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Month & Series	Week-by-Week	Bible	Big Idea	Key Verse
September Creation	God Made Everything God Created People God Rested People Disobeyed God	Genesis 1 Genesis 2 Genesis 2:1-3 Genesis 3	God created a very good world.	"God saw everything he had made. And it was very good." Genesis 1:31
October Promises	God's Promise to Noah God's Promise to Abraham & Sarah Isaac, Rebekah, Esau, and Jacob God's Promise to Jacob Jacob and His 12 Sons	Genesis 6-9 Genesis 15, 17-18 Genesis 25 Genesis 28:10-22 Genesis	God keeps his promises.	"God has made a great many promises." 2 Corinthians 1:20a
November Known	God is with Joseph God is with Moses David the Shepherd Boy David and the Ark	Genesis 37-46 Exodus 2-20 1 Samuel 16 2 Samuel 6:1-15	God wants us to know him.	"Come near to God, and he will come near to you." James 4:8
December Christmas	Isaiah's Prophecy Mary and Joseph Mary and Elizabeth Jesus is Born!	Isaiah 7, 9, 40 Matthew 1:18-23, Luke 1:26-38, 2:1-6 Luke 1:39-56 Luke 1-2	Jesus is God's son.	"God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son." John 3:16a

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January Family	Boy Jesus at the Temple John the Baptist The Baptism of Jesus Jesus' First Miracle	Luke 2:41-52 Luke 3:1-20 Matthew 3:13-17 John 2:1-11	Jesus grew up with family and friends.	"This is my Son, and I love him. I am very pleased with him. Listen to him!" Matthew 17:5b
February Miracles	Jesus Heals A Man Who Can't Walk Jesus Calms the Storm Jesus Brings a Girl Back to Life Jesus Feeds 5000	Luke 5:17-25 Luke 8:22-25 Luke 8:49-56 John 6:1-15	Jesus shows us he is God.	"All things are possible with God." Mark 10:27
March Serve	Jesus and the Children Jesus Teaches Us to Serve Jesus Heals a Man The Good Samaritan	Luke 18:15-17 Matthew 20:20-28 Luke 18:35-43 Luke 10:25-37	Jesus teaches us how to serve.	"Serve one another in love." Galatians 5:13
April Alive	Jesus Serves His Disciples Good Friday Easter Jesus and Thomas Fish for Breakfast Peter and Jesus	John 13:1-17 Mark 15-16 Mark 15-16; Matthew 26-28 John 20:19-31 John 21:1-14 John 21:15-19	Jesus is alive!	"Jesus said, 'I died, but look – I am alive forever and ever!'" Revelation 1:18

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May Community	Pentecost The Very First Church The Early Church Prayed The Early Church Shared Lydia Joins the Church	Acts 2:1-4 Acts 2:42-47 Acts 4:1-4, 23-31 Acts 4:32-37 Acts 16:11-15	We are the church together.	"Encourage each other and build each other up." 1 Thessalonians 5:11
June Mission	The Great Commission Philip Saul Meets Jesus Lydia Believes in Jesus	Matthew 28:16-20 Acts 8 Acts 9 Acts 16:11-15	Jesus gives us a job to do.	"How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!" Romans 10:15b
July Live	Do Not Worry Jesus Teaches Us How to Pray The Golden Rule The Wise & Foolish Builders	Matthew 6:25-34 Matthew 6:8-12; Luke 11:2-4 Matthew 7:12 Matthew 7:24-27	Jesus teaches us how to live.	"Do for others what you want them to do for you." Matthew 7:12
August What Does Love Look Like?	Hezekiah and Isaiah Samuel is Born Ruth, Naomi, and Boaz Daniel and the Lions Jeremiah and the Potter	2 Kings 20:1-11 & Psalm 150 1 Samuel 1:9-20 Ruth 1-4 Daniel 6 Jeremiah 18:1-12	Love looks like joy. Love looks like peace and patience. Love looks like kindness. Love looks like goodness and faithfulness. Love looks like gentleness and self-control.	"The fruit of the spirit is love, joy, and peace..." Galatians 5:22

