

At-A-Glance: Ages 4-5 Prophets & Promises Part 1: Acts - Revelation Unit 4, Lesson 19

Paul and King Agrippa

Lesson Aim: To know we can pray for others to know who Jesus is.

THE WELCOME

TREASURE CHEST

WHISPER VERSE AND SIGN LANGUAGE: "I pray for them."

THE WORSHIP THE SPIRIT WHO CONNECTS US

Sing Bible Memory Verse and other related songs.

It's Praise Time—our time to praise God. The Holy Spirit connects us to each other and to Jesus. One way He does that is through prayer. When we pray for others to grow closer to Jesus, it connects us to Him and to each other. That reminds me of today's Whisper Verse, "I pray for them." Let's try it together. Review Whisper Verse together: "I pray for them." Include sign language.

Praying for others is a great way to love one another. Let's sing our Bible Memory Verse song about that. Sing: "Love One Another" and "We Love."

Another great way to love one another is to give our offering to the church. The church helps people grow closer to Jesus. Let's give our offering now. If you did not bring a money offering, then as we collect the offering, you can give a prayer offering. Pray for others you know to grow closer to Jesus. Sing: "Jesus Loves the Little Children" or "Everyone Who Calls" while collecting the offering.

OFFERING: Collect the offering.

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

Paul didn't worry about how long it took for someone to grow closer to Jesus. He just prayed that everyone who heard the truth about Jesus would someday believe and be filled with a deep happiness called joy! Let's praise God with joy for giving us this day. Sing: "This Is the Day" or "Give Thanks to the Lord."

THE WORD PAUL PRAYS FOR KING AGRIPPA CLASSROOM PROMISE

Last time, we learned Paul told his story about Jesus to the crowd in Jerusalem. Today, we will hear how Paul told his story to King Agrippa and prayed for the king to believe in Jesus. Handle Bible as a special treasure, leaving it open to Acts 26:2.

WATCH THE WORD: ACTS 26:2, 13-14, 17-19, 24-29 Read poem. Display visual.

- > When Paul told the king that Jesus is Lord,
- > A man said, "You've lost your mind!"
- > The king asked Paul, "Did you think I'd hear,
- > And believe this in such a short time?"
- Paul said, "Oh king, short time or long,
- > I pray for them and for you,
- That all who hear about Jesus,
- > Will believe and follow Him, too!

Who did Paul tell about Jesus? (King Agrippa.) Let's find our answer in the Bible. Read Acts 26:2 from the teacher's Bible.

Paul prayed the king and everyone there would know Jesus. Can you pray for everyone? (Yes.) Our Whisper Verse tells us the answer. Let's say it together: "I pray for them." Include sign language or hand motions.

THE WAY WE CAN PRAY FOR OTHERS

CRAFT: Prayer Crown

GAMES: Jesus Loves You, I Pray for Them

SNACK: Crown Jewels CIRCLE OF PRAYER FINAL FIVE MINUTES

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

GOT TIME?

SAY & DO: Acts 26:2, 13-14, 17-19, 24-29

BIBLE MEMORY VERSE ACTIVITIES: Let Us Love!, Love One Another

STORY TIME