

JULY

**EARLY CHILDHOOD CURRICULUM
TWO - FIVE YEAR OLDS**

Bottom Line

God is
Powerful!



Week

July 3

Bible Story

David and Goliath

The young hero and the
horrible giant.

I Samuel 17



“Know therefore that the Lord
your God is God; He is the faithful
God...” Deut. 7:9, NIV

SUGGESTED CLASS SCHEDULE:

9:45 & 11:45	Activity to introduce the story
9:55 & 11:55	Story
10:00 & 12:00	Line up to travel to the Island
10:25 & 12:25	Activity to reinforce the story
10:40 & 12:40	Playtime until parents arrive

NOTE: If you wish to serve a snack, children are only to receive ONE cup of snack, not an unlimited supply.

ALWAYS HAVE YOUR REGISTRATION BINDER WITH YOU!



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Make It Fun:
David's Little Stones

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What You Need: envelope (1 per child), crayons, clay for the stones, plastic knife

What You Do: Give each child an envelope and allow them to decorate it. Cut 5 pieces of clay for the stones per child and have them make them into a ball shape. For younger children, student leaders will need to assist in making the stones. Once they have their stones, have them place them in their "pouch".

What you say: Today we are going to learn about a little boy who used 5 stones to defeat a giant. Let's work on making your stones and pouch.



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What You Need: 9 ft. Goliath

What You Do: Hang the 9ft. Goliath to the wall.

What to say: We will learn today about a boy named David and a giant name Goliath. Goliath was 9 ft. tall. Have the kids go up to the drawing and stand by it to see how much taller Goliath is to them. Goliath's armor weighted about 125 pounds. 125 pounds is equal to 25 5 lb. sugar.



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Make It True:

It is important to hold the Bible open while telling the story. We want the children to know that stories we tell are from God's Word and all of God's words are true.

Bible Story for Two - Five's

What You Need: The Jesus Storybook Bible, pages 122-129.

STORYTELLER:

PRIOR TO READING THE BIBLE STORY:

Let's read our story today and learn what God has to tell us today. This is our Bible and we know that all of God's words are TRUE. Can you say that with me? All of God's words are _____. TRUE, that's right!

AFTER READING THE BIBLE STORY:

I love that story because it shows how **God is powerful**. [bottom line] If God says he is going to do something, He does it. **God is powerful!** [bottom line]

Let's pray and thank **God for being all powerful**. [bottom line]

Prayer

LEADER: "God, you are so great and so wonderful. Thank you for giving us courage to be warriors for you. Help us to tell others about you. Amen"



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Make It Stick:

Pin the Stone on Goliath

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What you need: 9ft. Goliath, ball of tape

What You Do: Hang the large picture of Goliath on the wall. You play the game like pin the tail on the donkey except have them attempt to throw the ball of tape as close to his forehead.

What you Say: Explain the rules. The object of the game is to get the "stone" as close to the middle of Goliath's forehead as possible. Play the game until all children have played.



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