

Kids Games 2016 Teaching

Colossians 3:2-3

God's mysterious plan is Christ himself. In him lie hidden all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge.

Two pirate protagonists go on a search for treasure - but one of them is looking in all the wrong places!

Teaching focuses on encountering Jesus, in whom all God's wonderful treasures are hidden.

TREASURE ONE- Peace with God

Teaching Aim: Our greatest treasure is peace with God. Its found in Jesus.

Bible Verse: Rom 5:8 - But God demonstrates his own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

Drama: Pirates talk about the treasure they are finding. Pirate 1 offers to show the other where the treasure is hidden, but he refuses and wants to go find treasure for himself.

Bible Teaching: Acts 9- Paul on the road to Emmaus.

Paul encounters Jesus and finds peace with God. Not by trying really hard but by recognising who Jesus is and trusting in what Jesus has done for him.

(Romans 8:38/Phil 3:8)

TREASURE TWO- Best Friends Forever

Teaching Aim: Jesus gives us his Holy Spirit, so we can be close to him.

Drama: Pirate 1 revises the things we know about finding treasure already and pirate 2 keeps trying to find treasure on his own.

Bible Teaching: John 14 - Peter is afraid of being left alone. Jesus promises him that He will send the Holy spirit.

He promises never to leave or forsake us. Walking with the Spirit.

TREASURE THREE- Good Gifts

Teaching Aim: We can boldly approach God and ask for the things we need. God is a good Dad who knows how to give good gifts to his children

Drama: Pirate 2 continues to look in all the wrong places but its starting to get to him!

Bible Teaching: Mark 10: 46-52 Bartimaeus asks to see.

Mat 7:7 Ask, seek, knock

Feeding of the 500 - Unlimited treasure

DAY FOUR- Treasure that overflows

Teaching Aim: God's treasures are to good to keep to yourself!

Drama: Pirate 2 finally discovers where all the best treasures are hidden - in Jesus

Bible Teaching: John 4 : 7-30 Jesus meets the woman at the well. She finds Jesus and can't wait to tell everyone else!

Review all the other treasures - together they make the gospel ie we find peace with God through Jesus, he fills us with His Spirit and as we walk with him he gives us good things. His life overflows from us to others.:)