Sharing Time Ideas November 2017

Week 1: I can be a missionary by serving others.

Encourage understanding:

- Print off the two scriptures - Matthew 25:34-40 and Mosiah 2:17. Place them in a large envelope.

- Bring a bandana or something you can cover the eyes of a child.

- Call up three volunteers.

- Blindfold one of the volunteers.

- Hand the envelope to one of the other volunteers and tell that person to quietly walk to a random spot in the Primary room.

- Explain that there are two scriptures in the envelope and that the blindfolded child needs to find the envelope without peeking or removing the blindfold.

- Ask the third volunteer (the child that isn’t holding the envelope or blindfolded): “In what way could you serve your blindfolded friend who is trying to find the envelope?” (Hopefully the third volunteer will answer, “I can guide him/her by giving directions or by holding his/hand hand and walking him/her to the envelope.”)

- Let the third volunteer guide the blindfolded child to find the envelope.

- Emphasize what service means.

- Read the scriptures in the envelope and discuss what these scriptures mean.

Role-play

- Follow the outline by having the children role-play doing acts of service.

- Print off the cards, cut them out, and place them in a bowl.

- Call up one child at a time to act out the cards.

- Take the time to discuss who you could give this act of service to.

- End by showing a picture of missionaries and explain how missionaries are serving God. Discuss how when we are serving others, we are being missionaries.
Encourage application (playing a game)

- Using 6 colors of cardstock make a large game board that goes around your room. Hang a picture of the Savior at the end of your board. Color the game key that matches the cardstock you already had. (I thought this would be easier than having you match cardstock to my key.)

- Print off the two moving pieces and cut them out.

- Play the game as directed in the outline.

- I have included a spinner. Or, if you’re like me and can never find a brad when needed, I have also included a large die.

Sing the song “When We’re Helping” (CS, 198).

If time permits we have a great packet called The “Serv-Ants.” Included in the packet is a story about two families of ants. One family chooses to serve others and one doesn’t. It’s a cute lesson to help the kiddos understand service. There is a service scavenger hunt that you are given permission to copy and use as a hand out for your Primary kids.

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**November Specials**

- **Serv-Ants** $2
- **Testimony**
- **Nephi** $1.75
- **Article of Faith Wordstrips 1-13** $4
- **Daniel**
- **Noah**

Remember to join our FACEBOOK group to find out about our FREE packet days.
Matthew 25:40

Ye have done it unto me, brethren.

Least of these my brethren as ye have done it unto one of the least of these, I say unto you, Verily I say unto you.
Mosiah 2:17

service of your God.

beings ye are only the

service of your fellow

learn that when ye are

wisdom; that ye may

these things that ye may

And hold, I tell u
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<td><strong>Rake a friend’s leaves</strong></td>
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<td>Pick up an item on the floor of the grocery store</td>
<td>“Giving Food to someone who is hungry”</td>
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<td><strong>Sweep the kitchen floor</strong></td>
<td><strong>Wash your Dad’s Car</strong></td>
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Assembly Directions

- Cut on all dashed lines.
- Fold a crease on all solid lines.
- Fold each side in, forming a cube. Use a glue stick or small amounts of white glue to adhere the insides of the cube together. Be sure that all numbers are on the outside.
We can Serve others

Color Chart

Parents

Brother/Sister

Grandparents

Neighbor

Friend

Teacher

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Game Pieces

- Neighbor
- Friend
- Teacher
- Brother/Sister
- Grandparents
- Parents

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