

AWWBS 2024 Large Group Schedule

OPENING SESSION:

5:45 - 6:00 Crew Leader Connection

6:00 - 6:10 Jump Start

6:10 - 6:40 Opening Assembly

6:08 Countdown

6:10 Host Welcome

6:15 Worship (2 songs)

6:25 Bible Story- Host(s)

6:30 Worship (1 song)

6:35 Preschool Dismissal

6:35 Missions Highlight

6:40 Prayer/Dismissal

6:45-7:50 Rotations

CLOSING SESSION:

7:50-8:00 Mini Jumpstart 8:00-8:15 Closing Session

8:00-8:05 Recap

8:05-8:10 Offering Update

8:10-8:15 Worship (1 song)

8:15 Prayer/Dismissal





What this week is about ...

THEME VERSE:

Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not rely on your own understanding; in all your ways know him, and he will make your paths straight. Proverbs 3:5-6

THEME MOTTO:

God's Truth Never Changes!

DAILY LESSONS:

DAY 1:

Bible Story: Satan Tricked Adam and Eve (Genesis 2–3)

Today's Point: Truth comes from God.

Some People Say: Truth can be different

for different people.

God Says: Truth comes from Me.

DAY 3:

Bible Story: The Rich Young Ruler (Mark 10:17-27)

Today's Point: Everyone needs Jesus.

Some People Say: Being a good person gets you into heaven.

God Says: Everyone sins and needs a

Savior.

DAY 2:

Bible Story: Daniel Chose God's Way

(Daniel 1)

Today's Point: God's plan is best.

Some People Say: Do what makes you

happy.

God Says: My plan for you is even better.

DAY 4:

Bible Story: The Power of the Holy Spirit (Ephesians 3:16-4:6)

Today's Point: The Holy Spirit changes us.

Some People Say: Follow your heart to be good.

God Says: The Holy Spirit will teach you

to do what is good.

*The daily opening session provides a skit script where 2 hosts banter to tease what kids will be learning that day. These can be edited and combined if you do not have 2 hosts.

Suggested host names: Host 1 - Rocky and Host 2 - Ranger

DAY Opening Session

5:45 - 6:00 Crew Leader Connection (15 mins)

6:00 - 6:10 Jump Start (10 mins)

6:10 - 6:40 Opening Session (30 mins)

Props Needed: Sand bucket and shovel

VIDEO: COUNTDOWN

SLIDE: BUMPER_VIDEO

SLIDE: THEME_SEAGULLS_LOOP

6:19-6:15 HOST WELCOME

Host 1 (Rocky) enters carrying a sand bucket and sand shovel. Host 2 (Ranger) walks in from the other side of the stage.

HOST 2: "Hey Rocky, about to do some digging?"

HOST 1: "Hey Ranger! No, I'm actually on my way to the sandcastle contest."

HOST 2: "Oh cool! You'll enjoy seeing all of the different sand sculptures. They're amazing!"

HOST 1: "Oh no, I'm not on my way to see it. I'm on my way to WIN it!"

HOST 2: "Ummm. You do realize that the people who enter the competition each year are professionals, right? They are skilled artists who have made plans and practiced for years to be ready for this competition. Last year's first place winners worked for 5½ hours and had a whole team of people working together to complete their masterpiece."

HOST 1: looking shocked "Oh. I didn't realize it would be that much work or that I would need help. I thought I would be good enough to do it on my own."

HOST 2: "Sometimes it can be easy to think that we have what it takes and that we can always be good enough on our own. But that's not always true. For example, lots of people think they can simply do enough good things on their own during their lifetime and that's all it takes. But that's simply not true."

HOST 1: "What do you mean?"

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HOST 2: "Well, the Bible teaches that everyone sins and falls short of the standard of God's perfect Will. No one can ever be good enough on his own. That's why God sent Jesus—to do for us what we could not do for ourselves. But He also sent someone else to be our Helper after Jesus ascended back into Heaven."

HOST 1: "A Helper? That sounds so great! Sometimes it is really hard for me to be kind or patient or make the right decisions. It seems impossible!"

HOST 2: "That's right, it is impossible! In fact, Jesus told us in John 16:7 that it is better for us for Jesus to go away, so the Helper can come!"

HOST 1: "Well...who is this Helper?

HOST 2: "We'll learn all about it in our Bible story today, but our Daily Truth will give us a hint:

SLIDE: DAY 4 DAILY TRUTH

Today we are learning that The Holy Spirit Changes Us.

SLIDE: DAY 4 GOD SAYS/PEOPLE SAY

Some people say: Follow your heart to be good, but God says, The Holy Spirit will teach you what is good. We've been learning how the world and even our own hearts can trick us or deceive us, but the good news is that the Holy Spirit changes our hearts so that it is like God's! We can make good choices when we allow the Holy Spirit to change us and teach us!"

worship team enters.

HOST 1: "Yes, I can't wait to learn more! In the meantime, you want to enter this sandcastle competition with me? I know I cannot do it on my own!"

HOST 2: "I'd love to! We'll be much better together! Let's hurry!"

host(s) exits to side/back stage

6:15-6:25 WORSHIP

Worship Leader: "Welcome to the last day of Adventure Week VBS! Last night we learned about the Good News of Jesus coming to rescue us from our sin, and tonight we get to learn about the Helper, the Holy Spirit, who changes us and teaches us to do what is right! Let's sing together! It's our last night, so sing as loud as you can and dance with your heart!"

