

Joyful Heart Character
Month by Month Scope and Sequence - APRIL
(Biblical character traits and sequential early reading activities for 4-6 year olds)

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Month / Lesson	Bible / Character Trait Study				Story Books (Character and / or Theme Related)	Reading			Math	Science / Social Studies Theme
	Character Trait	Bible Story	Bible Memory	Activity / Craft		Sight Word Focus (Booklet)	Letter Review	Word Family Focus		
April Week 33	Servant Hearted, Humble, and Obedient	Jesus	Galatians 5:13b Serve one another in love Philippians 2:3b ...in humility, consider others better than yourselves. Colossians 3:20 Children, obey your parents in everything. For this pleases the Lord.	1) Make palm branches from construction paper, sponges, paint, and pipe cleaners. 2) Using a bowl and a washcloth, tenderly wash your children's feet as you retell the Bible story of how Jesus humbly washed His disciples' feet. 3) Share a simple snack of pita bread, cubed cheese, and grapes. Retell how Jesus shared a Passover meal with His disciples and told them to 'Remember Me.' 4) Make a praying hands mosaic to remind us that Jesus prayed to His Father in the garden.	The Selfish Crocodile, Easter Is For Me	where (Where Was Jesus?)	Review	Review	Numeration 1-5	Easter
Week 34	Servant Hearted, Humble, and Obedient	Jesus Dying on the Cross	(Same as Week 33) Galatians 5:13b Philippians 2:3b Colossians 3:20	1) Make a cross craft. 2) Make an empty tomb craft. 3) Enjoy your own special Easter crafts / activities!	Why Is There a Cross?	when, does (When Is Easter?)	Review	Review	Numeration 1-5	Easter
Week 35	Review / Easter	Review	Review	1) Make tissue and Styrofoam eggs. 2) Dye Easter eggs 3) Paint egg shapes (or a cross) using tightly placed Q-Tip dots.	The Story of Easter (A. Fisher), The Legend of the Easter Egg	some, were (Colorful Eggs)	Review	Review	Review	Easter
Week 36	Full of Faith	David and Goliath Abraham sacrificing Isaac	Luke 1:37 For nothing is impossible with God.	1) Oviparous / non oviparous picture sort 2) Life cycle sequence (frog, butterfly, chicken, etc.) 3) Make a mustard seed necklace. 4) Create shield of faith.	Where Do Chicks Come From?, Bugs Are Insects, From Tadpole to Frog	of (What Hatches?)	Review	Review	Review	Oviparous Animals