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TOPICAL BREAKDOWN

THEME: CHRISTIANS LIVING TOGETHER IN GOD'S FAMILY

SUBTHEME: My Home and Community

- I. A home
- II. Types of families
- III. Roles played by people in a home
- IV. The community
 - (A neighbor and neighborhood).
 - The story of a Good Samaritan.
 - Types of people with different needs.
 - a) Ways of caring for those in need
 - b) Ways of caring for those in problems and those who are weak
 - c) Places where people with needs can be helped from.

Jesus showed love and concern for all people. (Jesus feeds five thousand men)

Ways in which Jesus showed kindness and love to people

SUBTHEME 2: Community of Believers in Christ

- 1. The church as God's family
- 2. Examples or groups of Christians
- 3. Importance of leaders found in the church
- 4. Ways of caring for church buildings
- 5. Activities Christians do in the church when praying
- 6. Ways we can talk to God in the church

7. Ways how church members care for the people
8. How Christians enter God's family, the church
9. Some Christian names for boys and girls
10. Jesus' baptism

SUBTHEME 3: Creation

The stages of creation

Non-living things created by God

Importance of God's creation

Uses of water to man

Uses of birds to people

Uses of plants to people

Uses of animals to people

SUBTHEME 4: Knowing Jesus as Our Friend

Jesus calls the first apostles

Jesus chooses His apostles

Ways in which people meet Jesus today

Jesus heals the crippled man

Jesus calms a storm

R.E. LESSON NOTES FOR P 2 TERM I

THEME: CHRISTIANS LIVING TOGETHER IN GOD'S FAMILY

SUBTHEME: My home and community

LESSON NOTES:

A family

People who live together in a home make up a family.

A family is a group of people living together related by blood or marriage



There are two types of families:

A nuclear family is a family where we find father, mother and their own children.

An extended family is a family where we find father, mother, their children and other relatives.

Members of an extended family

grandfather	uncles	cousins
mother	sisters	nieces
brother	father	nephews
Grandmother	aunt	

Roles of father a in home

Father is the head of a family

Father pays school fees for children

Father buys food for the family

Roles of mother in a home

Mother looks after children at home

Mother cooks food

Mother takes care of the baby

Roles of children at home

Children fetch water

Children sweep the compound

Evaluation exercise

1. Describe the term family
2. Mention two types of families
3. Give two examples of relatives
4. State two roles played by these people in the family
 - Father
 - Mother
 - Children

SUBTHEME: The Community of Believers in Christ.

LESSON NOTES:

- People who live in different homes make up a community, they are neighbours.
- A neighbour is a person who helps the needy Jesus said "love your neighbour as you love yourself.
- In the story of the Good Samaritan in the bible, we learn to show love respect and care for others. (Luke 10:30)
- One day when Jesus was teaching, he told the story of a **Good Samaritan**.
- He said, one day a certain man was moving down to **Jericho**.
- He fell among thieves who beat him up badly and ran away leaving him half dead.
- A certain priest found him but passed by on the other side.

- Another man who was a Levite at that place saw him and also passed by the other side



- But a Samaritan came where the man was and when he saw him, he felt sorry for him.
- He tied bandages on his wounds and put him on his donkey and cared for him.

Lessons we learn from this story

- We must show love and care for others.
- We must learn to share what we have with others in need.
- Love your neighbour as you love yourself.
- To show that we love God we must first show love and care to others.
- God rewards those who love one another.

Evaluation exercise

1. Who beat the man to make him half dead?
2. Where was the man going who was beaten by the thieves?
3. Who was the first person to find the beaten man?
4. Who helped the injured man?
5. What do we learn from the story?

