Jesus heals the foreign woman's daughter

Look At: The people on the Bible verse page. What can you tell about them? Who do you think is the most important? Who us the smartest? Who is the richest?

Ask: What is different about these people?

Bible Story

Ask: When you hear this story for the first time, it sounds like Jesus is calling the woman a dog! Now calling someone a dog was not a nice thing, even back then. Does that sound like something Jesus would do?

Ask: Do you know what you can do when you read something in the Bible and it doesn't seem to make sense?

Say: There are a few things you can do when something doesn't make sense: the first and most important thing is of course to pray. Then you can check the verses before and after to see if they help you understand. Then you can check other verses and stories from the Bible that are about similar things.

Sing Songs

Return to tables

Memory Verse: Fill in the blanks and then say the memory verse on the colouring page.

Look: Through the colouring pictures from previous weeks. Which stories show us how Jesus treated people or how He wants us to treat people?

Discuss the following depending on age, interest and time:

Revise how the Jews would have treated the woman at the well and how Jesus treated her Revise the Sermon on the Mount and the golden rule

Do you think that people ever judge you by the way you look? Do you think they might treat you differently if you looked different?

Discuss how animals and people are different physically and how people are the same no matter what their nationality.

Look at pictures of people from different countries and learn something about them. How are they the same as you? How are they different?

Say: The Jews had been God's chosen people, but they were now filled with the bad kind of pride about it. Jesus wanted to teach His disciples a lesson.

Say: Galatians 3:28 says "There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither bond nor free, there is neither male nor female: for ye are all one in Christ Jesus."

Say: Lets finish Sabbath School by asking Jesus to help us be kind and caring to everyone, just like He was.

Finish with prayer at each table