

PARENT PACK

Staycation Bible School

ARMOR UP!

"Finally, be strong in the Lord and in His mighty power." Ephesians 6:10

The amount of parental involvement needed for Staycation Bible School will vary depending on the age of your child. You may choose to offer only the daily video or only the daily sheet included in the ARMOR UP Kit, but we hope you will use all of the resources provided for the best experience possible. Remember, SB\$ is provided for a wide range of ages, not every activity will suit every child. Our goal was to make SB\$ easy for adults, but don't forget to have fun with your children!

STORIES and THEMES

Monday: ARMOR UP with TRUTH - Shadrach, Meshach, & Abednego

Tuesday: ARMOR UP with RIGHTEOUSNESS - David Defeats Goliath

Wednesday: ARMOR UP with PEACE - Mary's Journey to Bethlehem

Thursday: ARMOR UP with FAITH - Jesus Walks on Water

Friday: ARMOR UP with SALVATION - Midnight Praise with Paul & Silas

GAMES and ACTIVITIES

Games and activities are included on the daily sheets but are not included on the video. Please help your child connect the purpose of the game or activity to the Bible story that day. To help, there are story notes on the back of each daily sheet. You may also find other ideas and activities there.

EXTRA FUN

- Let your children build a "castle" fort for Staycation Bible School!
- Climb in there with them and do SB\$ together!!
- Leave it up all week!!!

SERVICE PROJECT

The box that each Armor Up Kit came in is intended to be decorated, filled, prayed over and returned to the church for delivery to an Operation Christmas Child collection site in November. Traditionally, our church has assembled around 125 OCC boxes each year at VBS. With your help, this year, we will fill even more!

Complete instructions are included on the back of this sheet.

2020 OFFERING

Benefitting Operation Christmas Child to spread God's love to remote areas

VIDEOS

- What's included?
 - Live action Bible story
 - Trivia Challenge
 - "Get Up and Move" with Thomas Toole
 - Memory verse and prayers
- Videos will be released each morning at 9:00 am on the church website, Facebook and YouTube.
- Each video will be around 12-15 minutes in length.
- Please make these available to your child each day.

CRAFTS

Each day of SB\$ the children will create a new piece of armor using common household items and supplies provided in their Armor Up Kit. Prior to SB\$ each morning, you might want to gather the household items for each of your children. Find instructions and a complete supply list on the Craft Details page.

Take pictures and use
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