

# 2s & 3s Bible Verses

FALL  
2024

## **September 1 and 8**

"Be kind to one another"  
(Ephesians 4:32).

## **September 15**

"He [God] cares for you" (1 Peter 5:7).

## **September 22**

"God is love"  
(1 John 4:8).

## **September 29 and October 6**

"Great is our Lord,  
and abundant in  
power" (Psalm 147:5).

## **October 13 and 20**

"I will give thanks to  
the LORD"  
(Psalm 111:1).

## **October 27**

"Let me hear joy and  
gladness"  
(Psalm 51:8).

## **November 3 and 10**

"Let the children come  
to me"  
(Mark 10:14).

## **November 17 and 24**

"Give thanks to the  
LORD" (Psalm 92:1).

# 2s & 3s Lesson Truths

## Fall 2024

### **Weeks 1–4: Jesus and His Friends**

This unit begins with the stories of friends—four men who persevered to get a man to Jesus, and Mary and Martha, who showed kindness and hospitality to Jesus. Two more lessons focus on Jesus as a caring friend Who raised Lazarus from the dead and as a loving friend Who saved Zacchaeus, a despised sinner. As your child learns about Bible friends, he or she will learn that friends are kind and help each other.

### **Weeks 5–9: Jesus and the Sick**

The Bible stories for this unit focus on the miraculous ministry of the Lord Jesus. The lessons tell the stories of Jesus healing a blind man's eyes, a lady's back, a man's withered hand, and a deaf man's hearing and speech. Your child will begin to realize that Jesus loves and cares for people and has the power to help them because He is God.

### **Weeks 10–13: Jesus and the Needy**

Events in the life of Jesus cause us to give thanks. In lessons 10 and 11, we thank God for Jesus, our friend, Who loves children and wants them to love Him. In the final lessons, Jesus thanks God for the feeding of a crowd of people and gives an example for children to follow in thanking God for supplying their needs.



**Friends Brought a Man to Jesus**

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Mark 2:1–12

FOUR MEN had a friend who could not walk. They heard that Jesus could make sick people well. The four friends picked up the man on his mat-bed and carried him to see Jesus.

Jesus was in a house filled with people. The room was so crowded that the four friends could not get the man through the door! What could they do? The friends had an idea!

The four friends carried the man and his mat-bed up, up, up to the roof of the house. They made a hole in the roof and carefully let their friend down on his mat-bed. Now the man was right in front of Jesus!

When Jesus saw the man, Jesus said, "Get up, take your bed, and walk home." The man stood up and walked! Jesus, God's Son, had made the man well! The man picked up his mat-bed and went home, praising God.

**Let's talk about the picture:**

1. Point to the friends. Count the man's friends.
2. What are the man's friends doing?

**A Bible Verse for You**

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(Ephesians 4:32).*