Good Morning Sunday School Students,

I am excited that you have joined me today in our Spirit and Truth Zoom Classroom. Our lesson today will be about a special person that is talked about in the Bible Named John The Baptist

Our scripture for today is I can do all things through Him who strengthens me. Philippians 4:13

Pick A Job

- 1.Prayer Leader
- 2. Teacher Assistant
- 3. Bible Verse Leader
- 4. Meditation Leader

Schedule for Today

Prayer

Meditation

Greeting

Group Dance

Lesson -Learning About John the Baptist

Do You Know What

Prayer For Today

Dear God,

Every day help me to make the decision to follow You and the lessons that I learn in my studying of the bible. Amen

Meditation is quieting your spirit so you can hear God speaking to you. I'll read the meditation exercise first, then you will repeat it after me.

Breathing in, I relax

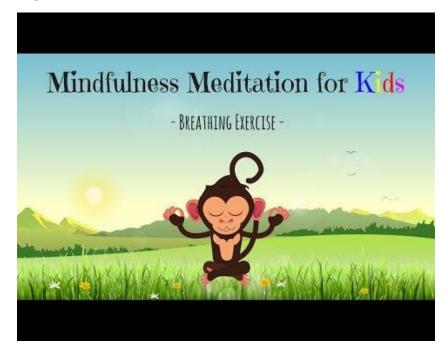
Breathing out, I smile

Breathing in, I feel calm

Breathing out I feel good

Breathing in, no more anger

Breathing out, peace and quiet



Adapted from Thich Nhat Hanh

Greeting

Hello neighbor, what d'ya say?

It's gonna be a wonderful day.

Clap your hands and boogie on down

Give me a bump and turn around



Learning About John The Baptist

Vocabulary

God- Everything that is good is representative of God

Evil-Something that is bad, causes harm, or destruction

Behavior-The way a person acts especially toward other people and situations

Knowing God- To know God we have to study the words in the Bible and other spiritual books and try as hard as we can to do the things we learn in the bible.

Praying- Talking to God

Meditation-Quieting your body and mind so you can hear the spirit of God guiding your thoughts and actions

Repentance- To feel sorry when you do something wrong and continue to work try to do better

Bible Lesson Matthew 3: 1-6,11

1.In those days John the Baptist came and preached in the Desert of Judea. 2.He said,"Turn away from your sins? The Kingdom of heaven is near"3. John is the one the prophet Isaiah had spoken about. He had said,"A messenger is calling out in the desert,"prepare the way for the Lord. Make straight paths for him' 4. John's clothes were made out of camel's hair. He had a leather belt around his waist

His food was locust and wild honey.5 People went out to him from Jerusalem and all of Judea. They also came from the whole area around the Jordan River 6 When they admitted they had sinned John baptized them in the Jordan River. When someone is baptised they are making a decision to change their behaviors from doing bad things to working hard to do good things.

11. John baptized people with water, calling them to turn away from their sins. John said "After me, one will come who is more powerful than I am. I'm not fit to carry his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit!



Do You Know What

Parent Prayer-God, when I feel alone or like I'm missing the mark as a parent, help me to make the choice to trust You and Your word.

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