



**MONTHLY
BIBLE STORY**

Good Samaritan

LUKE 10:25-37; GALATIANS 6:2

BIBLE WORDS

"Be kind and loving
to each other."

EPHESIANS 4:32, NCV

BOTTOM LINE

You can do what Jesus says.

BASIC TRUTH

Jesus wants to be
my friend forever.

STORY TIME

Gather children on a rug or in a specific area of the classroom to tell the story. Some children (especially the younger ones) may wander. That's okay. They're still listening and learning!

WHAT YOU NEED: Preschool Bible, butcher paper, and washable markers

LEADER: "Hello, friends! I'm so glad to see you today. Come join me on the floor. Today's true story from the Bible (*hold up the Bible*) begins with Jesus. (*Draw a simple stick man "Jesus."*) Jesus told stories to help teach us important things—like how to care for others.

"Today's story is about a man who was walking down the road when some people hurt him and took his money. (*Draw a simple hurt stick man on the ground.*) He's hurt and needs help! Here comes someone . . . oh, he walked right by the hurt man. (*Draw a simple stick man walking by the hurt man.*) Here comes another person . . . he didn't stop either! (*Draw a 2nd simple stick man walking by the hurt man.*) Oh no! But wait! There's someone else coming. This man stopped! He helped bandage the hurt man's boo-boos! (*Draw a simple stick man bandaging the hurt man.*) Then he helped the hurt man onto his donkey and took him somewhere safe to get all better! (*Draw a simple stick man next to the simple stick bandaged man on a simple stick donkey.*) He cared for the hurt man. You can do what Jesus says and care for others! When you give someone a hug when they're sad or share a snack when they're hungry, you are doing what Jesus says! **You can do what Jesus says."**



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CRAFT TIME

Gather small groups of children around you at a table for toddler craft time. Depending on the size of your group, you may lead the craft two or three times. Not every child may want to participate in craft time. That's okay. Feel free to send home the craft materials for them to complete with their mom or dad.

WHAT YOU NEED: "Bandage the Boo-Boos" Activity Page, cardstock, Ollie™ bandages, and a permanent marker

WHAT YOU DO:

BEFORE THE ACTIVITY: Copy "Bandage the Boo-Boos" on cardstock, one per child. Write each child's name on their paper.

DURING THE ACTIVITY: Encourage children to add their Ollie™ bandage to the hurt man on their paper.

WHAT YOU SAY:

DURING THE ACTIVITY: "Look at your picture. That's the hurt man with all the boo-boos from our story. Let's do what Jesus says and care for him. I have a special bandage you can put on his boo-boos to help him feel better. (Unwrap the Ollie™ bandage.) It's Ollie the owl! Stick the bandage on your picture. (Pause.) Oh, yay! You helped the hurt man feel better! Good job! **You can do what Jesus says.**"