, **who does Jesus love?**"

CHILDREN AND WORSHIP LEADER: "Jesus loves everyone."

INTRO SKETCH

WHAT YOU NEED: Streamers, balloons, long table, brightly colored tablecloth, box, folded cardstock, glue, stickers, paints, and other craft supplies

WHAT YOU DO: Put the cardstock, glue, stickers, paints, and other craft supplies in the box. Preset the table in the storytelling area with the tablecloth, streamers, and balloons to create a party scene.

The Host, very excited, walks out with the box of craft supplies.

HOST: "Hello there, friends! I'm [your name], and I'm SO excited!"

Set the box of craft supplies on the table.

"Can you tell what's happening around here by what you see? Well, I'll give you a hint.

Walk to each item as you say it.

"Let's see. Streamers? Check! Balloons? Check!"

Stand behind the table.

"Construction paper . . . markers . . . stickers . . . paints? Check! Can you guess what I'm getting ready for? Shout it out if you think you know. One, two, three! (Pause for responses.)

"You guessed it! A PARTY! We're having a party right here. We have all the decorations. Now all we need are the . . . (hold up a folded piece of cardstock) invitations! How should I decorate them?"

Look around the table and grab the stickers.

"Oh, I know—stickers! (Put stickers on a card.) I love to decorate with stickers, don't you? Let's see, what else could we add?"

Look around the table, and grab the paint.

"Oooh, paint! I LOVE to paint. It will add so much color and really make these invitations pop."

Look around the table one more time.

"Hmmm, you know what these invitations REALLY need? GLITTER! I forgot the glitter. See you in a little while, friends."

The Host exits, leaving the card-making supplies behind.

