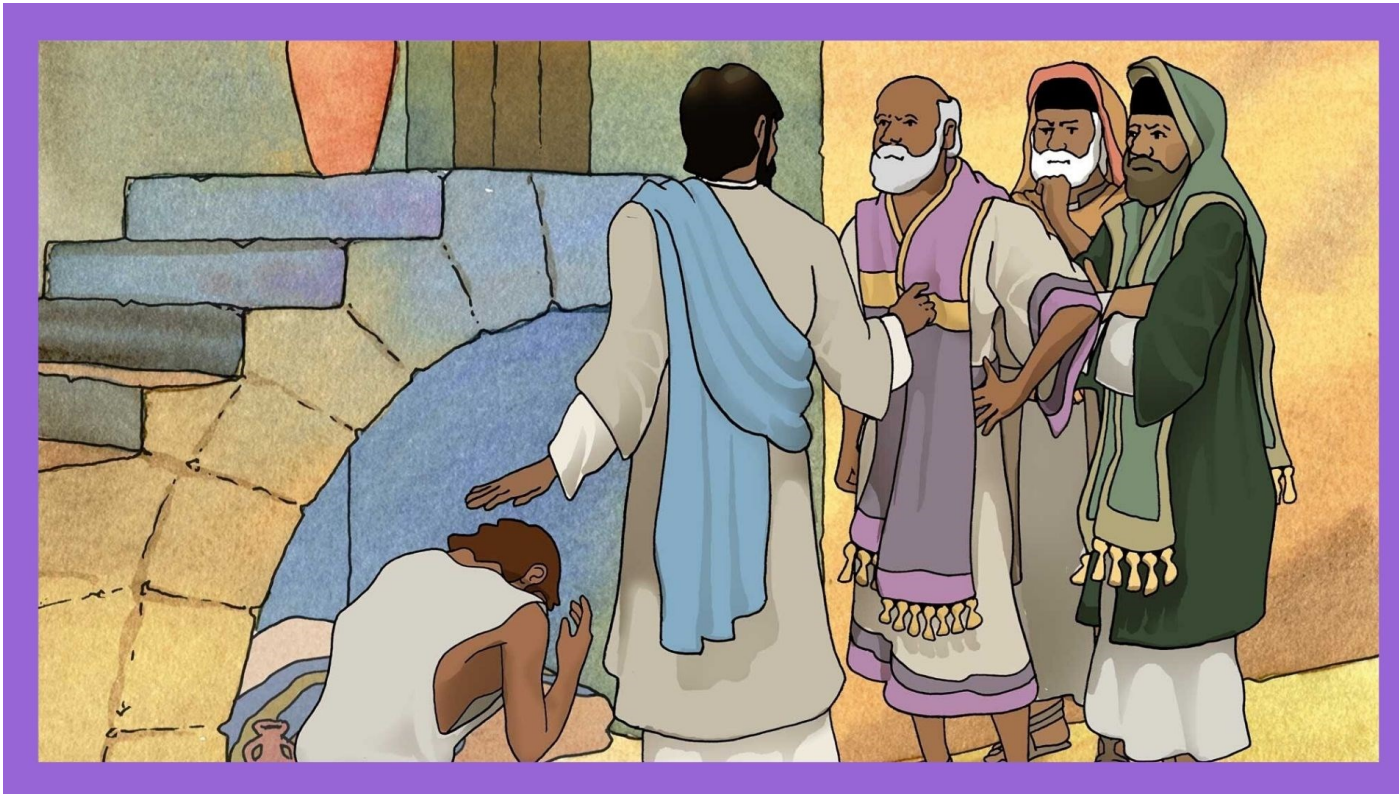


JUNE 18, 2020

JESUS HEALED A MAN WHO WAS BLIND.



BIBLE PASSAGE: John 9:1-41

STORY POINT: When we trust in Jesus, we are healed from spiritual blindness.

BIG PICTURE QUESTION: Why did God create people?
God created people to worship Him, love Him, and show His glory.

JUNE 19, 2020

FAMILY DEVOTIONAL QUESTIONS:

- What question did the disciples ask Jesus when they saw the blind man? (Read John 9:2). How did Jesus answer the question? (Read John 9:3).
- What strange thing did Jesus do to the blind man? (Read John 9:6). What happened after the man washed in the pool of Siloam? (Read John 9:7)
- What is spiritual blindness? How were the man's neighbors blind spiritually? How were the Pharisees blind spiritually? How were the man's parents blind spiritually? What are some things that you may hold on to that blind you spiritually? Discuss.
- How was the man healed of spiritual blindness? (Read John 9:38). How can we be healed of spiritual blindness?
- Pray to thank Jesus that He is the light of the world. Repent of sin and trust in Jesus to save you and heal you of spiritual blindness!

**Surely, he took up our pain...; the
punishment that brought us
peace was upon Him, and by his
wounds we are healed.**

Isaiah 53:4-5



What Helps People See?

INSTRUCTIONS: Circle the items that might help a person see.



Preschool Activity Pages

Unit 22 • Session 4

**Jesus Healed a Man
Who Was Blind**

BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- Jesus put mud on the eyes of a man who could not see.
- The man could see when he washed his eyes like Jesus told him to do.
- Jesus healed a man who could not see.
- The man believed in Jesus and worshiped Him.

