



ELEMENTARY

JUNE 2025

MONTHLY OVERVIEW

WEEK ONE

BIBLE STORY Live Like Jesus **Philippians 2:5**
BOTTOM LINE Live like Jesus. **(Supporting: Philippians 2:1-8)**
KEY QUESTION How can we live like Jesus?

WEEK TWO

BIBLE STORY Live in Peace With One Another (Saul and Barnabas) **Romans 12:18**
BOTTOM LINE Live in peace with one another. **(Supporting: Acts 9:1-28)**
KEY QUESTION What does it mean to live in peace?

WEEK THREE

BIBLE STORY Look Out for One Another (Jesus Heals on the Sabbath) **Philippians 2:4**
BOTTOM LINE Look out for one another. **(Supporting: Luke 6:6-11)**
KEY QUESTION Who's looking out for you?

WEEK FOUR

BIBLE STORY Encourage One Another **Hebrews 10:24-25**
BOTTOM LINE Encourage one another.
KEY QUESTION When has someone encouraged you?

WEEK FIVE

BIBLE STORY Accept One Another (Peter and Cornelius) **Romans 15:7**
BOTTOM LINE Accept one another. **(Supporting: Acts 10)**
KEY QUESTION How does it feel to be accepted?

MEMORY VERSE

**"AS YOU DEAL WITH ONE ANOTHER, YOU SHOULD THINK AND ACT AS JESUS DID."
 PHILIPPIANS 2:5, NIRV**

LIVE IT OUT

WITH JESUS WE CAN HELP CHANGE THE WORLD



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GOD VIEW: THE CONNECTION BETWEEN LIVE IT OUT AND GOD'S CHARACTER, AS SHOWN THROUGH GOD'S BIG STORY

Living and loving like Jesus sounds great in theory, but may be a little hard in practice. However, with the help of God's Spirit, we don't have to do it alone. When we follow Jesus, God's Spirit transforms us, shaping us every day into who God has called us to be and how God is calling us to live. Live It Out is not JUST a theme, but a call to action. It encourages kids to actively live out their faith through their words and interactions with others. And the more we become like Jesus, the more we can make a true difference in this world and in the lives of those around us.

CORE INSIGHT: The theological foundation for LIVE IT OUT

Transformation by the power of God's Spirit

God's Spirit is transforming my unique and imperfect life into the character of Jesus.

Jesus is the greatest example of what it looks like to value others. Through the way He lived His life, Jesus taught us how to value one another. And when we follow Jesus, God's Spirit helps us to live like Jesus—transforming not only us but the world around us.

HEADS UP: IDEAS TO KEEP IN MIND AS YOU TALK ABOUT LIVE IT OUT WITH KIDS

This whole summer you get to lead kids through nine amazing weeks of discovering what it looks like to love like Jesus. Each week will break down a "one another" statement from the Bible. God designed us to be in community with one another even when it's challenging, and we'll need God's Spirit to help guide us as we do. In these nine weeks, kids will learn about difficult concepts such as living in peace with one another or forgiving one another. Invite kids to bring open and honest conversation but be sure to create a safe space for them to process what makes some of those things challenging to do. Some kids may be in situations that make it hard for them to trust, forgive, be at peace with, or even pray for those who have mistreated or hurt them in some way. Be open to listening and hearing their needs and let them know you are here for them. Always be sure to bring the correct people into any conversation that involves the safety of a child.

LIVE IT OUT: with Jesus we can help change the world

As you deal with one another, you should think and act as Jesus did. Philippians 2:5, NIV



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Upper Elementary Large Group

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WEEK 1

Key Question:

How can we live like Jesus?

Bottom Line:

Live Like Jesus

Bible Truth:

Live Like Jesus

Philippians 2:5; Philippians 2:1-8

MEMORY VERSE

"AS YOU DEAL WITH ONE ANOTHER, YOU SHOULD THINK AND ACT AS JESUS DID."

PHILIPPIANS 2:5, NIRV

LIVE IT OUT

WITH JESUS WE CAN HELP CHANGE THE WORLD

NOTES:

- All **yellow highlighted text** are cues for visual and audio slides.
- The text in **red** indicates stage directions.

SUPPLIES

- None needed
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Live It Out -- Week 1 Teaching Outline:

Start at 15 after (if service is expected to be about an hour)

1. Intro: **Welcome kids, get them excited**
2. Game Time: **Camp Counselor Says**
3. Worship
4. Intro: **Live It Out**
5. Bible Lesson Video: **Live like Jesus**
6. Application
 - a. Weekly Bottom Line: **Live like Jesus.**
 - b. Monthly Virtue: **Live It Out-- With Jesus, we can help change the world**
 - c. Memory Verse: **“As you deal with one another, you should think and act as Jesus did.” -- Philippians 2:5 (NirV)**
 - d. Prayer
7. Small Groups: 15 minutes

End on the hour



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WELCOME 3 minutes
(Welcome kids)

Show Series Theme Graphic: Live It Out

Hello there, campers! Welcome to Flatirons Kids! I'm so excited to see you here today! I am so glad we're here together for some big-time summer fun. What are some things that you love about summer? Shout 'em out.

