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Plus One

By putting our faith into action, we see God working in the world and in our lives.

BIG IDEA

When our faith is active, we can see God at work.

KEY VERSE

Oh, how great are God's riches and wisdom and Now all glory to God, who is able, through his mighty power at work within us, to accomplish infinitely more than we might ask or think. Glory to him in the church and in Christ Jesus through all generations forever and ever! Amen. | Ephesians 3:20-21 (NLT)

1 | Hangout

SUPPLIES

- None

INSTRUCTIONS

a. Discuss:

- What stood out to you in the God Story? How about in the Life Story?
- Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego had seriously strong faith! Who do you know who has faith like that? How do you see them live it out?



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2 | Hear

SUPPLIES

- Bibles

INSTRUCTIONS

- Make sure everyone has a Bible. Share them if needed.
- Guide the students to look up Daniel 3:16-18. Read the passage together.
- Discuss: What sticks out to you the most from these verses?
- Note that sometimes when we read the Bible, we think of it as just a story, but these were real people!
- Encourage the students to consider this situation again and think about how real this all was.
- Read Daniel 3:19-30 together.
- Discuss:
 - What are the thoughts or reactions you have to what happened in this story?
 - How can this story of amazing faith be an encouragement in our own lives?
- Guide the students to look up Ephesians 3:14-21. Read the passage together.
- Discuss:
 - What sticks out to you in these verses?
 - How might this passage connect to how Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego lived?
- Re-read verse 20. Discuss: What does this verse mean for you as you live for and serve God?

3 | Huddle

SUPPLIES

- None

LEADER TIP

- Prompt anyone who hasn't seen the Big Idea in practise in their own lives to listen in on the other students' stories and be encouraged.

INSTRUCTIONS

- Emphasize that today's Big Idea (**When our faith is active, we can see God at work**) was literally true for Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego.
- Discuss: How have you seen this in your own life?
- Pray that you would be able to pay attention to how God is already at work around you.