



PRESCHOOL THREE BRAVE FRIENDS

Young Reader's Bible: Three Brave Friends

Supplies: Construction paper (2 pieces for each child), fire colored tissue paper, people cutouts, crayons, glue sticks.

Open: Greet each child by name and play for three-five minutes, go over the classroom rules.

Main Point to Drive Home: God rescued Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego from the fiery furnace.

Story Time:

Take the bigger kids into the story room (leaving the door open and using the gate). Have them choose a carpet square to sit on for the story.

Review: Review the 10 Commandments up to what the kids know, add another if they're ready. Ask what they remember from the story last week. (They learned about Jonah). Explain: We learned about how Jonah ran from God, but how God rescued him from the belly of a fish. Today, we're going to learn about how God rescued three brave friends.

Read "Three Brave Friends."

Explain: Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego followed God and didn't bow down to idols. When they were put into a furnace for disobeying the king, God rescued them.

Do a Craft:

Create the scene of the furnace. For each child have two pieces of construction paper, fire colored tissue paper, and cut outs of the three friends plus the other man in the fire. Have the kids color and glue the scene together onto one piece of construction paper. After it is finished, cut a flap in the second piece of construction paper so it looks like a door. This way, they can open and close the furnace to see how God rescued Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego.

Close in Prayer

