



Toddlers (Jellyfish) Term 4 Program Outline

Dear Parents,

Welcome to Term 4 in Jellyfish.

This term we will be reading some well loved stories from the Old testament and learning more about our great big God, that he is faithful, good and kind and loves to save his people. Time spent in the Christmas narratives will follow and over January we will read more stories about Jesus, God's special son.

20th Oct	Noah & the flood.
27th	Joseph.
3rd Nov	Moses
10th	Manna in the wilderness.
17th	Joshua
24th	David & Goliath.
1st Dec	The Bible & Jesus
8th	Mary & Joseph
15th	Jesus is Born.
22nd	Shepherds visit
24th	TBC
29th	Wisemen Visit
5th Jan	Bartimaeus
12th	Jesus & the children
19th	Jesus calms the storm
26th	The ten lepers

All year we have been learning that the Bible is God's special book that teaches us all about him and his son Jesus. Some good first Bibles for you to read with me at home are the One Big Story - Bible stories for Toddlers (Old and New Testament) and The Beginners Bible (Candle Books).

Two songs that we will sing each week are 'The Best book to Read is the Bible' and 'My God is so Big'.

If you have any questions this term you can talk to my teachers or to Jo jo.hill@evchurch.info. (10:30) or Lucy lucy.hill@evchurch.info (8:30)



Starfish (School 2026) Term4 Program Outline

Date	Lesson	Key Learning Point
20th Oct	Zacchaeus Luke 19:1-10	Jesus wanted Zacchaeus to be his friend. Zacchaeus changed when he became Jesus' friend.
27th	Mary & Martha Luke 10:38-42	Jesus was pleased that Mary listened to him. Mary chose the best thing.
3rd Nov	We can be Jesus' friend Luke 5:1-11, 10:38-42, 18:15-17, 19:1-10. Rom 5:1-11	Revises unit9 lessons and concludes that we can be Jesus' friends too.
8th	Jesus wants his friends to love other people. John 13:34-35	We can show people that we are friends of Jesus by the way that we love each other.
15th	Jesus' friends are family Mark 3:33-35	If we are friends of Jesus we are a part of his family. God's family is the church.
24th	Jesus wants his friends to tell others about him. Matthew 28: 18-20	Jesus wants his friends to help others to know him and become his friends too.
1st Dec	The Angel & Mary Luke 1:26-38	An angel told Mary that God's Son Jesus would be born.
8th	The Birth of Jesus Matthew 1:18-23, Luke 1:26-38, 2:1-7	Jesus, God's Son, is born!
15th	The Shepherds visit Jesus. Luke 2: 8:20	Jesus being born is very good news because he is God's Son.
22nd	The Wise men visit Jesus Matthew 2:1-12	Revises unit lessons emphasising the fact that Jesus is a very special baby because he is God's son. The wisemen knew that Jesus was very important.
24th	Christmas Eve! 4pm	Program TBC
29th	Anna & Simeon Luke 2:22-38	Jesus is very special. He is the long awaited saviour.
5th Jan	Boy Jesus at the temple Luke 2:41-51	Jesus didn't stay a baby. He grew up. Jesus is very special. Jesus knew that God was his father.
12th	John the Baptist & Jesus' baptism. Matthew 3:1-16, John 1:34	John the Baptist got people ready for Jesus' coming. John knew that Jesus was God's Son. John baptised Jesus. God spoke, saying Jesus was his son.
19th	Jesus' temptation Matthew 4:1-11	Jesus never, ever sinned. Jesus is God's Son.
26th	Who is Jesus? (Revision)	Jesus is someone very special. He's God's Son, the promised saviour

Memory Verse for this term:

'Jesus is the Saviour of the world' John 4:42



Rainbowfish (School 2025) Term 4 Program Outline

Date	Lesson	Key Learning Point
20th Oct	Jesus is the Forever King 2 Samuel 7:1-17, Matthew 1:1-17, Matthew 20:28, Hebrews 12:2, John 3:16	Jesus is God's promised King who will rule forever.
27th	People in the Bible Gen 5: 1-32, Matt 1:1-17, 4:18-22	The Bible tells us about some people who lived a long time before Jesus, some people who lived when Jesus was here on earth, and some who lived after Jesus died and came back to life.
3rd	God sends his Spirit Acts 1:4, 2:1-3, 38-41	God sent his spirit just as Jesus had promised to help his followers to tell others about him.
10th Nov	Peter Changes Mark 14:66-72, Acts 2:1-41	God changed Peter and helped him to tell people about Jesus.
17th	Peter and the lame man Acts 3:1-4:4	Jesus healed the lame man through Peter. Peter then told everyone about Jesus.
24th	Paul becomes Jesus' friend Acts 9:1-20, 13:9	God changed Paul who wanted to hurt Jesus' friends to become a friend of Jesus, and helped him to tell people about Jesus.
1st Dec	Peter and Paul talk about Jesus. Acts 3:1-4:22, 9:1-22	Revision of the lessons on Peter and Paul. Emphasis on God changing them and how they talked to many people about Jesus.
8th	Jesus wants us to tell people about him. Matthew 28:18-20	Jesus wants all his people to tell others about him.
15th	Birth of Jesus Luke 1: 26-38, 2:1-7	Jesus is God's Son and he is King forever.
22nd	Shepherds Luke 2:8-20	Jesus being born is 'Good News!' because he is God's Son.
24th	Christmas Eve! 4pm	TBC
29th	Wise Men Matthew 2	God's plan to make Jesus King could not be stopped.
5th Jan	The Bible tells us about loving others. 1 John 4: 7-12, John 13: 34, Ephesians 4:32	God loves us and wants us to love others too
12th	The Bible tells us about thanking God. Colossians 3:15b, Psalm 95:2, 100:4, Rom 6:23, 1Cor 15:57	God has given us every good thing. He wants us to be thankful.
19th	The Bible tells us about praying. Colossians 4:2	God wants us to talk to him. The Bible calls this praying.



26th	The Parable of the ten minas Luke 19:11-27	Jesus the King is coming back. Will he find you loving and obeying him when he returns.
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Memory verses for this term

2 Corinthians 5:17 'If anyone is in Christ he is a new creation; the old has gone, the new has come!'

John 4:42 'Jesus is the saviour of the world.'

Mark 12:30-31 'Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength and love your neighbour as yourself.'