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UNIT 27

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UNIT 27: JESUS IS THE WAY

Session 1: Jesus Healed a Blind Man
John 9



Sunday, October 25

What is justification?

Justification is when God declares that we are forgiven of sin and are made righteous.

Memory Verse: 2 Corinthians 5:21
"He made the One who did not know sin to be sin for us, so that in Him we might become the righteousness of God."

Monday, October 26

SESSION 1

Before you read...

- Jesus' ministry on earth showed that He is the Messiah who came to save sinners. He showed this through His miracles of healing and even raising Lazarus from the dead.
- This week, we will read about how Jesus healed a blind man to glorify God.

Read John 9:1-7

- What question did the disciples ask Jesus about the blind man?

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- Why did Jesus say the man was blind?

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- What did Jesus call Himself in this passage?

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Tuesday, October 27



Before you read...

- Yesterday, we read that Jesus and His disciples met a man who was blind from birth. Jesus told His disciples that this man was blind so that God's works might be displayed in Him.
- Then Jesus made mud with His spit and healed the man!
- Many people did not believe the man that he was healed, so they brought him to the Pharisees (the religious leaders).



Read John 9:13-18

- On what day did Jesus heal the blind man?

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- Why didn't the Pharisees believe that the healing was from God?

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- What did the healed man think Jesus was?

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Wednesday, October 28

SESSION 1



Before you read...

- Yesterday, we read that the Pharisees did not believe the man's healing was from God because it happened on the Sabbath. It was a rule that they were not allowed to work on the Sabbath.
- The Pharisees and many other people still did not believe the man's story about his healing, so they decided to ask his parents even though the man was an adult.



Read John 9:19-25

- Why were the man's parents afraid of the Jews?

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- The blind man said he did not know if the man who healed him was a sinner. What did the blind man tell the Jews he DID know?

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- The end of verse 25 is a line from a very famous, old Christian hymn. What song does it remind you of?

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Thursday, October 29



Before you read...

- Yesterday, we read that the healed man's parents were afraid of the Jews, but still confirmed that their son was once blind and now can see.



Read John 9:26-33

- The Jews asked the man to explain his healing again, but the man was tired of their questions. What did he ask the Jews in verse 27?

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- The healed man gives a really great speech. Read verses 32-33 again. Has anyone besides Jesus ever been able to open the eyes of the blind?

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- Did the man believe that Jesus–and his healing–came from God?

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Friday, October 30

SESSION 1



Before you read...

- Yesterday, we read that the healed man got tired of the Jews asking him questions. He said his healing and this man (Jesus) had to be from God.

- Jesus came to bring light into the darkness. He healed the blind man to show God's power and to point to a greater truth: Jesus came to forgive sin and give spiritual sight.



Read John 9:35-38

- What did Jesus ask the healed man?

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- What did the man do when he learned who Jesus was?

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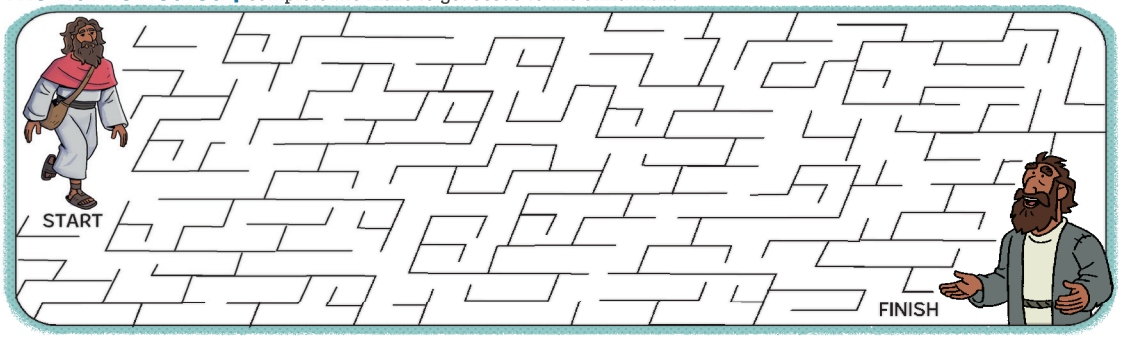
- What does it mean to believe in Jesus?

