



2018 Summer Camp Curriculum

	Title	Scripture	Theological Summary	Campers Will
Sunday	What If We Belong to God?	Psalms 139	God created us so that God can love us and know us intimately. Nothing we can do can change God's intimate love for us.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • learn that God already knows and loves us • be assured that God knows the hopes and fears we bring to camp • get to know each other as children of God • experience welcome and hospitality
Monday	What If God Is Bigger?	Luke 1:35-55	God chooses each of us to make God's love bigger, and today is a day to invite campers to celebrate the ways God's love can be made bigger by each of us.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • learn that God is bigger than what has been and what we imagine will be • explore the vastness of God's creation • discover amazing visions of God's people that have already come to pass • wonder what else we may still discover about God • claim discovery about God as a journey with no end
Tuesday	What If Hope Is Real?	Mark 2:1-5	Jesus affirms that trusting in and acting on behalf of hopeful instincts is a powerful way to embody faith.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • learn that hope is a necessary force in our faith lives • learn that hope can always be found and is a sign of God's presence • learn hope pushes us to innovate and create new solutions to the world's problems • learn where our hopes align with God's hope and seek to align us further
Wednesday	What If We Speak Up?	Mark 7:24-30	If even Jesus can have his mind opened by fearlessness in the face of injustice, just imagine how big God's grace must be!	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • discern God's way for the world • find the courage to use our gifts as God's voice in the world • reflect on where the world needs us most • claim personal passion as it connects with God's vision for the world
Thursday	What If We Change the World?	Matthew 5:13-16	Jesus encourages us to embrace the ways that God wants to use us to make the world a better place.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • learn that responding to God's call can make a difference • imagine the world as God intends • learn that God's Spirit is alive in us • find our community's support in changing the world
Friday	What If We Go Beyond?	Luke 10:1-9	As you send your campers out into the world, remind them that they do not go alone; there is nowhere they can go that God doesn't go with them.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • believe in God's power to work through us • know we go into a world that is already bigger than it was a few days ago • see beyond today • go to proclaim God's vision for the future and invite others to participate