

Kidz Corner

Welcome to Kidz Corner! We encourage you to use these resources to involve your children with worship today.

Here are some things that you can do with children of all ages:

Our lesson for today is all about the **Hero of Hope**.

Have your children watch the children's message at this link:

[Children's Message](#)



Listen and sing along to [My Hope is in the Lord](#)

Help your child learn our verse for today: **2 Peter 1:4**

*"By these he has given us very great and precious promises,
so that through them you may share in the divine nature..."*

Let's Chat: What are some things that you have hoped for? How do you feel when those wishes don't come true? Who is a hero to you? Has that person ever let you down? How did that feel?

- **Jesus is the one TRUE hero of the Bible and He will NEVER let you down.** Hope the world speaks of and hope in Jesus are different. The hope we have in Jesus is not just wishful thinking; It is a confident expectation based on God's faithfulness in His promises. When we have hope in Jesus, we are filled with His strength. We are able to put our trust in Him and face the challenges before us. Hope takes away worry and anxiety and gives us encouragement.
- Still the Bible is filled with many characters that we consider heroes that shared hope with God's people. Today we are talking about Peter. We know that Peter was one of the disciples, he was a fisherman. We know he struggled. He took his eyes off Jesus when he was walking out to Him on the water, so he began to sink, He denied Jesus 3x, but yet Jesus forgave him and called him the rock/foundation on which the church would be built because of his passion for Jesus and his faith. He is a Hero of Hope!

Other ways you can keep your child engaged with today's lesson:

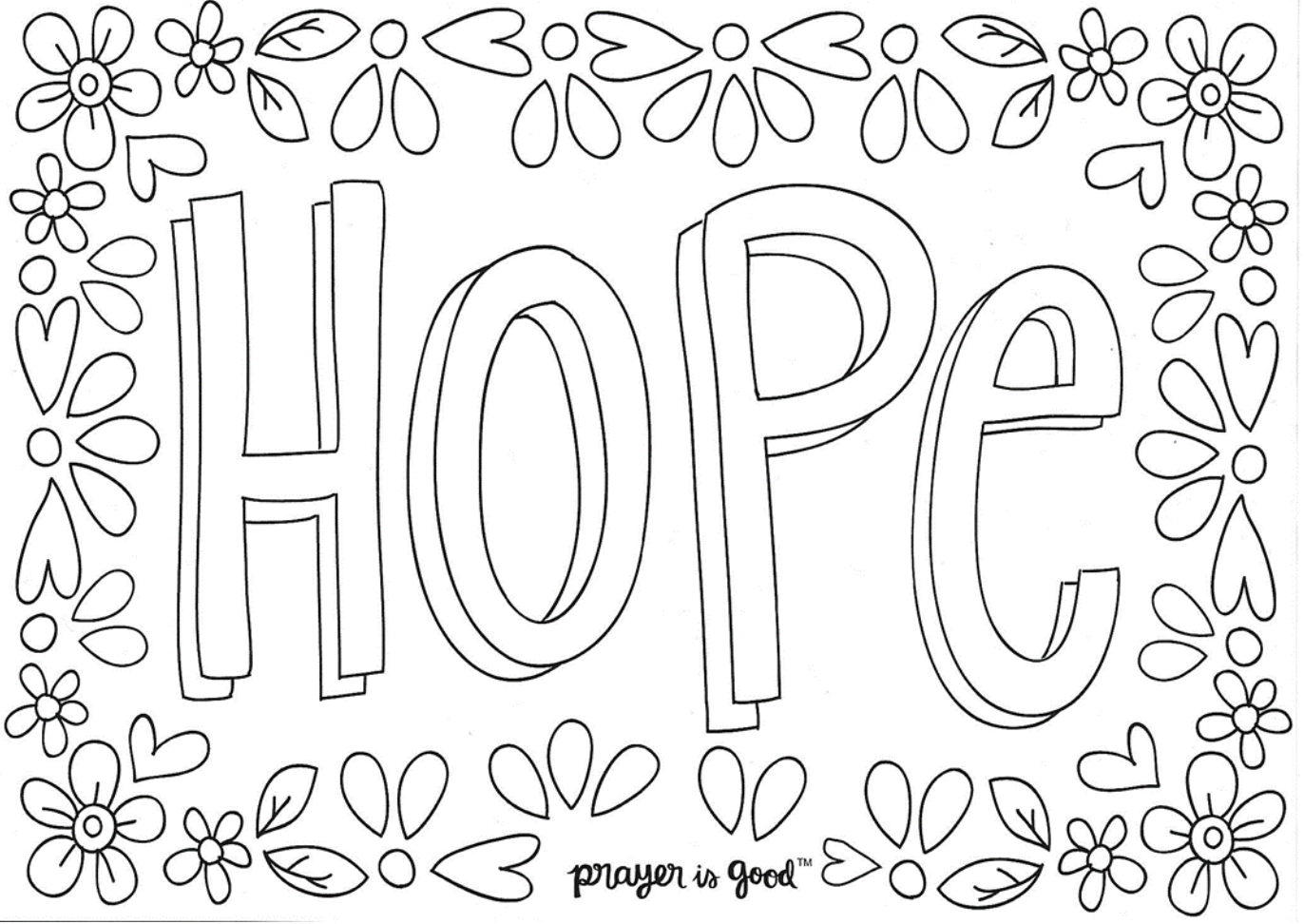
- Work with your child on the School Age Activity
- Color the HOPE page
- Complete all of the activity pages

Today's Prayer Time: Father- thank you for your faithfulness in always keeping your promises. Thank you for sending Jesus to die and rise. It fills us with hope and joy knowing that some day we will live with you in heaven. AMEN!