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The Man Is Healed | Complete the maze to get Jesus to the blind man.



True or False? | Read the statement and color in the correct bubble for True or False.

TRUE FALSE 1) Jesus' disciples asked if sin was the reason the man was blind.

TRUE FALSE 2) Jesus told His disciples that the man was blind so that people could see God's power in the blind man's life.

TRUE FALSE 3) Jesus used pool water to make mud.

TRUE FALSE 4) Jesus told the man to go wash in the river.

TRUE FALSE 5) The man was healed by Jesus and could see.

TRUE FALSE 6) The people were confused and did not understand that the blind man had been healed.

TRUE FALSE 7) The Pharisees believed Jesus healed the man.

TRUE FALSE 8) The man said that all he knew is that he was blind and could now see.

TRUE FALSE 9) The Pharisees were happy for the man.

TRUE FALSE 10) The blind man believed that Jesus is the Son of Man and worshiped Him.

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UNIT 27: JESUS IS THE WAY

Session 2: Jesus and Zacchaeus
Luke 19



Sunday, November 1

What is justification?

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Memory Verse: 2 Corinthians 5:21
"He made the One who did not know sin to be sin for us, so that in Him we might become the righteousness of God."

Monday, November 2



Before you read...

- Last week, we learned how Jesus healed a blind man to glorify God.
- Not only can Jesus bring physical sight, but He also gives spiritual sight so we can see and know God.



Read Luke 19:1-3

- What job did Zacchaeus have?

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- Because of his job, do you think Zacchaeus was a well liked man?

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- Why do you think Zacchaeus wanted to see Jesus?

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Tuesday, November 3

SESSION 2



Before you read...

- Zacchaeus was a tax collector and a rich man. In Jesus' time, tax collectors were known to be liars and thieves.
- Even though Zacchaeus was not a good man, something made him want to see Jesus.



Read Luke 19:4-5

- What did Zacchaeus do to see Jesus?

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- What did Jesus tell Zacchaeus?

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- There was a huge crowd, how did Jesus know Zacchaeus was in the tree?

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Wednesday, November 4



Before you read...

- Jesus knew where Zacchaeus was and told him that He wanted to stay at Zacchaeus' house.



Read Luke 19:6-7

- How did Zacchaeus react to Jesus?

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- How did the crowd react to Jesus' decision to go to Zacchaeus' house?

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- Who did Jesus come to earth to save?

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Thursday, November 5

SESSION 2



Before you read...

- Zacchaeus joyfully welcomed Jesus, but the crowd of people did not want Jesus to go stay with a sinful man. **But everyone in the crowd was also a sinner!**
- Jesus came to save sinners!



Read Luke 19:8

- What did Zacchaeus say he would do with his possessions?

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- How much was Zacchaeus going to pay back?

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- What do you think made Zacchaeus want to do these things?

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Friday, November 6



Before you read...

- After just meeting Jesus, Zacchaeus was ready to turn away from his sins, give away his possessions and pay back the money he stole.



Read Luke 19:9-10

- What does Jesus say came to Zacchaeus' house?

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- What did the Son of Man come to do?

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- What must we do in order to be saved?

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Unscramble the Words | Unscramble the words from today's story.

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Jsues _____	wlomceed _____	skee _____
iJcreho _____	sniful _____	saoviatln _____
cbimeld _____	oopr _____	svae _____
scormaye _____	belveie _____	stol _____

Hidden Objects | See if you can find the 22 objects hidden in today's story picture.



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Session 3: Jesus' Triumphal Entry
Matthew 21



Sunday, November 8

What is justification?

