



JR. LESSON: Mother's Day

Date: Sunday May 11th Rick L, Anne L, Owen S, Kylie S

Welcome kids. Hello Everybody and how are you song (if you wish) (Lead Teacher)

Volunteers helping with little ones: (Owen & Kylie)

Review Rules:

One Mouth speaking at a time (Teacher points to mouths/kids point to their mouths)

Two Hands kept to myself (kids wiggle hands and keep them to themselves)

Two Feet kept to myself (kids cross legs)

Three Chances to Obey (1st. warning 2nd. remove from activity 3. call parent)

INTRO (Anne):

Anne share about being a mom, how many children and grandchildren you have .

Today is Mother's Day. God gave us Mom's to love us to provide for us to care for us and to show us God's love.

What is your mom's name? (kids share)

Let's pray for our mom's and pray for kids who don't have mom's that they will know God's love.

SING A SONG: (Rick, Anne)

"God made Mom's, God made Mom's, God made everything and God made Mom's"

Sing Jesus Loves Me tell the kids we know how much Father God loves us because He gave us Jesus to die on the cross for our sins.

Read book: Where is My Mother? **(Rick, Anne)**

TEACH KEY PASSAGE: (Rick, Anne)

Isaiah 66:13 "As a mother comforts her child, so I will comfort you."

Say: God is like a mother who comforts her child. When you are sad or are hurting, do you want to run to your mom for a hug? This is like God, He wants to care and comfort us when we are hurting. In other places in the Bible it says God is like a bird who gathers her flock under her wings. (gather the kids all together under your arms to demonstrate)

***Have kids repeat the verse with you.**

(DISMISS TODDLERS TO PLAY AREA)

Read more books about mom's (see bag)

ACTIVITY/SNACK/CRAFT/ PLAYDOUGH: (Fishy crackers/animal crackers) Activity/Colouring sheet (last 15-20 min divide time between craft/snack/activities)

Colouring Sheet: God gave us Mom's Make hearts with construction Paper: "You have my heart." Happy Mothers Day (cut out before class)