

PreK

Gospel
Project

Studying
God's Word
Together!

DEVOTIONAL

JESUS FORGIVES AND HEALS

STORY POINT:

Jesus showed His power by forgiving sin.

CHRIST CONNECTION:

Jesus showed His power by forgiving sin and healing the man who could not walk. Jesus can forgive sins and heal people because Jesus is God.

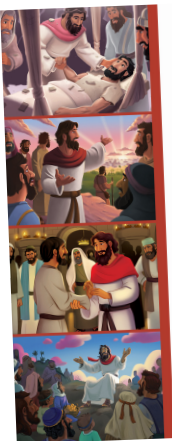


Read: Matthew 9; Mark 2; Luke 5

Bible Story Recap:



- People gathered at a house to listen to Jesus. So many people came that there was no room for anyone to come inside.
- Four friends brought their friend to the house. They carried him on a mat because the man couldn't walk. They took off part of the roof and lowered the man down to Jesus.
- Jesus told the man, "Your sins are forgiven!" The religious leaders thought. "Only God can forgive sins." They were right; Jesus is God!
- Then Jesus told the man, "Get up. Pick up your mat and go home." The man did! Jesus had healed him. Everyone in the crowd was amazed by Jesus.



What did Jesus teach when He was on earth?

Jesus taught about God and His kingdom.

Big Question & Answer

Serve:



Purchase a Bible and choose a person or place to receive the Bible as a gift. Remind your child that the Bible shows us God's plan to save sinners through His Son, Jesus. Explain how the whole Bible points us to Jesus as the one who has power and authority to forgive sins. Deliver the Bible and ask God to use it to reveal His Son, Jesus, to whoever reads it.

Make it Fun:



Make a list of to-dos and chores for your household. Assign each chore to a family member. Encourage them to work together to accomplish the task. Remind your child of the friends who helped bring the paralyzed man to Jesus. Talk about other ways your family can help one another. Be sure to point out how Jesus has forgiven all who believe in Him and has given them the Holy Spirit as a helper to follow Jesus.



In the same way, let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven.

Matthew 5:16

Key Passage

Name of Child:

Parent Signature:

Parents: Please sign and return this devotional for your child to earn a prize from the PreK Treasure Box. You may hand this to Pastor Julie Llewellyn, her assistant Katie Dorsey or hand to their teachers when you drop them off at the classroom. Thank you.