



Future-proofing our children

Sunday school Class 4

Lesson Title

Jesus Christ and the adulteress

A Parent's Guide

Sunday School Home Schooling



Dear Parent

Welcome to the “**Jesus Christ and the adulteress**” Sunday School 4 lesson.

This document provides you with a minimum guide on how to present the lesson.

How to prepare and present the lesson

Below are some tips on how to go about preparing and presenting the lesson:

Step	Action
1.	<p>Access the New Apostolic Church Website by keying-in or clicking on the following link from WhatsApp:</p> <p>https://bit.ly/3NACSSHS</p>
2.	<p>Gather the following tools to ensure that you are ready for the lesson:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bible • The PDF lesson that is already prepared • Child’s workbook and pencils, crayons, etc. • The Video Clip which is an additional optional resource tool <p>Note:</p> <p>2.1: An ideal time preferably to present the lesson is after the Sunday morning service in line with the normal Sunday School time to maintain the routine.</p> <p>2.2. Please keep the lesson as concise as possible, bearing in mind the retention span (to focus on the lesson) of our children – you know your child best. <i>Sunday School normally does not exceed 45 minutes.</i></p> <p>2.3: The lessons are class specific (i.e. SS, RI or Confirmation).</p> <p>2.4: Please contact your SS teacher if you need any of the above resources.</p>
3.	<p>Pray (see the prayer at the end of this document) and ask God to use you as a tool to present the lesson the way He would want us to present it.</p>



Present a Sunday School Lesson at Home

How to prepare and present the lesson

We continue to share some tips on how to go about preparing and presenting the lesson:

Step	Action
4.	Create a pleasant (disturbance free) learning environment where you and the children are at the same level Example: Sit on the mat or at a table
5.	Read through the lesson. Re-read the lesson so that you understand it. Watch the video clip of the lesson to get a better understanding of the lesson.
6.	Make notes for yourself on important points that you would like to remember.
7.	Understand the objective of the lesson that your child must remember.
8.	Present the lesson to your child by telling the story. You can even read the story if you like.
9.	Show your child the video and recap on the meaning/purpose of the lesson.
10.	Refer your child to the activity in the child's workbook.
11.	Pray, or ask your child to pray and close the lesson.

Available tools in terms of Home Schooling

Herewith some tools to enhance the quality of the lesson:

1. WhatsApp chat the lesson with another Sunday School family.
2. Discuss with other parents to obtain clarity regarding the lesson before it is presented.
3. Feel free to conduct your own research for additional information.



The Lesson

Lesson Title	Jesus Christ and the adulteress
Text	John 8: 1 - 11
Lesson Objective	Today we learn that all people are sinners and therefore are dependent on the grace of God. No one has the right to judge others.

Lesson Summary:

- A woman has been caught being unfaithful to her husband.
- According to Mosaic Law such a woman has to be stoned.
- The scribes and Pharisees brought her to the Lord Jesus.
- They were curious to see what he thought about the matter.
- The Lord Jesus replied: "Whichever one of you has committed no sin may throw the first stone at her"
- On hearing this, the accusers all left.
- When the woman stood alone before Jesus Christ, he said to her: "Go, and sin no more."

 Notes



What does this lesson mean for us today?

- We must be aware that we also make mistakes.
- Therefore no one has the right to judge others when they make mistakes
- We are thankful that our sins get forgiven through the grace of God.
- But we must still try to better ourselves and try not to sin.

Some questions that we can ask:

1. Who did the scribes and Pharisees bring to Jesus?
A: The woman who was unfaithful to her husband.
2. What, according to the Mosaic Law was supposed to happen to this woman's?
A: She was to be stoned
3. What did Jesus say to the woman's accusers?
A: Whichever one of you has never committed sin may throw the first stone.
4. Did they stone the woman?
A. No they did not.
5. Have you ever committed a sin?
A. Yes, we all make mistakes.
6. Should we judge others that have made mistakes?
A. No, because we all make mistakes.
7. Can our sins be forgiven?
A. Yes our sins can be forgiven by the grace of God.
8. Should we try and better to better ourselves and try not to sin?
A. Yes we should.



A Prayer for Daddy and Mommy to pray before the lesson:

Dear God, thank you for this day

Bless all parents and children

May we feel your presence

Bless the lesson we will have

Please teach us how to serve you

And help us to do your will

So that we grow closer to you

Send Jesus to fetch us

And may we be ready to meet Him

Amen

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