

# DAY 4

Daily VBS Stream: [www.saxegotha.org/Godatwork](http://www.saxegotha.org/Godatwork)



## **Foundation Of Promise**

Matthew 28:1-10, 16-20

## **Daily Point**

Jesus will always love me.

## **Today's Purpose**

Leaders will lead students/adults to understand that Jesus' death, burial, and resurrection prove His power over sin and death. He is able to keep His promise to be with them always.

## **Bonus Verse Purpose**

"And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age." Matthew 28:20b (CSB®)

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## Today's Activities:

**Music:** Selections from the CD

**Craft:** Verse Sign

**Bible:** Jesus Resurrection and Promise (Matthew 28:1-20)

**Missions:** Be a Missionary; How did God lead you?

**Recreation:** Choose a family game from the recreation bag

**Challenge:** Paint/decorate a rock to share God's promise with others. Place it somewhere for others to see.

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# DAY 4 FOUNDATION OF PROMISE

**BIBLE STORY:** Jesus' resurrection and promise.

**Point:** Jesus will always love me.

Jesus was arrested for crimes He did not commit, beaten, and nailed to a cross where He died for the sins of all people. His body was placed in a tomb. A large stone was placed over the opening of the tomb. Guards stood by the tomb so no one could get in. The followers of Jesus believed their hope was gone. Early on Sunday morning Mary Magdalene and Mary the mother of James walked to the tomb. There had been a violent earthquake and an angel of the Lord had come down from heaven. The angel rolled back the stone that had been placed in front of the tomb and sat on it. The angel had the appearance of lightning and his clothes were as white as snow. The guards who had been placed in front of the tomb to guard Jesus' body were so frightened that they fainted and fell to the ground. When the women saw the angel they were frightened, but the angel reminded them that Jesus had risen just as He had told them He would. The angel invited the women to come see where Jesus had been and then told them to go and tell Jesus' disciples what they had seen. Jesus met the women on the way and said to them, "Do not be afraid. Go and tell my disciples to leave for Galilee, and they will see me there." The women ran to tell the disciples the great news—Jesus is alive! They told the disciples to go to Galilee, where Jesus would meet them. The eleven disciples traveled to the mountain in Galilee where Jesus had directed them to go. When the disciples saw Jesus, they worshiped Him. Jesus said to the men, "Go and make disciples everywhere. Baptize people and teach them to do everything I have told you." Then Jesus made an amazing promise. He promised to be with them always! Matthew 28:1-10,16-20

## Questions:

-What is a promise?

-Do you know any of God's promises?

# DAY 4 MISSIONS - What does missions look like for me?

Supplies: Missions Blueprint

Verse: 1 Peter 4: 8-11

8 Above all, love each other deeply, because love covers over a multitude of sins. 9 Offer hospitality to one another without grumbling. 10 Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms. 11 If anyone speaks, they should do so as one who speaks the very words of God. If anyone serves, they should do so with the strength God provides, so that in all things God may be praised through Jesus Christ. To him be the glory and the power for ever and ever. Amen.

Video: Indianapolis – Serving the Community

Overview:

When missionaries arrive in a new community, many of them do not know anyone in the city or town when they get there. Sometimes they are still learning the language and culture of the community they now live in. It can be difficult for them to meet people in order to share the good news about Jesus. Today we will meet the Rikers, who came up with an easy, do-it-yourself way to meet those around them and share the gospel.

Activity:

This week, we have spent a lot of time thinking about and walking around our community. We have prayed for those around us asking God how we can help others. Today, we are going to be missionaries. Think about those around you, what is a way that you and your family could serve someone around you. Maybe like the Rikers, you could bake someone cookies. Or you could help an elderly neighbor with their yard. Maybe your family could write thank you cards to the doctors and nurses at the local hospital who are working to keep people safe and healthy.

# VBS 2020 - Recreation

## Wrecking ball

- Included in the box - tennis ball, sock
- To be used from home - hat, tape, water bottles or plastic cups
- Directions - Put the tennis ball in the sock and tape it to a hat. Swing it to knock bottles over.

## Roll the Stone

- Included in the box - sidewalk chalk, beach ball
- To be used from home - hula hoop, heavier ball (kick ball, basketball, et.)
- Directions - Draw a chalk circle or use a hula hoop. Put the beach ball in a circle, take a heavier ball and roll it into a circle and try to knock the beach ball out.

## Long jump

- Included in the box - sidewalk chalk
- To be used from home - N/A
- Directions - Jump as far as out can and mark with chalk to see who can jump the farthest.

## Rubble Clean Up

- Included in the box - sidewalk chalk
- To be used from home - balled up scrap paper and newspaper
- Directions - Draw a line on the driveway and divide into teams. Toss the “rubble” over the line to clean up your area for 45 seconds. The team with the least amount of “rubble” wins.

## Coin Drop

- Included in the box - N/A
- To be used from home - pennies, empty water bottle
- Directions - Each person stands over the bottle and tries to drop 3 pennies in. The first person to do that wins.

## Bucket and Crane

- Included in the box - N/A
- To be used from home—beach pail or small bucket with handle
- Directions - Fill a bucket with water. Everyone stands in a line and lifts their arms up to pass the bucket. The goal is not to spill any water.

## Cone Toss

- Included in the box - 2 cups, beach ball
- To be used from home - water balloon (in place of beach ball)
- Directions - 2 People stand apart holding cups. Attempt to catch the ball with the cup. See how many times you can catch the ball in 1 minute.