

# Month 1 - The Bible

## PREPARE WEEK

Preparing to reach your school and community with the Good News of Jesus.



#### Foundation Scripture

"All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, that the man of God may be complete, equipped for every good work." -2 Timothy 3:16-17



"Welcome to First Priority! This week is Prepare Week where we will focus on how we can reach our school and community with the Good News of Jesus.

Before we get started, let's pray..."

#### **OPENING PRAYER**



"This month we have focused on the Bible - is it trustworthy? What does it say? How is it different? This week we want to look at the "meta-narrative" or the "big picture" of the Bible and how that relates to each of our stories.

#### SPEAKER

Meta-narrative is just a big word for "big picture". There is a larger story at play in the Bible all the way from Genesis to Revelation. That big picture is:

Creation. Fall. Redemption. Completion.

In Genesis we see God's original creation of the world and of humanity, but we also see the "fall of man" or the first sin of Adam and Eve. What was Fall? How did it change everything?

If left up to that original fall, we would be separated from God forever but according to 1 John 4:9-11 God sent His son into the world to be the "propitiation for our sins."



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When God sent His Son, Jesus, to die on the Cross for us, that was His plan for Redemption. How has that sacrifice redeemed you or changed your life? Finally, we see the big picture of the Bible being completed right before our eyes. WE are a part of this incredible story!"

SPEAKER

"For the next few minutes, we want you to take some time to think through and write out your story. What is your story? How did you come to know Jesus as your Savior or have you done that yet? What questions do you have? How does understanding the larger story of Scripture help you understand and live according to God's Word?"



"Stories are SO powerful but the most incredible part of the Bible is that the story includes US. It is real. We would love for any of you who may want to share your story next week to come talk to a Student Leader or the Campus Coach before you leave today. We will have plenty of other opportunities for you to share your story this year, too!"

HOST

"Next week is **ENGAGE Week** - which means we want to invite as many people to First Priority as possible! Here are our announcements..."

**CLOSING PRAYER** 

# OTHER STUDENT LEADER ROLES



Promote ENGAGE Week next week!



Pass out paper for students to write their story.



Follow up with students who want to share their story.

**FOLLOW UP** 

**PROMO**