



Come along for the journey!

Grab your journal as we dig into the action-packed book of Acts. Join the adventure as we learn about the brave people who took the first steps of faith to share God's good news of love. Discover how the Holy Spirit moved during the days of Pentacost and notice how God continues to move through the Holy Spirit today. It's a journey that will change everything!

The GREAT Journey

Kids Camp Journal
Summer 2024

WELCOME TO BASECAMP

Jesus Meets with the Disciples

Memory Verse

"Do not leave Jerusalem, but wait for
the gift my Father promised, which
you have heard me speak about."

Acts 1:4

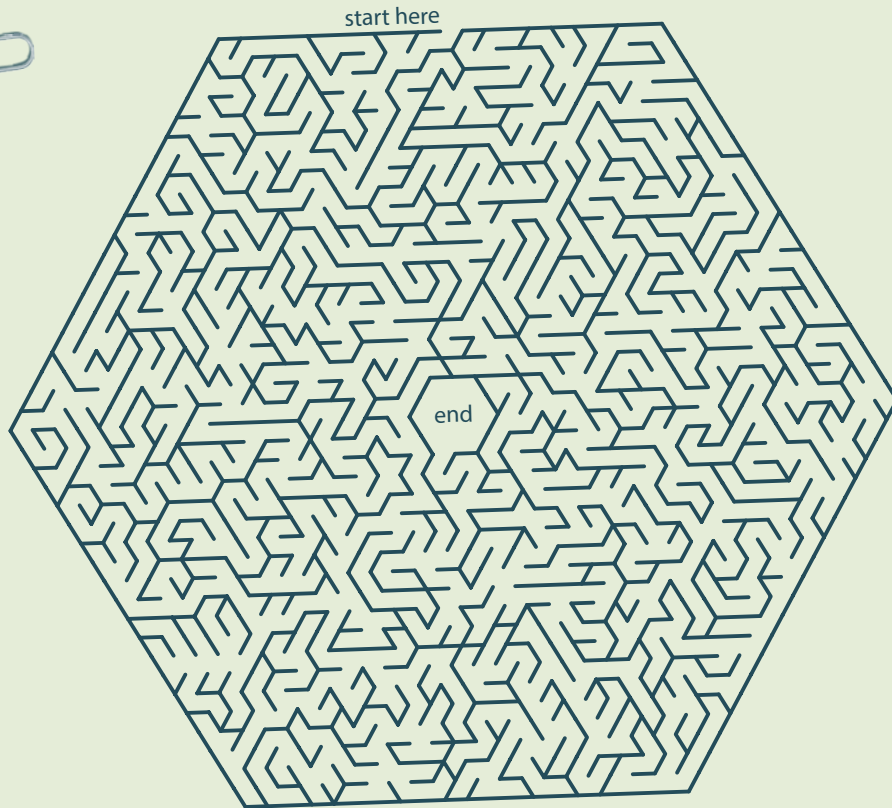
Gathering Notes:

Jesus is inviting you to join a

_____.

Cabin Chill Time

Can you complete the maze?

Did you get confused by this maze? yes ☐ no ☐

When confusing things happen in life, we can remember that Jesus sent the Holy Spirit to guide us. You can always ask the Holy Spirit to help you, in good times and bad!

Journal Reflection



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IMAGINE

In the gathering we heard the story about when Jesus left Earth. Before he left he promised the disciples he would send the Holy Spirit to be their new guide. On the empty notecard, draw a picture of what the disciples might have thought the Holy Spirit would look like.

Jesus told the disciples they would be going on a new journey – one where they would travel to different parts of their towns, countries, and the world!

If I was going to travel...	I would need to take...
across town	
across the state	
across the country	
across the world	

PRAY

Dear Jesus,

Even though I can't see you, I know you love me and will always be here for me. When I feel lost, confused, scared, or sad like the disciples, remind me that you sent the Holy Spirit to comfort me. When I'm not sure what to do, remind me that the Holy Spirit will show me the right thing. Amen.



MEETING OUR GUIDE

The Holy Spirit Joins the Disciples

Memory Verse

"But you will receive power when
the Holy Spirit comes on you."

Acts 1:8a

Gathering Notes:

The Holy Spirit is for

_____.



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Journal Reflection

Before I came to camp, the word "church" made me think of:

After today's story, now I think church is:

Fill in the missing letters below to name these common languages.

p	o	r	t		g	e	s	e
	s	p	a			i	s	h
e	n	g	l			s		
		l	a			i	n	
		f	r			n	c	h
c	h	i	n	e			e	

Now write those letters in the spaces below to complete the sentence.

Even though we speak many languages, the Holy Spirit

us with believers all around the world.

PRAY

Dear Jesus,

Sometimes I get so busy living my own life that I forget how big the world is.
Help me to remember that there are people all around the world on the same
journey as me, so I can share your love with everyone. Amen.