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VIDEO: SONG I - MY FEET ARE ON THE ROCK (3:94)

VIDEO: SONG 2 - PRAISE (3:57)

host enters holding a Bible as the last song is ending, worship team exits quickly.

6:25-6:30 BIBLE STORY

(Can be told by 1 host or 2 that switch parts).

HOST 1 OR 2: "Today, we are learning about a true story from the Bible. hold up Bible.

The Bible is God's Word given to us. It is full of stories about real people like you and me. All of these stories fit together to tell one Big Story, the story of how much God loves us and His awesome plan for us! Today, I am going to tell you a story from the book of Ephesians in the New Testament. This book is a letter to a church from a very important follower of Jesus named Paul.

SLIDE: DAY 4 BIBLE STORY PICTURE 1

"You see, it's important to know that Paul didn't always love or follow Jesus. At first, he thought he was doing the right thing by stopping people who believed in Jesus. He arrested and even hurt people who claimed to follow Jesus. But then, Jesus spoke to Paul, and he realized that Jesus was really God's Son. From that moment on, Paul decided to follow God and help others do the same. Paul traveled to many places to tell people about Jesus and started new churches. He spent a long time in a town called Ephesus, where he taught people about God's love and how Jesus was the key to knowing God. Many people believed in Jesus because of Paul's work.

SLIDE: DAY 4 BIBLE STORY PICTURE 2

A while later, he wrote a letter to the people in Ephesus. He encouraged the people to remember how much God loves them and that the Holy Spirit, which is like a fire, gives them power to do good things. Paul wanted people to be filled with God's love and to grow in their relationship with Jesus.

He also warned them to be careful about listening to people who might try to trick them or tell them wrong things about Jesus. Paul said that believing in these lies is like being a ship tossed around by wind and waves. (sound familiar??) Instead, he encouraged everyone to speak the truth in a loving way, so they could become more like Jesus.

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Finally, Paul told them that when we decide to follow Jesus, the Holy Spirit comes into our lives and changes us. The Holy Spirit helps us understand God's love, make good choices, and show love to others.

SLIDE: DAY 3 DAILY TRUTH

worship teams enters

Today's Daily Truth is: "The Holy Spirit Changes Us." Let's sing one more song together as we think about how God's Plan is higher and better and greater than our own!"

VIDEO: SONG 3 - EVEN BETTER (1:53)

host enters and dismisses preschool

6:35-6:49 MISSIONS HIGHLIGHT

HOST 1 OR 2: Recap the "what" and "Why" of our missions giving. Gives offering instructions.

VIDEO: DAY 4 MISSIONS (2:25)

SLIDE: THEME_SEAGULLS_LOOP

6:49 PRAYER/DISMISSAL

Children's Minister/Host enters and gives dismissal instructions.

6:45-7:59 ROTATIONS



7:50-8:00 Mini Jump Start **8:00-8:15** Closing Session

8:15 Dismissal

VIDEO: COUNTDOWN

SLIDE: THEME_SEAGULLS_LOOP

8:00-8:05 HOST RECAP

host enters by using a chant to call attention. volunteers for Memory Verse are waiting back/side stage.

"When I say Adventure, you say Week! Adventure..." Week!

"When I say Breaker Rock, you say Beach! Breaker Rock...." Beach!

"When I say God's Truth, you say Never Changes! God's Truth..." Never Changes!

HOST 1 or 2: "Welcome back to our very last session, and welcome parents! I am so sad that this is our last time together, but I hope to see you all at our Family Finale right after this! We will have (describe what your campus Family Finale plan is). We're going to review all of the amazing truths that we have learned this week! Can our volunteers for our Memory Verse please come up? Everyone, let's stand and say these together!"

SLIDE: MEMORY VERSE

kids lead memory verse

HOST 1 or 2: "Awesome job! Now, let's go over our Daily Truths. Do you remember all of them? Keep standing, and say these with me:"

SLIDE: DAY I TRUTH COMES FROM GOD.

SLIDE: DAY 2 GOD'S PLAN IS BEST.

SLIDE: DAY 3 EVERYONE NEEDS JESUS.

SLIDE: DAY 4 THE HOLY SPIRIT CHANGES US

8:05-8:10 MISSIONS/GIVING UPDATE

HOST 1 OR 2: gives final missions/giving update

Children's Minister enters

DAY 4 Closing Session

CHILDREN'S MINISTER: Gives instructions how token challenge winner will be announced at the Family Finale. Invites families to weekly worship. Gives service times. Introduces video.

VIDEO: RBKIDS PROMO

worship team enters as video is ending

8:18-8:15 WORSHIP

WORSHIP LEADER: "Let's sing one more time together before we end the night at our Family Finale! Everyone, up on your feet and sing with us!"

VIDEO: SONG 4: BREAKER ROCK BEACH (2:23)

optional: confetti cannon as song ends

SLIDE: TOKEN CHALLENGE

8:15 PRAYER/DISMISSAL

Children's Minister/Host enters and gives dismissal instructions for Family Finale and Token Challenge winners.

SLIDE: GOODBYE_MOTION