

BIG TRUTH: SIN IS A REJECTION OF GOD

Genesis 6:5; Isaiah 44:9-20, 53:6; 2 Kings 17:15; Jeremiah 10:1-15

BIBLE VERSE: GENESIS 3:6

So when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was a delight to the eyes, and that the tree was to be desired to make one wise, she took of its fruit and ate, and she also gave some to her husband who was with her, and he ate.

BIG IDEAS

- Sin leads us to doubt God’s goodness.
- Sin leads us to believe the lie that God is not enough.
- Sin leads us to reject God’s rule and reign.

BIBLE STORY: GENESIS 3:1-7

God’s creation was perfect and good until man’s sin. When Adam and Eve sinned in the Garden of Eden, they disobeyed God’s rule. They rejected Him and their relationship with Him. Man’s sin separated him from God and introduced death into the world. Our relationships with God, ourselves, and one another are broken because of our sin.

THE STORY

The Story is the good news of the gospel. All of Scripture tells the Story of God the Father’s work to redeem a people from the power of sin through God the Son so that they might live for His glory through the power of the Holy Spirit. During this series we will explore the four main movements of the Story of God, and our response to the life-altering Gospel Story!

BIG AIMS



Every student should know that:

- God is the author, subject, and hero of the gospel story
- Salvation comes by grace alone, through faith alone, in Christ alone



Every student should feel:

- Brokenness over the depth of our sin against God
- Joy in Jesus, our Savior and King



Every student should strive to:

- Describe the gospel message through Creation, Fall, Redemption, and New Creation
- Memorize the Bible verse each week



Every student should want:

- To study the Bible so that they can better understand God’s story of redemption
- To share the gospel story with those who are separated from God in their sin

FAMILY WORKOUT:

Our sin leads us to believe lies and reject God. This week we will consider how to discuss with our son or daughter the lies we often believe about God. We will pray for them to believe God’s truth and to live in obedience to Him. We will help them practice walking in obedience instead of rejecting God’s Word.

**Read Genesis 3:1-7 this week and meditate on it.**

- Consider how to help your son or daughter identify lies that he or she believes about God. How can you model for your son or daughter identifying lies you are believing and repenting of them? How can you lead your son or daughter to trust God and not reject Him?
- Consider how you can discuss with your student what it looks like to trust that God is good in all circumstances. How can you help your student establish behaviors that lead to consistent obedience in their daily lives?

**Spend time praying with your child every day this week.**

- Pray for your student to recognize the lies that he or she is believing about God and for wisdom for you to lead them to walk in truth and not a lie.
- Spend time praying with your son or daughter this week. Ask God to help you both to trust God's rule and reign over your lives.

**Share with your child some lies that you have believed about God.**

- Discuss with your student some of his or her lies and ways to walk in truth. Spend time helping your student find Scriptures that speak truth to the lies that we commonly believe about God.
- Choose a few verses for you and your student to memorize together this week. Spend time going over the verses together and at the end of the week see who can say them from memory.