SUBTHEME: Types of people with needs

LESSON NOTES:

- Those who are in problems like; the orphans, the refugees, the hungry, the poor, the kidnapped, strangers.
- Those with special needs on their bodies like the lame, the blind, the deaf, the dumb and the mad people.
- Those who are weak like babies, the sickly, the pregnant people and the casualty

Ways of caring for those in need

- By helping the blind to cross the road
- Giving wheel chairs/clutches to the lame
- Taking children with special needs to special schools

Ways of caring for those in problems and those who are weak

- Visiting them
- Praying for them
- Washing for them
- Cooking for them
- Taking them to hospitals
- Comforting them

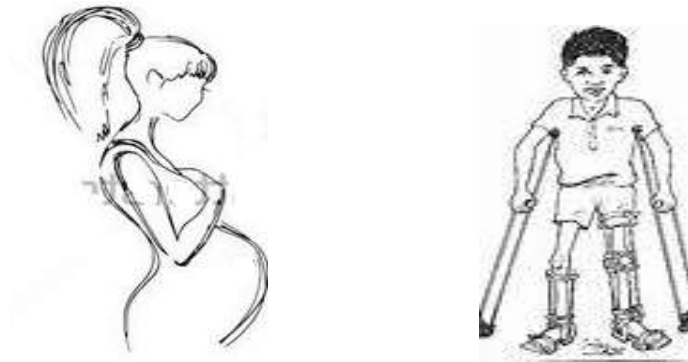
Places where people with needs can be helped from

- From church
- From schools
- From babies homes
- From orphanages
- From hospitals, mosques
- From remand homes
- From police stations

Evaluation exercise;

1. Give examples of needy people?

2. State two ways of caring for needy people?
3. Why is it good to care for others?
4. Mention 2 places where needy people can be helped from?
5. Name two things you can give to the poor



SUBTHEME: Jesus showed love and concern for all people

LESSON NOTES:

- In Matthew 14:13-21, we read about how Jesus fed five thousand men with five loaves of bread and two fish.
- One day when Jesus was teaching, a very big crowd of people followed Him.
- When he saw how people were hungry, he felt love and concern for them.
- He prayed for the five loaves of bread and two fish and they multiplied (they became so many).
- All the people at, were filled and happy.
- They collected twelve baskets of left overs.

Lessons we learn from this story

- We must learn to share what we have with others.
- We learn that Jesus has the power to give us what we want
- When we pray to God He answers our prayers.

Evaluation exercise

1. Who fed the five thousand people with five loaves of bread and the two fish?
2. What did Jesus feel when he saw the hungry people?
3. How many baskets of left over's were collected?

Note

Ways in which Jesus showed kindness to love the people

- Jesus raised Jairus' daughter
- Jesus fed the five thousand people
- Jesus healed the sick
- Jesus calmed the storm
- Jesus healed the blind
- Jesus healed the deaf and lame
- Jesus raised Lazarus from the death
- Jesus prayed for many people

SUBTHEME: Community of believers in Christ

LESSON NOTES:

The church as God's family

What is a church?

- A church is a place where people go to worship or pray to God.
- People who worship God in the church are called Christians or Christian believers

Examples or groups of religions

- Christians
- Islam
- African traditional religion

People found in the church community

Pope, priest, pastors, reverend, nuns, sisters, brothers, ushers,

Church leaders

- **The pope** heads a catholic group in the whole world. He lives in Rome.
- **Bishops** head the churches in given areas
- **Pastors, priests like reverends and fathers** head churches in the communities

Importance of church leaders

- They guide and advise us.
- They preach the word of God.
- They teach us how to read the Bible.
- They baptize Christians.

Things found in a church

Mats, flowers, baskets, pulpits, candles, chairs, rosaries, Holy bibles, alter

Evaluation exercise

- 1) What is a church?
- 2) Name any two groups of two groups of Christians?
- 3) State two importance of church leaders
- 4) Who heads
 - a) The Catholic Church?
 - b) The Anglican?
- 5) Draw and name two things found in church

SUBTHEME: The Church

LESSON NOES:

Ways of caring for the church building

- Decorating the church
- Weeding the flower garden
- Slashing around the church
- Dusting the seats
- Arranging the seats

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