

SMALL GROUP LEADER'S GUIDE –DATE – SOUTH CAMPUS

LESSON: NOAH

- **SMALL GROUP LEADERS PLEASE TRY TO BE AT THE CHURCH A FEW MINUTES EARLY TO GATHER MATERIALS (INTO BLUE TRAYS) FOR CRAFTS. ALSO GRAB THE LEADER'S GUIDE AND ENOUGH BOOKLETS TO SEND HOME WITH EACH STUDENT, ETC... (FIND IN SUPPLY ROOM - #120 - OR ON THE TABLE/WALL OUTSIDE OF SUPPLY ROOM);**
- **EVERYBODY MEET IN THEIR SMALL GROUP CLASSROOMS TO START THE SESSION;**
- **FIRST BELL – PRESCHOOLERS – GRADE 2 GO TO LARGE GROUP;**
- **SECOND BELL – GRADES 3-6 GO TO LARGE GROUP – REMEMBER TO BRING BIBLES;**
- **TODAY'S SCRIPTURE – Genesis 6:9; Genesis 7:10 – 24; Genesis 8: 1 – 20; Genesis 17**
- **ACTIVITY AND COLORING PAGES AVAILABLE BESIDE THE SUPPLY ROOM – #120 – THESE ARE TO USE AT THE BEGINNING OF THE SESSION AND ANY OTHER TIME CHILDREN NEED AN EXTRA ACTIVITY TO KEEP BUSY;**
- **GROUP CRAFT: NOAH'S ARK CROSSES – THIS CRAFT IS FOR EVERYONE (NO PREPARATION REQUIRED);**
- **ALSO DURING SMALL GROUP: SHARE HIGHS AND LOWS, REVIEW THE LESSON and SHARE HOW THE LESSON MIGHT RELATE TO EVERYBODY'S LIVES, ETC... GROUP LEADER'S BRING SNACK IF YOU WOULD LIKE (HIGHLY RECOMMENDED - ESPECIALLY ON WEDNESDAYS!) – DUE TO FOOD ALLERGIES - SNACKS WITHOUT TRACES OF NUTS PLEASE!**

SMALL GROUP QUESTIONS:

1. What kind of sin did Adam and Eve commit? ***They ate from the tree of the knowledge when God had told them not to. God told them that they had to leave the garden, but God always loved them.***
2. What did Adam and Eve's first son Cain do? ***He killed his brother Able.***
3. As the human race continued to grow across the earth, hatred, jealousy, and death spread with them. God was angry and had had enough. What did God decide to do? ***God felt sorry that he made humans and decided to start over.***
4. Who did he ask for help and what did he tell this person to do? ***God called on a righteous man named Noah and told him to build an ark (a huge boat). He told him to fill it full of animals...two of each kind and lots of food!***
5. What happened when Noah finished building the ark and he, his family and all the animals got on? ***It started to rain. It rained for forty days and forty nights and a great flood covered the earth and everything died except for Noah and his family and the animals.***
6. When the rains finally ended and the flood drained away what did they see and what did it mean? ***They saw a rainbow from God and it was God's promise that the world would never be destroyed again by a flood. God gave the rainbow as a sign of HOPE!***

QUESTION OF THE WEEK...

WHAT ARE SOME THINGS THAT GIVE YOU HOPE OR ARE A SIGN OF HOPE IN YOUR LIFE?