

Faith Explorers

Std 3&4

God who leads to salvation

Objective

- To understand that God delivers us from all dangers
- God, with His Son Jesus our Savior, leads us through our life into salvation and to heaven.

Introduction

Tell the children the story of Israel– how they lived under Egyptian slavery – but how God saved the children of Israel. Explain the incident of how God parted the Red Sea to help Israel cross the Red Sea.

SHOW THIS SONG - https://www.Youtube.Com/watch?V=mm7uolf2mh4

Presentation of the topic

Ask the children how their parents could take them on a journey. Keeping them protected – providing for them – and always looking after them.

Now explain the situation in light of Israel, who had to journey to the Promised Land of Canaan.

Israel was living a life of torture under the Pharaoh in Egypt. They were slaves. Explain the concept of slavery and its cruelty. Israel prayed to God for deliverance. God sent Moses to rescue them. God uses Moses to lead Israel to the land of milk and honey – Canaan – the promised land. God through Moses sends – 10 plagues. Teachers can narrate the 10 plagues briefly. Then the miracle of parting the Red Sea. God is leading Israel – he walks with Israel in their journey. Israel journeyed 40 years to reach Canaan – and God was always with them. He protected them and kept them safe. God is the loving father – who takes care of his children.

Activity

Let children enact the scene of the Red Sea parting and Israel crossing over

Like Moses stretched out his hand to part the Red Sea – make the children stretch out to God to make a way for any problem in their life and believe a way will

SING THE SONG - GOD WILL MAKE A WAY -

https://www.Youtube.Com/watch?V=bc_ydnmvqkk

Habit Formation

- We must learn to trust in God in all situations of our life.
- Always believe God is with you.

Bible Verse

DEUTRONOMY 31: 8 – it is the lord who goes before you. He will be with you; he will not fail you or forsake you. Do not fear or be dismayed."

Conclusion

Children should have a strong faith in God – who will always be with them. No doubt the situation. The Bible depicts God as both walking alongside us and carrying us through life's journey, particularly during times of hardship.

You can use the story – footprints in the sand

Https://peacedevotions.Com/2024/06/24/footprints-in-the-sand/

Prayer

Loving God, I come before you today with a heart full of gratitude for your unwavering love and light. I trust in you, my lord, and I ask for your guidance to walk in your light. Help me to see your path clearly and to have the strength to follow it. Amen