(Kids shout out various summer activities. Repeat a few of them as you hear them.)

Yes! Those are awesome! Over the next several weeks, we'll be hanging out here at [name of your environment] just like we're at summer camp together. We'll be finding out how we can 'Live It Out'—in other words, how we can love like Jesus!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

**KIDS CAMP

(Share campus-specific announcements. See your Kids Director for details.)

GAME TIME

Alright campers, we're going to play a fun game called "Camp Counselor Says!" It's just like Simon Says, but with a camping twist. Everyone spread out so you have a little space—make sure you're not too close to the people around you.

Here's how it works: I'm your Camp Counselor, and I'm going to call out different actions. If I say "Camp Counselor says..." before the action, you should do it! But if I don't say "Camp Counselor says," don't move! That's the trick!

Now here's the camp twist: If you move when you're not supposed to, no worries—you're still in the game. Just do a quick, silly camp-themed consequence like pretending to paddle a canoe, growling like a bear, or flapping your arms like a bird. Then jump back in and keep playing!

Alright, are you ready? Listen closely, move fast, and most importantly—have fun! Let's play Camp Counselor Says!

Examples to help you out:

- **"Camp Counselor says roast marshmallows!"** (Pretend to hold a stick over a fire.)
- **"Camp Counselor says swat a mosquito!"** (Slap your arm!)
- **"Camp Counselor says pitch your tent!"** (Pretend to set up a tent.)
- **"Swim in the lake!"** (Wait! I didn't say Camp Counselor says!)
- **"Camp Counselor says paddle your canoe!"** (Row, row, row!)
- **"Climb a tree!"** (Uh-oh! Don't fall for it!)

WORSHIP 6-7 minutes

Great job friends! That was so much fun! Now, this is your time to jump in and give all you've got as we worship! You can follow along to the moves or worship in your own way. Let's sing!

(Encourage kids to worship God through song and dance. Play worship songs.)

Show Worship Song: Big House

Show Worship Song: This Is Living

Great work everyone! I love worshipping God with all of you. You can have a seat.

INTRO 1 minute

Show Series Theme Graphic: Live It Out

It's so great to be starting a new month and a new series with all of you. We talk about Jesus a lot, but we might wonder what it means to live like Jesus and share His love with the world. I'm so excited to look in the Bible (**hold up Bible**) with all of you today. We'll take the whole month to focus on what it means to LIVE IT OUT and follow Jesus by living like Him.

BIBLE TRUTH 10 -12 minutes

Show Video: Video_WK1_So&SoShow

APPLICATION 3 minutes

Show Series Theme Graphic: Live It Out

Over time, as you follow Jesus, an amazing thing happens. You'll become more and more LIKE Jesus on the inside. As you allow God's Spirit to work through you, it will become easier and more natural for you to act like Jesus as you respond to others. That's how we can start to live like Jesus. This is what we need to remember today:

Show Graphic: WK1_Bottom Line

Our **[Bottom Line]** this week is **"Live like Jesus."**

Say that with me! (**Repeat with leaders and kids**)

It's so amazing to think about the way Jesus lived, and how He treated everyone with love and kindness. And if you think about it, it's a huge gift that we get to live like Jesus by showing love to the people around us. This whole summer, we'll talk about different ways that we can live like Jesus and show LOVE like Jesus.

Show Graphic: WK1_Virtue

It's cool to think that, **with Jesus, we can help change the world!**

It's important for us to get to know Jesus and have a relationship with Him, to truly be following Him and depending on Him in every moment. As we grow in our friendship with Jesus and our knowledge of Him, we'll learn to think and act like Him more and more!

Our Memory Verse for this month is **Philippians 2:5**. Paul reminded the Philippians:

Show Verse: Philippians 2:5 (NirV)

“As you deal with one another, you should think and act as Jesus did.” Philippians 2:5 (NirV)

Let's say it together! (Repeat with leaders and kids)

Show Slide: WK 1 KEY QUESTION

As you go to your small groups today, think about this: **How can we live like Jesus?** Think about a situation you have faced lately that might have gone better if you had approached it by asking: What would Jesus do if He were me right now? It's okay if a situation doesn't come to mind right away; you'll have a chance to chat about this more with your Small Group. But before you go, let's pray and ask God to give us the wisdom and strength to CHOOSE Jesus and continue to get to KNOW Him, and to work through us to change the world around us.

PRAYER

Dear God, thank You for sending Your Son, Jesus, to show us how to live. Thank you for making a way for us to be forgiven because of what Jesus did for us on the cross. God, please help us grow and become more like Jesus in how we show love to other people. Help us think, act like you do, and show your love everywhere we go. We love you, and we pray these things in Jesus' name. Amen.

SMALL GROUPS

Show Graphic: Small Group

(Dismiss kids to their small groups)