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September Beginnings	Creation: The Story Creation: People The Fall Noah	Genesis 2:5-25 Genesis 2:5-25 Genesis 3 Genesis 6-9	Put God first.	"In everything you do, put God first." Proverbs 3:6
October Listen	Moses and Miriam The Burning Bush The Plagues The Exodus The Ten Commandments	Exodus 2 Exodus 3-4 Exodus 7-15 Exodus 14 Exodus 17	Listen to God.	"Be still and know that I am God!" Psalm 46:10
November Unafraid	God picks David David and Goliath David, Jonathan, and Saul David Celebrates	1 Samuel 16 1 Samuel 17 1 Samuel 18-20 2 Samuel 5-6	God is with me.	"The Lord is with me. I will not be afraid." Psalm 118:6
December King of Kings	King Solomon A Message for Joseph Jesus is Born! The Wise Men Visit Jesus	1 Kings 3-8 Matthew 1:18-25 Matthew 1:18-25 Matthew 2:1-12	Jesus is king.	"Jesus is the greatest king of all." Referenced from Revelations 17:14

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January God's Love	Anna and Simeon Jesus is Baptized Jesus in Nazareth Jesus Talks to God Jesus Heals a Man	Luke 2:22-38 Matthew 3:13-17 Luke 4:16-21 Mark 1:29-37 Mark 1:40-45	Jesus shows us God's love.	"Let's love each other, because love is from God." 1 John 4:7
February Peace	The Beatitudes Love Your Enemy A Woman with a Gift Jesus Sends His Disciples	Matthew 5:1-10 Matthew 5:38-48 Luke 7:36-50 Matthew 10:1-13	Jesus gives us peace.	"Peacemakers will plant seeds of peace." James 3:18
March Pray	Jesus Teaches How to Pray Jesus Prays & Walks on Water Jesus' Prayer of Thanks! Jesus Prays in the Garden	Matthew 6:5-13 Matthew 14:22-33 Matthew 11:25-30 Matthew 26:36-46	We can pray every day.	"Never stop praying." 1 Thessalonians 5:17
April Rescue	Zacchaeus Palm Sunday Good Friday Easter Jesus Appears to His Disciples	Luke 19:1-10 Luke 19:28-40 Luke 22:39-23:49 Luke 22:39-24:12 Luke 24:13-48	Jesus rescues us.	"Jesus Christ has rescued us!" Galatians 3:13

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May Help	The Holy Spirit Helps Peter and John Heal a Poor Man Sharing the Good News of Jesus Choosing the Seven Helpers The Gift of the Holy Spirit	Acts 2 Acts 3:1-10 Acts 4:1-31 Acts 6:1-7 Acts Review	The Holy Spirit helps us.	"The Holy Spirit will help you and always be with you." John 14:16
June Encourage	Paul Works With Aquila and Priscilla Paul is Encouraged Paul Listens to Jesus Paul Writes Encouraging Letters	Acts 18:1-23 Acts 21:1-16; 23:12-33 Acts 26:12-32; 27 Ephesians 6:18-23; Philippians 2:25-30; 2 Timothy 1:3-10	We can encourage others.	"Encourage each other." 2 Corinthians 13:11
July Praise	God's Great Creation David's Song God the Maker God's Love Goes On and On Praise God!	Psalms 8 Psalm 23 Psalm 104 Psalm 136:1-9, Psalm 139 Psalm 150	We can praise God.	"We will praise your name forever." Psalm 44:8
August Good News	Love Save Kingdom Forever	Luke 15 Mark 15:21-37; 16:1-8 Matthew 13 Revelation 1, 5, 21, 22	The good news is ...Jesus shows us God's love. ...Jesus saves us from sin. ...Jesus sets up God's kingdom. ...we can share in God's life together.	"Tell the Good News to everyone." Mark 16:15b