Justification is when God declares that we are forgiven of sin and are made righteous.

Memory Verse: 2 Corinthians 5:21
"He made the One who did not know sin to be sin for us, so that in Him we might become the righteousness of God."

Monday, November 9

SESSION 3



Before you read...

- This week, we will be reading about Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem. We celebrate this event each year on Palm Sunday, the week before Easter. It might seem strange to read about Palm Sunday when it is not spring, but it is an important event in Jesus' life on earth.

- When Jesus rode into Jerusalem, it was the beginning of His last week on earth. At the end of that same week, He would be crucified on the cross.

- Jesus made His way into Jerusalem to make a way for us to be with the Father for all eternity.



Read Matthew 21:1-3

- What animal did Jesus ask his disciples to get for Him?

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- In verse 3, what did Jesus tell the disciples to say if anyone asked them what they were doing?

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- What do you think Jesus wanted to do with this animal?

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Tuesday, November 10



Before you read...

- This week, we are reading about Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem, which we call Palm Sunday.

- Yesterday, we read that Jesus asked his disciples to go into town and bring him a donkey and her colt. He needed a donkey because the prophet Zechariah, in the Old Testament, said that Jesus would come riding on a donkey.

  Prophets in the Old Testament helped people understand that God would send the Messiah into the world to save people from their sin.



Read Matthew 21:4-5

- In verse 5, who does it say is coming, riding on a donkey?

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- What word does the author use to describe the person who is coming?

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- Draw a picture or describe what Jesus might have looked like riding on the foal of a donkey.

Wednesday, November 11

SESSION 3



Before you read...

- Jesus knew that a prophet from the Old Testament named Zechariah said that the king (Jesus) would arrive riding on a donkey, so Jesus asked His disciples to bring him a donkey and her colt.



Read Matthew 21:6-8

- What did the disciples do with the donkey and colt when they brought them to Jesus?

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- In verse 8 it says that there was a very large crowd. What were the people in the crowd doing?

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- Why do you think there was a large crowd where Jesus and His disciples were?

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Thursday, November 12



Before you read...

Yesterday, we read that Jesus did exactly what the prophet Zechariah said He would do. Jesus rode into Jerusalem on a donkey. There was a large crowd who spread their cloaks and branches from trees on the road in front of Jesus.



Read Matthew 21:9-11

Write down the three phrases the large crowd shouted.

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The word Hosanna means "save now." Who or what do you think the crowd wanted Jesus to save them from?

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What words would you use to describe how the crowd felt about Jesus?

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Friday, November 13

SESSION 3



Before you read...

- Yesterday, we read that the large crowd of people was very excited to see Jesus and shouted, "Hosanna!' which means save now.

- Jesus' triumphal entry is written in each of the four gospels. Today, we are going to compare what we've read in Matthew with Luke's account.



Read Luke 19:28-40. (Focus on v.39-40)

- What did the Pharisees tell Jesus to do?

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- How did Jesus respond?

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- Deep thinking: What do you think Jesus' response about the stones means?

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Story Sequencing | See what you remember about today's story by labeling each scene in the order that it happened.



Savior | Jesus came to save and free us. Look up the verses and write down what they say Jesus freed believers from.

Hebrews 2:14-15	Matthew 1:21	John 3:16-18	Romans 6:23	1 John 1:9

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Session 5: Jesus' Last Supper
Mark 14



Sunday, November 15

What is justification?

Justification is when God declares that we are forgiven of sin and are made righteous.

Memory Verse: 2 Corinthians 5:21
"He made the One who did not know sin to be sin for us, so that in Him we might become the righteousness of God."

Monday, November 16



Before you read...

This week, we will read how Jesus shared a last meal with His disciples on the night before He was arrested and taught them more about the sacrifice He would make to save people from their sins. You may have heard it called, "The Last Supper."

You will read that Jesus and His disciples were getting ready to eat the Passover meal. This was a celebration they did to remember when God rescued His people from slavery in Egypt and the angel of death passed over the homes of the Israelites who put the blood of a perfect lamb above their door.



