

Mark 2:1-22 Kids Pack



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What is our biggest need?

Last week in Mark chapter 1 we began reading the amazing true story written by Mark about Jesus. We saw that God sent John the Baptist to prepare the way for Jesus, the person God's people were waiting for. Jesus was baptised and God said that Jesus was his son, whom he loved. We also saw Jesus call his disciples and begin his ministry, telling people about the good news and doing miracles like driving out evil spirits and healing people. This week we'll learn together again from God's word and keep looking at what the Bible says in Mark 2:1-22.



Watch: this week's live stream kids talk by Lucy



Read the bible & discuss:

Younger kids: Mark 2:1-12

1. What is something you really want or need?
2. What is the paralysed man's problem? What does he and his friends want Jesus to do?
3. What does Jesus think the paralysed man's biggest problem is? How does Jesus help with this problem?
4. The teachers of the law thought that Jesus should not forgive the man's sins. What does Jesus do to show them he has the power and authority to forgive sins?
5. How did the paralysed man respond to being forgiven and healed? How can we respond knowing that Jesus has forgiven our sins too?

Youth: Mark 2:1-22

1. What do people in the world think our biggest need is? What do you think your biggest need is?
2. What does Jesus think the paralysed man's biggest need is and how does he deal with it (v5)?

3. The teachers of the law doubted who Jesus was and questioned what he did in their thoughts, but Jesus knew their thoughts. How does Jesus prove he has the power and authority to deal with the man's biggest need (v6-12)?
4. How does Jesus treat sinners (v13-17)? What does he call them to do? (see also Mark 1:14-15)
5. What are the different ways people in this passage respond to Jesus (v6-7, 12, 14, 16)?
6. Jesus offers to deal with our biggest need. How can we respond to Jesus knowing who he is and what he has done?

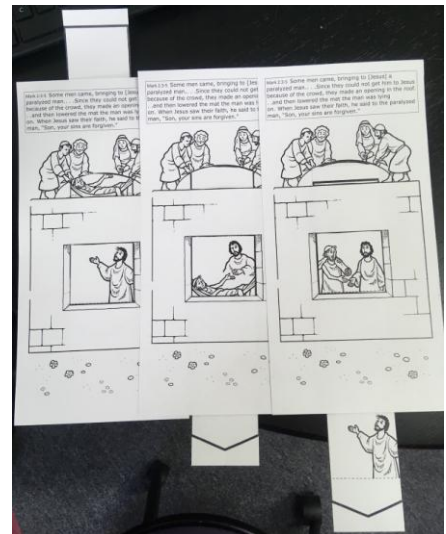
Give thanks & pray



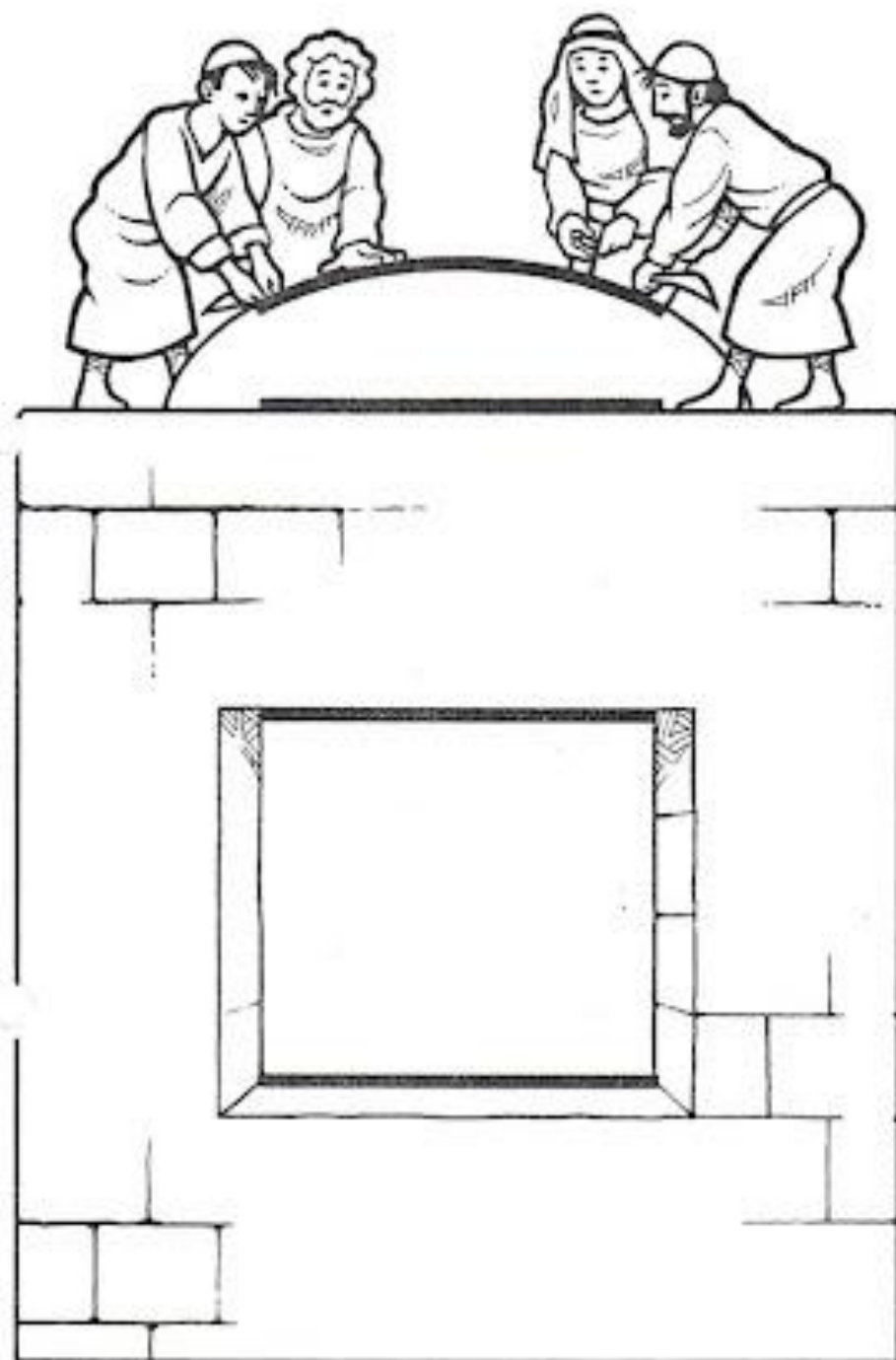
1. Thank God for sending Jesus to deal with our biggest need.
2. Say sorry to God for sinning against him and ask God to forgive your sins and help you to turn back to Him.
3. Thank God that he hears our prayers and forgives us.
4. Ask God to help you turn from your way to God's way and trust the good news about Jesus.

Worksheets

1. Jesus healing the paralysed man activity (pictured, further instructions at <http://theconfidentjournal.blogspot.com/2018/04/sunday-school-craft-jesus-heals.html>)
2. Jesus healing the paralysed man find-a-word
3. Jesus tells Levi to follow him colouring sheet



Mark 2:3-5 Some men came, bringing to [Jesus] a paralyzed man... Since they could not get him to Jesus because of the crowd, they made an opening in the roof... and then lowered the mat the man was lying on. When Jesus saw their faith, he said to the paralyzed man, "Son, your sins are forgiven."



Jesus Heals a Paralysed Man

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JESUS
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MAN

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