

'Dare To Be A Disciple' Teaching Programme

MAIN THEME: What does it take to be a disciple of Jesus? The story of Peter the disciple

OVERVIEW: Looking at the choices Peter made as he followed Jesus - sometimes making poor choices and sometimes making a stand for God

Day	Theme	Story, Bible Text & Application (10-15 mins)		Memory Verse (10 mins)
Sunday	A Disciple Is A Christian	Storyteller: Story: Text: Application:	Peter Called As A Disciple Matthew 4:18-22 Starting with the basics! A disciple of Jesus is a follower, called a 'Christian'. Peter put following Jesus first in his life	John Ch. 14 v 6 I am the Way, the Truth and the Life. No one comes to the Father except through me
Monday	A Disciple Trusts God	Storyteller: Story: Text: Application:	Peter Walks On The Sea Matthew 14:22-33 Living as a follower of Jesus requires us to trust him with everything that goes on in our lives, without taking our eyes off him!	Proverbs Ch. 3 v 5 Trust in the Lord with all your heart and he will direct your paths
Tuesday	A Disciple Knows God Is Powerful	Storyteller: Story: Text: Application:	Feeding The 4000 & Peter's Confession Matthew 15:29-39; Colossians 1:15-17 Matthew 16:13-17 Jesus could create lots of food from little food because he is the creator; he is God!	Jeremiah Ch. 32 v 27 I am the Lord, the God of all mankind. Is anything too hard for me?
Wednesday	A Disciple Is Sorry	Storyteller: Story: Text: Application:	Peter's Denial & Repentance Matthew 26:69-75; John 21:15-19 We all make mistakes and let ourselves and others down, but God still loves us and wants to forgive us; we just need to be willing to say sorry to others and to God	1 John Ch. 1 v 9 If we confess our sin, he is faithful and just to forgive our sin
Thursday	A Disciple Is Going To Heaven	Storyteller: Story: Text: Application:	Crucifixion & Resurrection Matthew 27:31-65; 28:1-10 Mark 15:21-47; 16:1-5 Luke 23:26-53; 24:1-12a John 19:17-42; 20:1-2 Jesus died to pay the price for our sin; and as he has power over death, he can give you everlasting life too!	John Ch. 3 v 16 For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten son, that whoever believes on him shall not perish but have eternal life
Friday	A Disciple Tells Others About Jesus	Storyteller: Story: Text: Application:	Pentecost & Healing Crippled Beggar Acts 2; Acts 3 Followers of Jesus just want to tell everybody about Jesus, whether large crowds or just one-on-one! Either way, practically helping people is a great way of showing the love of Jesus!	Matthew Ch. 10 v 32 Jesus says, "Whoever tells people they are my friend, I will tell God they are my friend"