Read Mark 14:12-15

What animal was sacrificed for the Passover meal?

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Where did Jesus tell His disciples to prepare the Passover meal?

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The Law of the Old Testament required God's people to make animal sacrifices over and over again for their sins. Jesus followed the Law perfectly and never sinned, yet He was about to sacrifice Himself. How do you think Jesus felt, knowing this was His last meal?

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Tuesday, November 17

SESSION 5



Before you read...

- Yesterday, we read that Jesus gave His disciples very specific directions about where they should prepare the Passover meal.
- Today, you will read the word 'betray.' It means to break a promise or to expose someone to danger.



Read Mark 14:16-18

- When the disciples went into the city, how did they find things?

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- What did Jesus tell the disciples that one of them would do in verse 18?

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- How would you feel if one of your very best friends told you they knew you would betray them?

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Wednesday, November 18



Before you read...

Yesterday, we read that Jesus said one of His disciples would betray Him. This means they would go against Jesus and expose Him to the enemy.



Read Mark 14:19-21

How did the disciples feel after Jesus told them one of them would betray Him?

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Who does Jesus say will betray Him?

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Do you know the name of the disciple who would betray Him?

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Thursday, November 19

SESSION 5



Before you read...

- Yesterday, we read that the disciples were sad to know that one of them would betray Jesus. They all thought they would never do that to Jesus. But, we know from reading a little bit further in the Bible that Judas Iscariot betrayed Jesus just a few hours later.

- Today, we will read how Jesus started a practice that we still follow today.



Read Mark 14:22-25

- What did Jesus say the bread represented?

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- What does Jesus say will happen with His blood?

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- Jesus was telling His disciples that His blood would be the perfect sacrifice for sin, once and for all. Do you think the disciples understood what Jesus was trying to teach them in these verses? Why or why not?

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Friday, November 20



Before you read...

- Yesterday, we read that Jesus said the bread represented His body and the wine represented His blood that would be poured out.

- We do this very same thing when we practice communion in church. At New Covenant, we practice communion on the second Sunday of every month.



Read Mark 14:27-31

- Which disciple thought he would never fall away from Jesus?

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- What did Jesus say that disciple would do before the rooster crows?

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- Deep thinking: What do you think would cause a disciple to deny Jesus?

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Connect the Dots | Connect the dots to complete the picture.



Last Supper Crossword | Complete the crossword puzzle using the clues provided.

ACROSS

1) Jesus gathered with His disciples to eat a meal in celebration of this special day

2) Jesus did this to the disciples' feet before the meal

4) Jesus knew that He would do this soon

10) This disciple said that he would never leave Jesus

12) Jesus wanted His disciples to know He would do this after He died

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3) Jesus gave the disciples an example of _____ by washing their feet

5) Jesus died on the cross to save people from this

6) This is what Jesus used to represent His body given for us

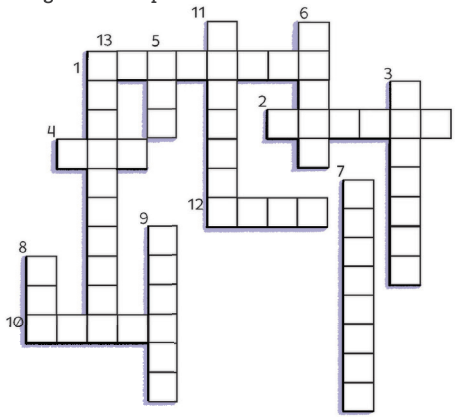
7) Jesus told believers to do this when we eat the bread and drink from the cup

8) Jesus used this to represent His blood shed for us

9) Jesus told the disciples that someone would soon do this to Him

11) Jesus told Peter that before this animal crowed Peter would deny that he knew Jesus

13) Jesus took the _____ that we deserve so that we can be forgiven



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