



WEEKEND WORD:

This month's series is all about how God made each of us His MASTERPIECE. Now, more than ever, Kids are craving to know what their identity is and what their worth is. YOU have the opportunity to answer this by pointing them back to their Creator, rather than the world.

PRO TIP:

- Use as many volunteers as possible! As cool as you are, kids learn so much from their peers! When their friend prays, says the memory verse, or plays the game, they believe that they can too!

GAME/STORY SUPPLIES

- ULTIMATE BIBLE EMOJI TRIVIA Slides

WORSHIP

- PRAISE
- CAN'T STEAL MY JOY – NEW!

2nd + 3rd
Large Group

August 2026
Week 3

WEEK 3: 2ND + 3RD (65 MIN. SERVICE)

CONNECTION TIME

(4:45pm // 8:45am // 10:45am)

This is your time to GREET kids, hang out with them, and build some credibility with the kids and leaders you are serving before getting on stage!

SMALL GROUPS

(5:00pm // 9:00am // 11:00am)

PLAY: 5 Minute Countdown to begin cleaning up/wrapping up connection time

Alright guys, 5 MINUTES until we head to our small groups! So wrap up what you're doing, start cleaning up, and get ready to head to your small groups!

Show Series Graphic: MASTERPIECE

It is OFFICIALLY time for small groups! THIS WEEK, we're going to be learning all about how God uses EVERYTHING for GOOD. I'm so excited for you to learn more in your small group, so head there now, and if you're unsure where that is, hang back and we'll help you find where you need to be!

Help any kids who look lost or may be new find their small group.

WELCOME

(5:15pm // 9:15am // 11:15am)

PLAY: 2 Minute Countdown to dismiss from Small Groups to Large Group

As kids are coming in from small group, high five, walk around room, and welcome them!

WELCOME IN Flatirons Kids! I'm so glad YOU are here today.

While we wait for the rest of our small groups to come on in, I have a very important question...

Who is your FAVORITE superhero?

I'm so excited to hear your answers, but FIRST, talk about it in your small group and I'll ask a few of you to answer in just a second!

As kids are answering in their small groups, welcome in the rest of the groups coming in and give them the question! Walk around and find a few people to answer.

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Now those are all REALLY cool superheroes... mine is probably *share your favorite superhero.*

You know what I LOVE about the stories of superheroes? Almost all of them are UNDERDOGS... that means that you wouldn't really expect them to be all that super, but the hard things in their life, or even the weaknesses they have, are what makes their story AWESOME.

Did you know, these are GOD'S favorite stories too? God loves using the hard things and the things we as people may look over to do something AMAZING. There are SO many stories of God doing this in the Bible, and I thought for our game today, we could do a kind of trivia to see if we could guess all these stories using... EMOJIS.

GAME: ULTIMATE BIBLE EMOJI TRIVIA **(5:20pm // 9:20am // 11:20am)**

Game: ULTIMATE BIBLE EMOJI TRIVIA

Show ULTIMATE BIBLE EMOJI TRIVIA Slide

It's time for the ULTIMATE BIBLE EMOJI TRIVIA.

Now some of you may know these stories, and some of you may not, and that's why we're going to have **to work together with your small group** to see if you can figure out the hints... Your small group leader can always help if you're stuck!

I'm going to show a few emojis on the screen, and YOUR small group is going to have to see if they can use the hints to guess the story! Small groups, give me a thumbs up if you're ready *mimic a thumbs up to the crowd.*

Ok... let's go!

SHOW SLIDES 1-10 *Play as many rounds as time allows.*

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WORSHIP

(5:28pm // 9:28am // 11:28am)

WORSHIP INTRO:

WOAH. You guys were so good and using those hints to figure out the story...Now EVERY SINGLE ONE of those stories is about God using an UNLIKELY person or situation to do something AMAZING.

I'm so excited to learn about how God wants to use YOU *point to the audience*, but before we do that, it's time for my FAVORITE part of Flatirons Kids – WORSHIP!

Before we worship together, I want to remind us of something. Did you know when we worship, we talk to God?

Has anyone ever wondered what to say when praying? *Raise your own hand!*

Yeah, me too! Worship is talking to God, but worship helps us know what to say. So we're about to jump into a song where we PRAISE God, which means we thank him for all He has done!

I'm so excited to praise God together - Let's stand and worship!

Make sure you're encouraging kids to sing and dance throughout the songs!

Play: PRAISE

Play: CAN'T STEAL MY JOY – NEW SONG

You will need to help the room engage extra for this new one!

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That was so fun worshipping together and TALKING to God together!

Now let's *take a deep breath in the mic*, and take a seat.

Before we jump into our story, let's talk to God another way, through prayer! Everyone close their eyes and pray with me. *Say a short prayer thanking God for who He is!*

INTRO

(5:36pm // 9:36am // 11:36am)

We are continuing our series called MASTERPIECE. We've learned that God made you ON purpose, FOR a purpose, and THIS week, we are learning that God wants to USE you, and everything in your life, for something amazing.

I have a question... has anyone ever felt like they have a weakness? *Raise your hand.*

Me too! Like it seems like everyone else is good at this one thing, and I'm just not.

Ok, another question, has anyone ever had a really really hard season, maybe a divorce in your family, some friend problems, and maybe you just felt really sad? *Raise your hand.*

Me too. Today, we're learning that, God can USE everything, even the hard things, for something AMAZING. Let's dive in to our bibles to learn more.

BIBLE NAVIGATION TIME FROM STAGE: Today's main verse is found in the book of ROMANS. Romans is in the New Testament (Open your Bible near the end!).

Now we're going to be in chapter 8, the BIG number 8.

And now, we're going to find verse 28, the tiny number 28 under our chapter.

Let's find out exactly what God says about using EVERYTHING for GOOD. Take a look at the screen.

BIBLE STORY

(5:38pm // 9:38am // 11:38am)

Show Video: Video_WK3 StoryLab

APPLICATION

(5:48pm // 9:48am // 11:48am)

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Wow. God really does use EVERYTHING. The good things in our life, AND the hard things.

SHARE AN AGE APPROPRIATE EXAMPLE OF HOW GOD USED SOMETHING HARD FOR GOOD!

So, just like the underdog superhero we love watching, God USES the things in our life for GOOD! The next time you're sad, or going through something really hard, or just feel like you're not enough, remember that you are God's MASTERPIECE, and He can use even the hard things for something AMAZING.

Our bottom line brings this home for us...

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[BOTTOM LINE] GOD CAN USE ALL THINGS.

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

Our bible verse reminds us of WHY He uses everything for good, because YOU are His masterpiece, let's say this together...

Show Verse: "How you made me is amazing and wonderful. I praise you for that. What you have done is wonderful. I know that very well." – PSALM 139:14

Let's jump up on our feet and practice our Memory Verse all together!

Let's say that all together. *Repeat several times with kids and leaders.*

Before we head to our small groups to learn more about this, I'd love for someone to pray for us! Anyone want to be brave and pray for our group?

PRAYER

(5:52pm // 9:52am // 11:52am)

HAVE A KID PRAY!

SMALL GROUPS

(5:53pm // 9:53am // 11:53pm)

(Dismiss kids to their small groups) **PLAY: SMALL GROUP LOOP**