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## MEMORIZATION PROJECT | Fall 2017

"I have stored up your word in my heart, that I might not sin against you." ~ Psalm 119:11

When it comes to living God's Truth, we believe it's best to know it by heart. That's why we're excited to continue helping kids memorize Scripture and biblical truths that fit with the lessons from our curriculum: *Lost & Found*.

**HOW IT WORKS** To encourage the kids to get involved, we're rewarding memorization success and other commendable Christ-like actions with award stickers each week.

Students can earn stickers the following ways:

- Memorizing one verse every week
- Memorizing the Big Idea Truth from the previous lesson
- Memorizing the Beatitudes
- Attending and showing self-control each week
- Bringing a friend

**THE GOAL** Over the 13-week semester, we've challenged the students to work toward the following goals:

- **PreK–1<sup>st</sup> Grade:** Earn 20 stickers
- **2<sup>nd</sup>–4<sup>th</sup> Grade:** Earn 30 stickers

**THE REWARDS** In December, we'll honor diligent students who've reached their goal with an award celebration and treats.

**FOR NEXT WEEK** Please help your child memorize the following Truths:

### 1 MEMORIZING | Scripture

*Matthew 28:19a (ESV)*

"Go therefore and make disciples of all nations."

### 2 MEMORIZING | Big Idea Truth

Jesus gave the church a special mission.



#### THIS WEEK WE LEARNED:

**CHURCH:**  
**Jesus gave the church a special mission.**

"Jesus' special mission for those who have believed in him as their Savior from sin is to tell people about his Big Story—people right here in our neighborhoods, and people all the way around the world."

~ Lost & Found Kids, pg. 342

# MEMORIZATION CHART

Thanks so much for taking the time to memorize God's Word! For those who'd like to track their progress, we're providing this memorization chart, which will be updated on this handout each week as the semester progresses.

	<b>SCRIPTURE—LESSON</b>	<b>BIG IDEA TRUTH</b>	<b>EXTRA MEMORY ITEMS</b>
<b>WEEK 1</b> Sept. 6	<i>2 Corinthians 5:21a</i> (ESV) "For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin..."	Jesus knew what he would have to do to live out God's Rescue Plan before it happened.	<i>Recommended: TBD</i>
<b>WEEK 2</b> Sept. 13	<i>Isaiah 53:5a</i> (ESV) "But he was pierced for our transgressions; he was crushed for our iniquities."	To live out God's Rescue Plan, Jesus suffered and died.	<i>Recommended: TBD</i>
<b>WEEK 3</b> Sept. 20	<i>Philippians 2:8</i> (ESV) "And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross."	On the cross, Jesus paid for our sins.	<i>Recommended: TBD</i>
<b>WEEK 4</b> Sept. 27	<i>2 Corinthians 5:17</i> (ESV) "Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come."	On the cross, Jesus gave new life.	<i>Recommended: TBD</i>
<b>WEEK 5</b> Oct. 4	<i>John 11:25b</i> (ESV) "Whoever believes in me, though he die, yet shall he live..."	Jesus defeated death to live again.	The Beatitudes
<b>WEEK 6</b> Oct. 11	<i>John 20:31</i> (ESV) "...these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God..."	Real people saw Jesus defeat death, and they tell us the story in the New Testament.	The Beatitudes
<b>WEEK 7</b> Oct. 18	<i>Revelation 21:5a</i> (ESV) "And he who was seated on the throne said, 'Behold, I am making all things new.'"	Knowing that Jesus is alive changed God's people in the New Testament.	The Beatitudes
<b>WEEK 8</b> Nov. 1	<i>Acts 4:33</i> (NIV) "With great power the apostles continued to testify to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus. And God's grace was so powerfully at work in them all!"	Knowing that Jesus is alive changes us today.	The Beatitudes
<b>WEEK 9</b> Nov. 8	<i>Ephesians 5:25b</i> (ESV) "...Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her..."	The church is all people who believe in Jesus as the Savior from sin (all over the world and right where you live).	The Beatitudes
<b>WEEK 10</b> Nov. 15	<i>Acts 2:47b</i> (ESV) "And the Lord added to their number day by day those who were being saved."	The church is all people who believe in Jesus as the Savior from sin, and the church is always growing.	The Beatitudes
<b>WEEK 11</b> Nov. 29	<i>Matthew 28:19a</i> (ESV) "Go therefore and make disciples of all nations."	Jesus gave the church a special mission.	The Beatitudes

## TOTAL STICKERS POSSIBLE

### PreK–1<sup>st</sup> Grade

Attendance & Self Control	13
Scripture Verses from Lessons	12
Big Idea Truths	12
Memorizing the Beatitudes	8
Bringing Friends	?
<b>TOTAL POSSIBLE</b>	<b>40</b>
Goal by December 13	20

### 2<sup>nd</sup>–4<sup>th</sup> Grade

Attendance & Self Control	13
Scripture Verses from Lessons	12
Big Idea Truths	12
Memorizing the Beatitudes	8
Bringing Friends	?
<b>TOTAL POSSIBLE</b>	<b>40</b>
Goal by December 13	30