SuperNova Kids' Make-it-Stick

TIME TRAVELERS!

Lesson Title: Jesus for the Save!

<u>Main Point:</u> Kids will learn that even when we feel broken, God has already made a plan to save us.

<u>Bible Verse:</u> "Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever." Hebrews 13:8

<u>In the Car:</u> Ask your child what we did at SNK on the drive home. Hint: We continued our Time Travelers series! Each weekend we are going "back in time" and looking at truths



from the Bible. Today we traveled back in time seven centuries before Christ to a place called Judah. We met a man named Isaiah! Isaiah was a prophet who spoke to God's people about His plan for saving the world. Today we read about how God cleansed his lips with hot coal. This metaphor reminds us that God can cleanse our hearts. You can read the story in the Old Testament, in the book of Isaiah 6:1-8 and Isaiah 7:13-14.

<u>Hanging Out:</u>: When you're hanging out this week, consider having a barbeque. Be safe, but take some time to show your children how hot the coals get on a bbq. Talk about the fact that heat not only burns things, but it also kills germs and removes impurities. Jesus came to remove our sins and cleanse our hearts. He doesn't burn us up, but he burns off our sins and helps clean us up! One idea to explore this more is to draw a heart on a piece of paper. Have your kids write some words describing some of the messy things they struggle with in life. Then, pray over these items, that Jesus would remove these things from their hearts and make them whole again. As you feel it is appropriate, throw the paper heart in a fire, and let it burn up. Discuss the way Jesus can make us clean.

At Dinner: Here are some great discussion starters:-

- What is your favorite food to BBQ?
- If you could travel back in time to any place or time in history where would you go?
- What is one thing you learned about Isaiah or Jesus this week?

At Bedtime: Review this verse. "Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever." Hebrews 13:8. Say the verse together a few times. What are some changes that are happening in your life? Why is it important that Jesus stays the same? Pray that Jesus will help you remember he is the same loving, caring, God even when things change.

<u>Parent Insight:</u> The Bible tells us that everyone has sinned and fallen short of God's holiness. That can feel like bad news. But Jesus gives us good news? God knew we were going to mess up, and He loved us anyway. Before any of us were even born, God already had a plan to save us and bring us back into relationship with him through Jesus. The nation of Israel was broken, but God loved them and was watching over them, and had a plan to save them. And He also has a plan to save us when we follow the Messiah, Jesus. If you have questions about what this means, reach out to one of the TerraNova pastors or a Christian friend. When your kids see you take this step, they are more likely to make this decision in their life too.