March 29th

Jesus Wants Us to Know He is Our Savior

Core Truth: Jesus Wants Us to Know Him

Text: 1 John 2:2, 1 John 4:14, John 14

Lightbulb: Jesus Wants Us to Know He is Our Savior

ACTIVITY: "Jump In Jump Out"

Supplies: None Needed

Today we are going to play a game called "Jump in, Jump out!" Everyone will get in a circle and hold hands.

Round one, say what I say, and do what I say.

You will say one of four things: Jump in, Jump out, Jump left, Jump right.

Round two, now you will SAY the opposite of what I say, but DO as I say.

Round three, now you will SAY what I say, but DO the opposite of what I say.

That was a lot of fun!! Did anyone else notice how crazy that got when we were saying one thing but doing another? How many of you made a mistake?

That's right, everyone fell short. No one was perfect.

That reminds me of sin....which brings me to my first question.

Discussion:

- Why do we need a savior? (Because we are sinners.)
- What does sin do? (It separates us from God.)
- Who took our place on the cross? (Jesus.)
- Who did Jesus die for? (The whole world, past, present, and future.)
- What was our Lightbulb? (Jesus wants us to know He is our Savior.)
- Now that we know Jesus is our Savior, what do we do? (Share that news with our family, friends, people in our neighborhoods, etc.)
- Who do you know that needs to know Jesus as their Savior? (Have kids spend some time thinking of one person who needs to receive Jesus as their Savior.)

Real-Life Application

Today has been such an impactful day. Some people have made the decision to follow Jesus today while others who have previously made that decision began thinking about who they could share that news with.

Parents, it is possible that your child(ren) has made a decision to follow Jesus today. There is not a bigger or better decision that he or she will ever make. If your child has made a choice to follow Jesus, please follow up with the Kid's Pastor at your campus and text KIDSMIN to 888111.

Perhaps you are visiting with us today and you and/or your child(ren) have made a decision to follow Jesus. We cannot say enough how excited we are and we want to celebrate and rejoice with you today and want to help you with some next steps. If you will text KIDSMIN to 888111, a link will be sent and we ask you to fill in the requested info if you or a family member have made the decision to follow Jesus, ask more questions, ask for prayer etc. Someone will be in touch with you very soon!

