



WEEK  
**TWO**  
FEBRUARY 2022

LARGE GROUP  
**3-5** YEAR  
-OLDS  
STAGE

## TODAY'S SUGGESTED SCHEDULE

### BIBLE STORY

Jesus loves  
people everywhere.

**WOMAN AT THE WELL**  
JOHN 4:1-30

### 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.*

Heart in a Spoon  
Words of Love  
Sun or Snow?

### LARGE GROUP

20  
MIN

#### WORSHIP: Inviting people to respond to God

#### STORY: Communicating God's truth in engaging ways

"Everyone Everywhere" and "My Forever Friend"

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.*

Go to Verse  
Love Well  
Follow the Line  
Four Corners  
Love Mail  
Journal and Prayer

### HOME: Prompting action beyond the experience

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



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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 "My Forever Friend," which is available on the *Very Big Things* CD, iTunes®, Spotify®, and OrangeKidsMusic.com. The dance moves video for this song is available on OrangeKidsMusic.com.

**WORSHIP LEADER:** "Hey, friends! Welcome to the party! Did you know it's party time around here? It's true. It's a party and everyone's invited because **Jesus loves everyone. Who does Jesus love?**"

**CHILDREN AND WORSHIP LEADER:** "**Jesus loves everyone.**"

**WORSHIP LEADER:** "You are right! Jesus does love everyone, everywhere. Let's sing that out today.

*Lead children in singing "Everyone Everywhere," this month's worship song.*

"I love that song! Jesus loves people everywhere. Did you know that **Jesus wants to be my friend forever?** It's true! **Who does Jesus love?**"

**CHILDREN AND WORSHIP LEADER:** "**Jesus loves everyone.**"

**WORSHIP LEADER:** "He does! Let's say our memory verse together. The Bible teaches us to '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.*

"We can do everything in love when we remember that Jesus loves us! **Jesus loves everyone!** He is our forever friend. Sing this with me.

*Lead children in singing "My Forever Friend."*

"Jesus is a good, good friend, and I wanna be like Him! Thanks for singing and worshipping with me today, friends. You are all awesome!"



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## INTRO SKETCH

**WHAT YOU NEED:** Party table from previous week and a big stack of party invitations

**WHAT YOU DO:** If it wasn't left in place from Week 1, preset the decorated party table in the storytelling area.

*The Host walks out with a big stack of invitations.*

**HOST:** "Hello there, friends! I'm [your name]. We just finished making ALL of the invitations for our big party. We're inviting EVERYONE!"

*Shuffle through the invitations as you talk.*

"Friends from school and church and the neighborhood, my cousins and . . . (*looking up at the audience*) it's a LOT of people. So, I made a plan to deliver all these invitations. I'll take a walk to deliver them to my neighbors. Or maybe I'll ride my bike. Riding my bike would probably be faster! Either way, those will be easy to deliver.

"I can take the invitations to friends at school and church when I go there. That's easy. But some of these invitations need to go a lot further. My cousins live in a whole other town. I can't really ride my bike or walk there!"

"I've got to come up with a way to get these invitations to my cousins. I guess I better think about it! See you later, friends."

*The Host walks out, carrying the invitations.*

## BIBLE STORY

**WHAT YOU NEED:** Bottle of water; *Optional Story Images*

*The storyteller enters, carrying a Bible and a bottle of water.*

**STORYTELLER:** "Hello, everyone! I'm [your name], and I'm super excited to be with you today. I have an awesome true story to tell you from the Bible.

"A long time ago, people would go to a well to get water. (*Hold up the water bottle.*) They didn't have sinks or refrigerators or water bottles. If someone was thirsty, they had to go to a well for water!"

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"And in this particular story, can you guess who was thirsty? Jesus! He had been walking a long way, and He was tired.

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"So Jesus sat down at a well. A woman came to the well to get water while Jesus sat there. The woman looked at Jesus and knew that they were from different towns.



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"Jesus asked the woman, 'Will you give me a drink?'"

"The woman was surprised Jesus asked her for water because she knew people from her town were not friends with people from His town. So the woman said, 'Why are you asking me for a drink?'"

"Do you think that where she was from mattered to Jesus?"

**CHILDREN:** "NO!"

**STORYTELLER:** "No, of course not! No matter where you live, Jesus wants to be your friend, and He loves you very much. Now let's pretend that Jesus is having a party. If Jesus had a party, who do you think He would invite? Do you think people who live where it's really, REALLY cold are invited to the party? Show me what you look like when it's cold. Everyone say, 'BRRRR!'"

*Lead children to hug themselves like they're cold.*

**CHILDREN:** "BRRRR!"

**STORYTELLER:** "Yes! Of course, they're invited. What about people who live where it's really hot? Show me what you look like when it's hot! Everyone say, 'It's SO hot!'"

*Lead children to fan their faces like they're hot.*

**CHILDREN:** "It's SO hot!"

**STORYTELLER:** "Yes! People who live where it's really hot are invited to Jesus' party. What about people who live in a tall building? Everyone, stretch really tall like a tall building, like this.

*Lead children to reach up high and stretch.*

"Yes! People who live in tall, tall buildings are invited, too. What about people who live in a small building like this?"

*Lead children to cup their hands to make a small building.*

"Are people who live in small buildings invited to Jesus' party? (Pause.) YES! No matter where you live, Jesus wants to be your friend. Jesus LOVES you. Everyone is invited to Jesus' party because **Jesus loves everyone. Who does Jesus love?**"

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