Cabin Experience



Draw a picture of a fish. Just like Jesus helped Peter catch fish, write the name of someone who has helped you with a hard problem.

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Use these paint pens to decorate your rock with the nickname you want Jesus to call you. We'll leave the rocks here at our cabin to dry while we continue Peter's journey today, but when you go home, put this rock somewhere that you will see everyday to be reminded that you can be a rock like Peter too.

2



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Talking with friends around a fire pit, cooking a meal on the grill with family, singing Silent Night on Christmas Eve with a candle.... Some of life's precious moments happen with a fire. Write about or draw a picture of one special memory you have involving fire.



Learn a new language! Here's how you say "Jesus loves you" in some other languages.

Spanish and Portuguese: Jesús te ama. (Pronounced 'Hey-soos tay ah-ma')

Chinese: Yēsū ài nǐ. (Pronounced 'yay-soo eye knee')

French: Jésus t'aime. (Pronounced 'Jzay-zoo Tay-muh')

Swahili: Yesu anakupenda. (Pronounced 'Yay-soo a-knock-oo-pen-da')

German: Jesus liebt dich. (Pronounced 'Yay-soos leeb deesh')

American Sign Language:



Jesus



loves



you

At Pentacost, there were people gathered from countries all over the world who all spoke different languages. Look at the chart above and try speaking the words, "Jesus loves you" in the different languages.

4

5

Think of two things that a lot of people don't think go together, but you like. Maybe it's a weird food combination or two colors that don't match. Draw a picture of them and then draw one big heart around them.

JOINING THE JOURNEY

The Disciples Are Sent Into the World

Memory Verse

You will be my witnesses in Jerusalem,
and in all Judea and Samaria,
and to the ends of the earth.

Acts 1:8b

Gathering Notes:

I can share the _____
with others.

JOINING THE JOURNEY

Cabin Chill Time

Like a backpacker prepared for a long hike, God equips each of us with the things we will need along our journey. Things like people, talents and resources. Using the sections of the backpack below, name some of the good gifts God has given you for your journey.



Tell God "thank you" for these good gifts.



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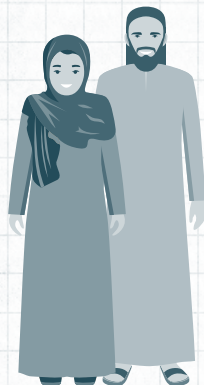
Tabitha shared the good news with people who needed extra care.

Think of someone who may need an act of kindness. **Write their name and one way you can show them Jesus's love.**



Lydia shared the good news with her family and friends.

Think of a friend or family member who isn't a Christian. **Write their name and one way you can tell them about Jesus.**



Pricilla and Aquila shared the good news to people in other parts of the world.

Think of someone who lives in a different town than you. **Write their name and a way you can share Jesus with them.**

PRAY

Dear Jesus,
Thank you for loving me. Help me see ways to love people around me, and give me the courage to tell others about you. Amen.

BOOKS OF THE BIBLE

Old Testament

Genesis	2nd Chronicles	Daniel
Exodus	Ezra	Hosea
Leviticus	Nehemiah	Joel
Numbers	Esther	Amos
Deuteronomy	Job	Obadiah
Joshua	Psalms	Jonah
Judges	Proverbs	Micah
Ruth	Ecclesiastes	Nahum
1st Samuel	Song of Songs	Habakkuk
2nd Samuel	Isaiah	Zephaniah
1st Kings	Jeremiah	Haggai
2nd Kings	Lamentations	Zechariah
1st Chronicles	Ezekiel	Malachi

New Testament

Matthew	Ephesians	Hebrews
Mark	Philippians	James
Luke	Colossians	1st Peter
John	1st Thessalonians	2nd Peter
Acts	2nd Thessalonians	1st John
Romans	1st Timothy	2nd John
1st Corinthians	2nd Timothy	3rd John
2nd Corinthians	Titus	Jude
Galatians	Philemon	Revelation

Want to earn some extra points for your team?

Memorize these books of the Bible along with each day's memory verses. Once you've memorized them, tell your cabin leaders!

COMPLINE

(KOM-plin) is the Latin word from which we derive the word completion.
Compline is the final prayer service said at the end or completion of the day.

*+In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.*

Call to Worship

Leader: To find yourself on a journey with God is a wonderful thing.

Children: The heart of God is safe for everyone

All: Let us pray and worship God together

Leader: Let us celebrate the goodness of God

Children: Not because we have to, but because we want to

All: Wherever you are on the journey, let us praise God together.

Psalm

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Silent reflection of the day, and ask yourself,
“What is one way I saw the Holy Spirit today?”

Prayer

Guide us waking, O Lord, and guard us sleeping; that awake
we may watch with Christ, and asleep we may rest in peace.

