

Summary: The signs of Jesus soon return (second coming)

Read Before: Daniel 12:4; Matthew 24:1-39; Luke 21:7-36; 2 Peter 3:4; Desire of Ages 630-636, The Bible Story Vol8 158-177

Aim: Bad things will happen before Jesus comes back but I don't have to be afraid.

1. *What do I already know?* ☐ Listen / Talk ☐ See ☒ Do

Play Charades with the following words: Signs, earthquake, famine, war, marriage, divorce, hate.

2. *Tell story / give facts.* ☐ Listen / Talk ☒ See ☐ Do

Tell story using newspaper stories, pictures of the signs, picture of Jesus returning etc.

3. *Review / how does it apply today?* ☐ Listen / Talk ☐ See ☒ Do

Say: This term we are learning about the things that happened in the last week before Jesus died. Lots of things happened in that week and they all lead up to something very important. Each week we will get one piece of the puzzle and at the end of the term you will see what is so important.

Puzzle Piece 4: Signs of Jesus soon return on a black piece of card

4. *What can this become / what can we do?* ☐ Listen / Talk ☐ See ☒ Do

Ask: Do we need to be scared? Who will look after us?

Imagine what Jesus second coming will be like. – Compare to New Years Eve or something else the kids can relate to.

Say: This term we are learning how to be ready when Jesus comes.

To Do List

Print:

- ☐ A MV colouring page for each child
- ☐ A program list for each teacher
- ☐ Craft.pdf onto card and cut out and then trace onto black cards and cut out.
- ☐ Signs.pdf printed and coloured in
- ☐ Stickers.pdf onto 4x A4 stickers
- ☐ Charades and cut apart

Have:

- ☐ Glue
- ☐ Newspapers or magazines
- ☐ Picture of second coming