School Age Activity

Use this activity to help your children recognize the hope they have when they trust God to guide them. Using pieces of paper or cardboard, create a “steppingstone” path from one side of the room to the other. Add small obstacles along the way, perhaps a stool to climb over, etc. As they walk talk about the obstacles we face in life: moving to a different school, being stuck at home, and being sick. Place a blindfold over your child’s eyes. Explain that often we can’t see how to get through the obstacles in our lives. We may say that we “hope” to find our way through, but what are our chances? Take your child’s hand and guide him along each step of the path. Explain that we can face the challenges of life because we know God is with us. Even when we can’t see where we’re headed, our hope comes from knowing that God directs us.



HOPE

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Bible Pathway Adventures

WORD SEARCH

PETER

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Peter

Fishing for Men

Acts 4:1-13

Introduction

When Jesus went back to heaven, He sent the Holy Spirit to live in each believer. After that, Peter was not afraid to tell everyone he belonged to Jesus. He preached and won many souls. He was put in prison for preaching, but an angel came and led him out. Right away, Peter went to another town and kept on preaching.

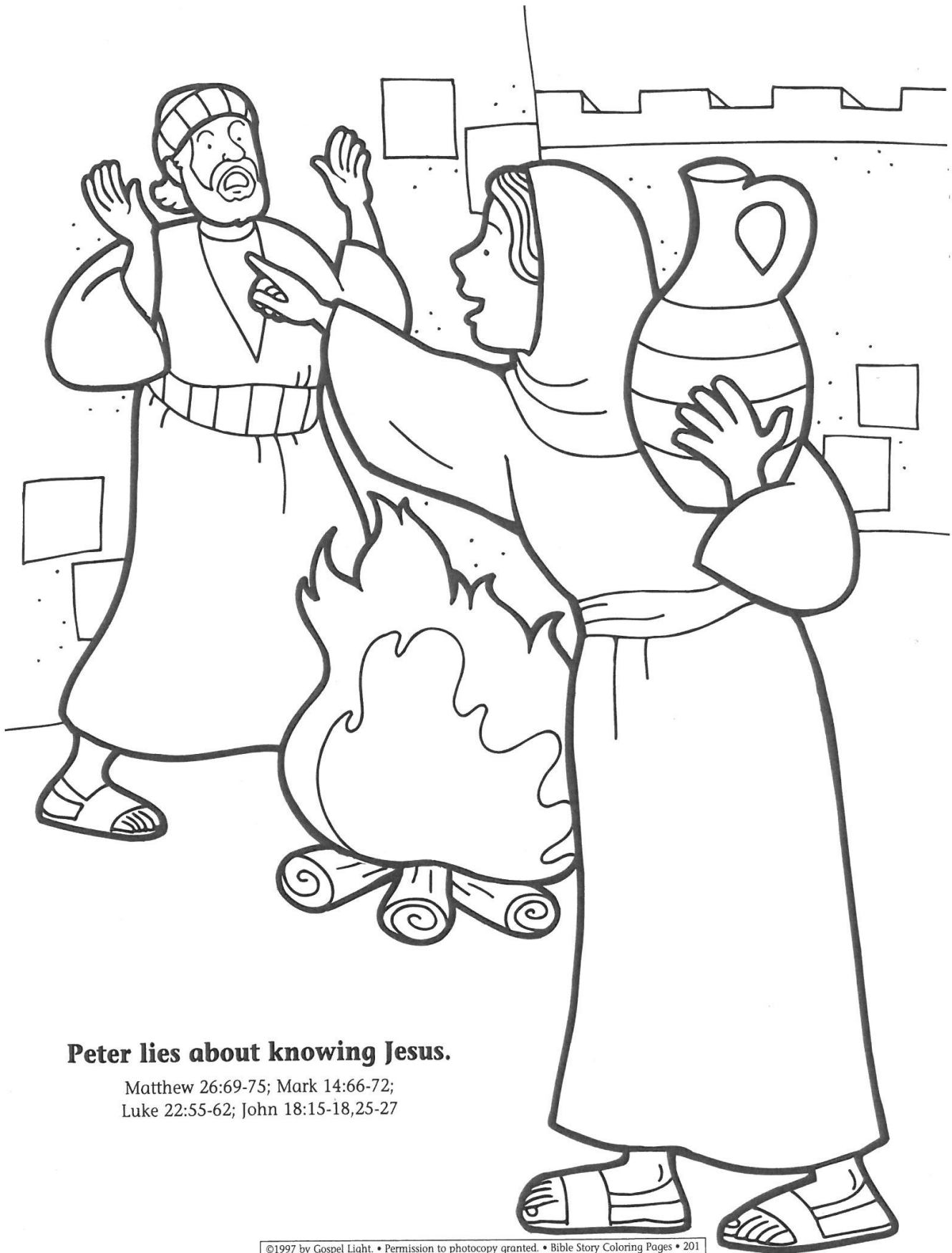
Peter's Coded Message

Peter's main message was that Jesus is the Son of God and that He died for sinners and rose again. The words in the puzzle were his theme wherever he went. Solve the puzzle by adding the vowels. Then, memorize the verse — Acts 4:12.

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Peter lies about knowing Jesus.

Matthew 26:69-75; Mark 14:66-72;
Luke 22:55-62; John 18:15-18,25-27



Jesus walks on the water and helps His friends.

Matthew 14:22-33; Mark 6:45-52; John 6:16-21