*+Glory be to God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit.
As it was in the beginning, it is now, and shall be for ever and ever.
Alleluia. Amen.*

DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS

Day 1 – Psalm 63:1-8

¹ You, God, are my God,
earnestly I seek you;

I thirst for you,
my whole being longs for you,
in a dry and parched land
where there is no water.

² I have seen you in the sanctuary
and beheld your power and your
glory.

³ Because your love is better than life,
my lips will glorify you.

⁴ I will praise you as long as I live,
and in your name I will lift up my
hands.

⁵ I will be fully satisfied as with the
richest of foods;
with singing lips my mouth will
praise you.

⁶ On my bed I remember you;
I think of you through the watches
of the night.

⁷ Because you are my help,
I sing in the shadow of your wings.

⁸ I cling to you;
your right hand upholds me.

Day 2 – Psalm 23

¹ The Lord is my shepherd, I lack
nothing.

² He makes me lie down in green
pastures,
he leads me beside quiet waters,
³ he refreshes my soul.

He guides me along the right paths
for his name's sake.

⁴ Even though I walk
through the darkest valley,

I will fear no evil,
for you are with me;
your rod and your staff,
they comfort me.

⁵ You prepare a table before me
in the presence of my enemies.
You anoint my head with oil;
my cup overflows.

⁶ Surely your goodness and love will
follow me
all the days of my life,
and I will dwell in the house of the
Lord
forever.

Day 3 – Psalm 91:9-14

⁹ If you say, “The Lord is my refuge,”
and you make the Most High your
dwelling,

¹⁰ no harm will overtake you,
no disaster will come near your
tent.

¹¹ For he will command his angels
concerning you

to guard you in all your ways;
¹² they will lift you up in their hands,
so that you will not strike your foot
against a stone.

¹³ You will tread on the lion and the
cobra;
you will trample the great lion and
the serpent.

¹⁴ “Because he loves me,” says the
Lord, “I will rescue him;
I will protect him, for he acknowl-
edges my name.”



SOMETHING TO EAT City-Wide Packing Event

Coming February 2025

Perfect for families, groups, churches and businesses!

Join us in 2025, for a city-wide event to supply area pantries with thousands of shelf-stable meals. Bring your family and friends for this fun all-hands-on-deck event to make a big impact on food insecurity in our community!

About Something to Eat™

This food packing program equips youth and community members to help fight hunger by providing shelf-stable and nutritious meals to local food pantries. Each summer, some of our Youthfront campers get to help pack meals for those in need.

Learn more: somethingtoeat.org



Don't want to miss out?

Fill out our interest form and be the first to know when we open shifts.



How about some more?

Hey Fifth Graders!

Next year, you get to come for a whole week of camp!

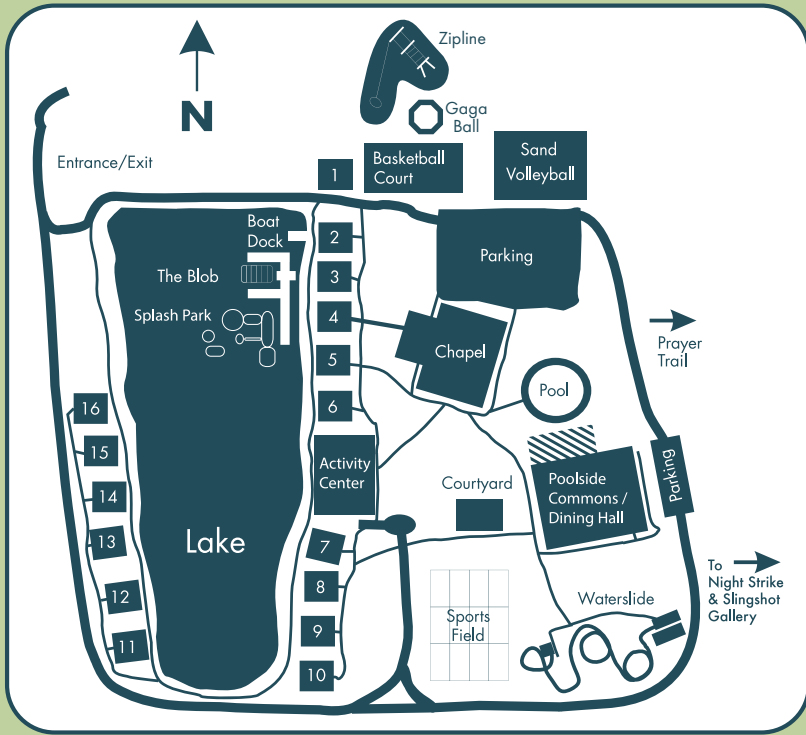
That's right. As a middle schooler, you get the full Monday through Friday camp experience.

