

PARENT GUIDE

PROPEL JR.

3 YEARS OLD TO KINDERGARTEN

OCTOBER 1

MEMORY VERSE

"God is with you wherever you go."
(Joshua 1:9, NLT)

KEY QUESTION & BOTTOM LINE

WHO'S GOT IT?
GOD'S GOT IT!

BASIC TRUTH

God loves me.

TEACHING VIDEO LINK

You and your little ones can also watch Propels' online worship experience. This activity page goes along with the service. It is available on our website www.clintoncommunitychurch.org, facebook, and on our youtube page.

ACTIVITY: IN AND OUT

WHAT YOU NEED: TAPE

WHAT YOU DO:

Make a large circle with the tape in the middle of the activity area. Tell your child to stand outside the circle. Then say, "IN" and have the them jump into the circle and yell, "God's got it!" Then say, "OUT" and have the them jump out of the circle. Repeat as long as there is interest.

WHAT YOU SAY:

Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego loved and obeyed God. They would not bow down to King Nebuchadnezzar's statue, so he had them thrown into the furnace. A furnace is a room that's like a fireplace. Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego knew that God was with them and that no matter what happens, God's got it. Let's pretend that this circle is the furnace in our Bible story today. Let's jump in and say, 'God's got it.' Nice job! Now, jump out! Let's do it again!

God was with Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego and saved them from the fire. God listens to us and is always there when we need Him! God's got it. Who's got it? God's got it!



ACTIVITY: PUT OUT THE FIRE

WHAT YOU NEED: 3 EMPTY, CLEAR TWO-LITER BOTTLES, RED AND YELLOW PAPER, A BLUE BALL

WHAT YOU DO:

Remove the label from each two-liter bottle. Wrap each empty bottle with red or yellow paper. Set the bottles upright on the floor in a "V" formation (like bowling pins). Set the blue ball three feet away on the floor in your activity area.

Line up the children behind the blue ball. Let the children take turns rolling the blue ball (water) to knock down the pins (fire). Make sure each child rolls the ball and retrieves it. Sanitize the ball and then hand it to the next child in line so that everyone has a turn. Repeat as time and interest allow, then clean up!

WHAT YOU SAY:

Friends, come stand here with me. Do you see our bottles here? They look like fire! Let's roll the ball, which is blue like water, to knock over the bottles and put out the fire. After you roll the ball, run to pick it up, and bring it back so everyone can have a turn. Let's put out that fire!

Great job, little fire fighters! In our Bible story, we heard about some men who faced a VERY hot fire, but they didn't have any water to put it out. They had God! God protected them from the King, and just like he did in the Bible story, God's got you today!

PRAYER

PARENT: Dear God, You are SO big and powerful, and You really can be with us wherever we go. You can be with us when we go to the doctor, on a walk, or even when we go to sleep. Only YOU can do that! Help us remember that so we can be brave and do the right thing. We love You, God. In Jesus' name, amen.