

### WORK IT - Good Works Begin with God's Work (Titus 1:1-4) - June 19-20, 2021 STUDY NOTES || TIM HOWEY

Any "good works" are actually God at work through you
1. Thinking we are saved by our works
2. Thinking the message is "do more for God"
Who was Titus?
Galatians, 2 Corinthians, Titus, 2 Timothy
What about Crete?

#### What's the theme of Titus?

Paul, a bondservant of God and an apostle of Jesus Christ, according to the faith of God's elect and the acknowledgment of the truth which accords with godliness, **Titus 1:1 NKJV** 

in hope of eternal life which God, who cannot lie, promised before time began, **Titus 1:2 NKJV** 

but has in due time manifested His word through preaching, which was committed to me according to the commandment of God our Savior; **Titus 1:3 NKJV** 

To Titus, a true son in our common faith: Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ our Savior. **Titus 1:4 NKJV** 

#### Four things God cannot do:

Malachi 3:6, 2 Timothy 2:13, Titus 1:2, James 1:13

for it is God who works in you both to will and to do for His good pleasure. Philippians 2:13 NKJV

**NURSERY** 

## GOD MAKES THINGS GROW



1 CORINTHIANS 3:7

In this series, we will learn about the ways God makes living things in our wonderful world grow—things such as animals, plants, and people. Your toddler will have the opportunity to touch, smell, hear, taste, and see things that grow to reinforce the point that *God makes things grow*.

Memory Verse: God makes things grow. 1 Corinthians 3:7 (adapted for toddlers)

Heart of the Lesson: God Makes People Grow

**Parent Engagement:** Set out some clothes and accessories of various sizes. Grab some clothes that fit your toddler as well as clothes that you know will be too small and even some of your own clothes that will be too big. Let your toddler try the clothes on. Ask questions like, "Why don't these clothes fit?" Explain that God helps them grow bigger. Remind your toddler that *God makes people grow*.

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# DO WHAT'S RIGHT



We are starting fresh this summer reminding our little ones how God made them and their five senses and how much God loves them. Then we will be having four weeks of VeggieTales movies for some summer fun.

Memory Verse: Give thanks to the God of heaven. His faithful love endures forever. Psalm 136:26

Heart of the Lesson: Do What's Right - VeggieTale: Daniel - Daniel 6

**Parent Engagement:** This weekend we watched a VeggieTales movie about Daniel and the Lion's Den. Take some time this week to read the real story from a kid friendly Bible to your kid(s). You'll find it in Daniel chapter 6. What things are similar and what things are different between the two stories?

**ELEMENTARY** 

### Look Out

AN OUTREACH SERIES



For the next five weeks we are going to be outward-focused as we learn how we can welcome, pray, go, send and mobilize to reach unreached people groups around the world. We will also learn about some people groups from five major different religions, what our global partners are doing to reach them and what we can do to share Jesus with them.

**Memory Verse:** Give thanks to the Lord and proclaim his greatness. Let the whole world know what he has done. Psalm 105:1

Heart of the Lesson: I can be a welcomer/introduction to Animist religion - Matthew 25:34-40

**Parent Engagement:** Think of someone you know from another country. Welcome them to your house and get to know them and their culture. Pray for a chance to become friends and share Jesus with them.

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In this series, we will be learning about how to engage unreached people groups around the world with the gospel. The students will begin their time in small groups to research information and discover different ways that they can Do Something to be involved in local and global outreach initiatives. The students will end each week in Large Group to present what they discovered.

**Memory Verse:** But how can they call on him to save them unless they believe in him? And how can they believe in him if they have never heard about him? And how can they hear about him unless someone tells them? And how will anyone go and tell them without being sent? That is why the Scriptures say, "How beautiful are the feet of messengers who bring good news!" Romans 10:14-15

**Heart of the Lesson:** What do Animists believe and how can I share the gospel with Animist peoples? - Isaiah 43:10

**Parent Engagement:** Discuss what makes Christianity different from Animist beliefs. How can you share the gospel with Animist peoples?