



At-A-Glance: Ages 4-5
Kings & Kingdoms Part 1: The Life of Jesus
Unit 6, Lesson 32

The Good Samaritan

Lesson Aim: To show kindness to others.

THE WELCOME TREASURE CHEST

WHISPER VERSE AND SIGN LANGUAGE: "Love your neighbor."

THE WORSHIP JESUS AS THE KING WHO TEACHES

Sing Bible Memory Verse and other related songs.

It's Praise Time—our time to sing praise to King Jesus. In the Bible, Jesus tells us stories that help us understand God's kingdom. Last time, we learned God always welcomes us to be with Him. Just as the father welcomed back his lost son, God welcomes us when we come to Him.

Today, we will hear His story about the Samaritan man who showed love to the man who was hurt by helping him feel better. In the Bible, your neighbor is anyone who is near you. That reminds me of today's Whisper Verse. Let's whisper, "Love your neighbor." Review Whisper Verse together: "Love your neighbor." Include sign language. To love your neighbor means to love everyone near you. Turn to someone near you. He or she is your neighbor. Hug your neighbor and whisper with sign language, "Love your neighbor."

Jesus loves us and teaches us to love our neighbor. Sing: "We Love."

The church uses our offering money to show God's love to our neighbors. Sing: "How Wide" while collecting the offering.

OFFERING: Collect the offering.

WORSHIP ILLUSTRATION: *The Adventures of Delbert & Lello* puppet script or storybook

THE WORD THE GOOD SAMARITAN CLASSROOM PROMISE

Last time, we learned God always welcomes us. Today, we will act out the story of the Samaritan man who helped the man who was hurt. Handle Bible as a special treasure, leaving it open to Luke 10:34

Optional: Choose children to act out the roles of the hurt man, the Samaritan, and the innkeeper as you read the points below. Repeat the story so all the children have a turn acting out a role.

WATCH THE WORD: LUKE 10:30-37

Read poem. Display visual.

- A hurt man lay upon the road,
- Robbers had left him there.
- The next two travelers passed on by;
- They saw, but did not care.
- Then the Samaritan came along.
- He saw that hurt man, too.
- He did not pass by. He stopped and looked,
- To see what he could do.

- He wrapped the man with bandages,
- And gave him a donkey ride.
- He paid the innkeeper two silver coins,
- So the man could rest inside.
- Jesus told this story,
- So everyone could see,
- That we must love our neighbor, too.
- Whoever that might be!

Who did the Samaritan man help? (The hurt man.) Let's find our answer in the Bible. Read Luke 10:34 from the teacher's Bible.

When the Samaritan helped the hurt man, he did what our Whisper Verse says to do! Let's say it together: "Love your neighbor." Include sign language or hand motions.

THE WAY LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOR

CRAFT: Bandaged Man

GAMES: Are You My Neighbor?, Help Your Neighbor

SNACK: Comfort Food

CIRCLE OF PRAYER

FINAL FIVE MINUTES

- COMPLETED CRAFT
- PONDER, PRAY & PLAY
- COLOR THIS STORY

GOT TIME?

SAY & DO: Luke 10:30-37

BIBLE MEMORY VERSE ACTIVITIES: "Guide Me" Memory Hop, Follow the Leader

STORY TIME