Middle School sessions have **MORE** nights! That means they are **MORE** fun! **MORE** ice cream! **MORE** HYPE! **MORE** Night Strike... wait, uh, well. It's the same amount of Night Strike, but it's on a much cooler field with **MORE** challenges!

And yes, Middle School Camp has **MORE** gatherings, meaning **MORE** time for spiritual growth!

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Camp West Map



Camp LaCygne Map

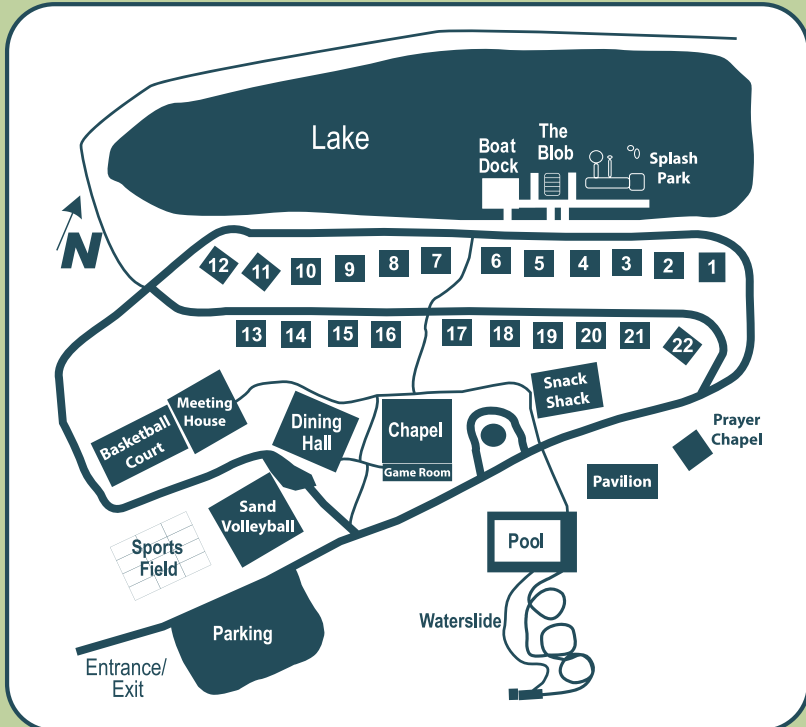


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2-Night Schedule

Day 1

10:15am Camp Kickoff
11:30am Cabin Time
12:30pm Lunch
1:00pm Free Time
5:00pm Free time ends
6:00pm Dinner
6:45pm Evening gathering
7:30pm Cabin Experience
8:30pm HYPE: Night Strike
9:30pm Back to Cabins
10:00pm Compline & Lights Out

Day 2

7:30am Wake Up
8:15am Morning Prayer
8:30am Breakfast
9:15am Morning Gathering
10:00am Cabin Activities
11:30am HYPE: Shaving Cream PARTY
12:30pm Lunch
1:00pm Free Time
5:00pm Free time ends
6:00pm Dinner
6:45pm Evening gathering
7:30pm Cabin Experience
8:30pm HYPE: The Cereal Bowl
9:30pm Back to Cabins
10:00pm Compline & Lights Out

Day 3

7:30am Wake Up
8:15am Breakfast
8:45am Finale HYPE
9:15am Final Cabin Time
10:00am Camper Pick-up
11:00am Camp Closes

3-Night Schedule

Day 1

10:15am Camp Kickoff
11:30am Cabin Time
12:30pm Lunch
1:00pm Free Time
6:00pm Dinner
6:45pm Gathering
7:45pm Cabin Reflection
8:30pm HYPE: Night Strike
9:45pm Back to Cabins
10:30pm Compline/Lights Out

Day 2

7:30am Wake Up
8:15am Morning Prayer
8:30am Breakfast
9:15am Morning Gathering
10:00am Cabin Activity
11:30am HYPE: Shaving Cream Party
12:30pm Lunch
1:00pm Free Time
6:00pm Dinner
6:45pm Gathering
7:45pm Cabin Reflection
8:30pm HYPE: Cereal Bowl
9:45pm Back to Cabins
10:30pm Compline/Lights Out

Day 3

7:30am Wake Up
8:15am Morning Prayer
8:30am Breakfast
9:15am Morning Gathering
10:00am Cabin Activities
12:30pm Lunch
1:00pm Free Time
6:00pm Dinner
6:45pm HYPE: Board Game Bonanza
8:30pm Gathering
9:30pm Cabin Reflection
10:30pm Compline & Lights Out

Day 4

7:30am Wake Up
8:15am Morning Prayer
8:30am Breakfast
9:15am Morning Gathering
10:00am Cabin Activities
12:30pm Lunch
1:00pm Free Time
3:30pm HYPE: Sock-N-Roll
5:00pm Dinner outside
5:30pm Final Gathering
6:15pm Open Time
7:00pm Close Camp