KEY PASSAGE: Isaiah 53:4-5

BIG PICTURE QUESTION:

- Why did God create people? God created people to love Him and give Him glory.

FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS:

- How did people see God's power through the man who had been born blind?
- How does sin keep us from seeing what is true about God?
- Whom did the man who couldn't see have faith in?

FAMILY ACTIVITY:

- Put on old clothes and find some mud or make some mud to play in. Review the Bible story and talk about how Jesus healed different people in different ways.



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Blind Draw

INSTRUCTIONS: Close your eyes. Use the first three sections to draw a dog, a house, and a flower. In the fourth section draw whatever you wish.

BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- Jesus gave sight to a man who was blind.
- Jesus said the man's blindness was an opportunity for God to show His power.
- The religious leaders threw the now-seeing man out of the synagogue because he had faith in Jesus.

KEY PASSAGE: Isaiah 53:4-5

BIG PICTURE QUESTION:

- Why did God create people? God created people to worship Him, love Him, and show His glory.

FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS:

- What does it mean to be spiritually blind?
- How can we gain spiritual sight?
- What are ways God has used hard times to show His power in your family's lives?

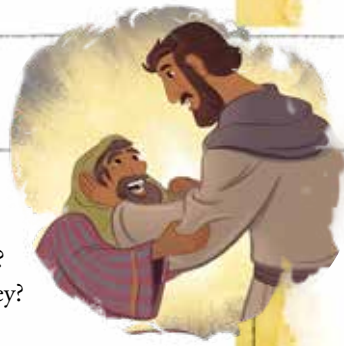
FAMILY ACTIVITY:

- Use pillows and cushions to make an obstacle course. Challenge your family to complete it while wearing a blindfold. Talk about spiritual blindness and how Jesus heals us.



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Journal Page



- What does this story teach me about God or the gospel?
- What does this story teach me about myself?
- Are there any commands in this story to obey? How are they for God's glory and my good?
- Are there any promises in this story to remember? How do they help me trust and love God?
- How does this story help me to live on mission better?

FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS

- How is being in sin like being blind?
- If you've trusted in Jesus, how has your life changed?
- How would you respond if someone asked you, "Who is Jesus?"

Jesus Healed a Man Who Was Blind

John 9

STORY POINT: JESUS GAVE SIGHT TO A MAN WHO WAS BLIND.

Jesus was walking with His disciples when He saw a man who had been born blind. The disciples asked, "Teacher, why was this man born blind? Did this happen because of his sin or his parents' sin?"

Jesus answered, "Neither his sin nor his parents' sin caused this. This man was born blind so that people could see God's power through him." Jesus said, "While I am in the world, I am the Light of the world."

Then Jesus spit on the ground and made mud. He put the mud on the eyes of the man who was blind. "Go and wash in the pool of Siloam," Jesus instructed. The man went and washed. When he came back, he could see.

The religious leaders were upset because Jesus had healed on the Sabbath again. Over and over again, the man who was healed told the religious leaders what happened. The man believed Jesus must have come from God. But the religious leaders threw the man out of the synagogue.

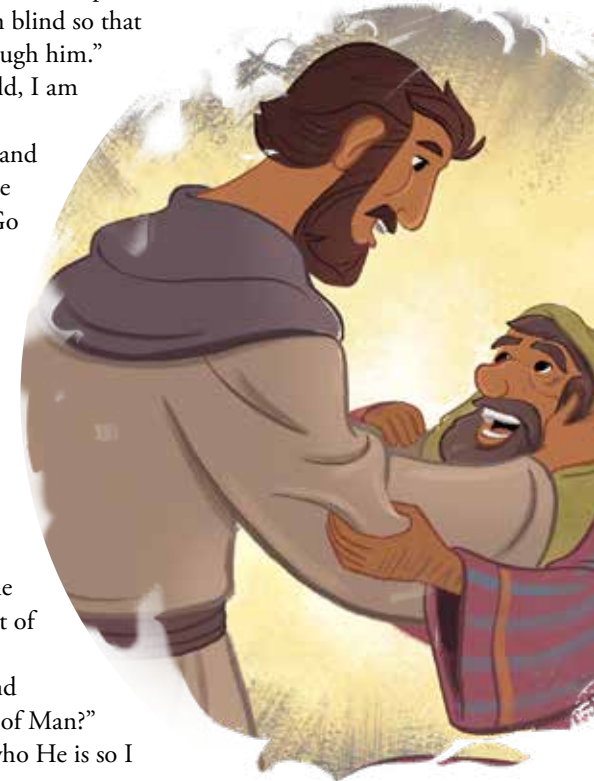
Jesus came to the man again and asked, "Do you believe in the Son of Man?"

The man answered, "Tell me who He is so I can believe in Him."

"You have already seen Him," Jesus replied. "The Son of Man is talking to you now."

The man said, "I believe, Lord!" and he worshiped Jesus.

Christ Connection: Our sin makes us unable to see the truth about God. Jesus came as a light in a dark world. He came to give us sight—true understanding of God and His kingdom. Those who trust in Jesus see who He is and worship Him.



FOLD

A Closer Look

Find and circle the eyes and any tools used to see hidden in the picture.



Braille Code

Use the key to decode today's story point.

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