



# Pathway Kids Spring 2026

## Leader Guide

### February 2, 2026



**Psalm 119-** God's Word is like a light that helps us see the right way to go. When we read the Bible, it shows us how to make good choices and follow God's path. Psalm 119:105  
**Bible- Feb 2-** Luke 10:25-37 We can show God's love to people we don't know. Valentine Project



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## Group Schedule

Leaders Arrive: 6:15 PM  
Snack: 6:30 PM – 6:45 PM  
Outside Play: 6:45 PM- 7:15 PM  
Small Group: 7:20 PM- 8:00 PM  
Dismiss: 8:00 PM- 8:05 PM



## Opening Game:

### Supplies:

- None

### Welcome

- Thank kids for coming.
- Introduce new kids.

### Introduce the Lesson

**Ask:** Have you ever seen someone who needed help? What did you do?  
How do you feel when someone helps you?

### Summarize

Today we'll learn how Jesus told a story about a man who showed real love by helping someone who was hurting. When we choose kindness and help others, we "Live It Out- we show God's love in action!"

## Talk About Video:

### Discuss and Watch Luke 10:25-37

A man was walking down a road when robbers hurt him and left him there.

**Ask:** • How do you think you might respond to the hurt man?

### Watch “Luke 10:25-37”

**Say:** A priest and a Levite saw the man and kept walking. Then a Samaritan stopped to help, cleaned the man's wounds, and paid for him to rest safely.

**Ask:** • Who helped the hurt man?

What made the Samaritan's choice special?

How do you think the hurt man felt when someone finally helped him?

**Say:** Jesus, said, “Go and do the same.” That means we should look for ways to help people around us, too!

**Think About:** Who are some neighbors we could consider helping?

## Service Project:

### Supplies

- Bibles
- Valentine's supplies
- markers
- stickers
- stamps

### Ask a Question

Distribute Bibles.

**Say:** Today we are going to create beautiful Valentines for people who can't come to church regularly and some of them don't leave their house for long. While you are decorating these, think about the person who might get that Valentine and pray for them. Pray for their health. Pray that they believe Jesus is their Savior. Pray for those who are caring for them.

**Ask:** • What are some verses from the Bible you would like to write on your Valentine's?

What are some other special things we could write to cheer someone up?

How can you pray for the people you are making a Valentine's Day gift for?

**Say:** A Good Samaritan showed love by helping someone who couldn't help himself. That's what Jesus does for us- He loves us even when we're hurting or lost. When we “Live It Out,” we follow Jesus' example, use our gifts, and trust God to help us shine His light every day.

### Call and Response:

**Leader:** Who can live it out?

**Kids:** We can live it out.

**Leader:** How?

**Kids:** By loving God and loving others

Make Valentine's and collect them to mail to those in our church who are considered homebound.

## Who Needs a Neighbor?

**Supplies Needed:** paper hearts or sticky notes, markers, Butcher paper displayed on the wall labeled "Live It Out", painter's tape

### What to Do:

- Give each kid a paper heart or sticky note.
- Ask them to draw or write one way they can be a neighbor this week.
- Place hearts on a wall labeled, "Live It Out" and pray together.

**Say:** Living it Out means letting God's Word guide our choices every day- like Psalm 119:105 says, "Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path." When we read the Bible, God shows us how to be kind, brave, and caring like the Samaritan.

God also gives us spiritual gifts to serve others (1 Corinthians 12). Some of us are encouragers, helpers, or leaders. We can use these gifts to live out God's love. And just like the Armor of God (Ephesians 6), we put on truth, faith, and peace so we're ready to do what's right- helping others even when it's hard.