

kid LEADERS' guide

THIS Week...

This week we're talking about being on God's team.

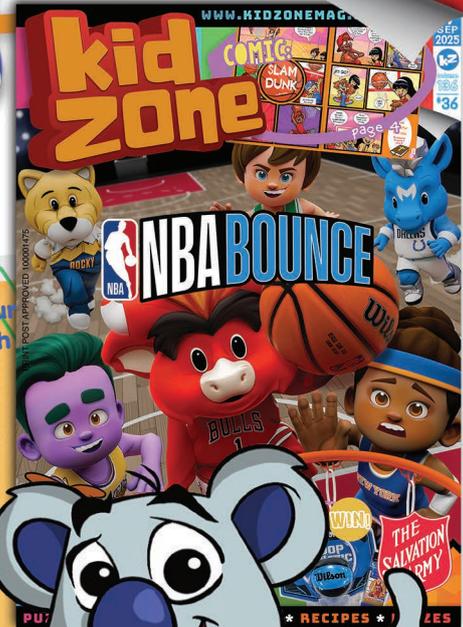
TODAY'S BIBLE VERSES: Ecclesiastes 4:9, Romans 5:4, Proverbs 27:17, Thessalonians 5:11, Philipians 2:4

KEY WORDS: patience, kindness, encouragement, teamwork

BEFORE today's lesson:

- Make sure you have all the materials you need for the 'Welcome Zone' and 'Fun Zone' activities.
- Gather together all the required ingredients for 'Grub Zone'.
- Have enough *Kidzone* magazines for every child!

💡 When preparing your program, consider each of the 'zones' and how they will best work in your context. You may like to mix up the order in which you do the 'zones'. You will, however, need to remember the 'Welcome Zone' needs to start the session, the 'Zone In' section needs to follow the 'God Zone', and the 'Beyond the Zone' happens at home.



WELCOME ZONE^{kz}
(10 mins)

GRUB ZONE^{kz}
(7-10 mins)

FUN ZONE^{kz}
(10-12 mins)

GOD ZONE^{kz}
(7-10 mins)

ZONE IN^{kz}
(5-7 mins)

🔥 SET UP a ball challenge for your class, such as tossing balls into buckets.

🍷 MAKE Cheffy's fun Oreo basketball pops (page 10).
If you don't have access to a kitchen to melt the chocolate, another option is to ice the biscuits with orange icing.

🔥 DO the quiz on page 3.

🔧 MAKE Oliver's basketball cup and ball game on page 11.

📖 READ the message at the bottom of the page.

🎮 PLAY with your game!

📖 READ Sam on page 14.

🗣️ TALK about being on a 'team' – it can be a sports team, a singing 'team' (choir), gymnastics etc. What do the children like about being on a team?

🗣️ CHAT about what it means to be on God's team.
It means believing in Jesus' love for us and living our lives for him. It means learning about him and praying (talking) to him. Talk about how the people at their church are on God's team, learning about God together and working to help and encourage others.

🔥 DO the Bible code puzzle or colouring competition (page 13).

📖 LOOK through the comic on pages 4 and 5 together.

 **LOOK** through the feature on pages 8-9.

 **READ** the message on page 9 and chat about how the Kidzone kids showed encouragement and kindness to Faith.

How do they think Faith felt? Have they ever felt like her – when someone was kind and helped them to do something they couldn't do by themselves?

 **PRAY:** Dear God, please help us to be kind and helpful to others.

 **GIVE OUT** the 'Beyond the Zone' cards and read through the activities.

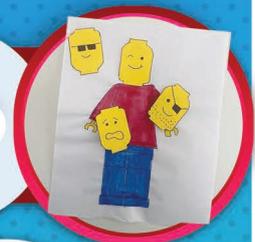
GET READY FOR NEXT WEEK ...

To make the recipes and crafts next week you will need the following:

OLIVER'S PIN THE HEAD ON THE LEGO-INSPIRED FIGURE GAME



- Big sheet of paper
- Yellow paper or sheets of printer paper (you'll need yellow paint if you use printer paper)
- Ruler
- Pencil
- Black felt-tipped pen
- Eraser
- Scissors
- Red and blue paint
- Blu Tack



CHEFFY'S HONEY-MUSTARD HOT DOGS

- Frankfurts
- Hot dog buns
- Grated cheese
- Wholegrain mustard
- Honey



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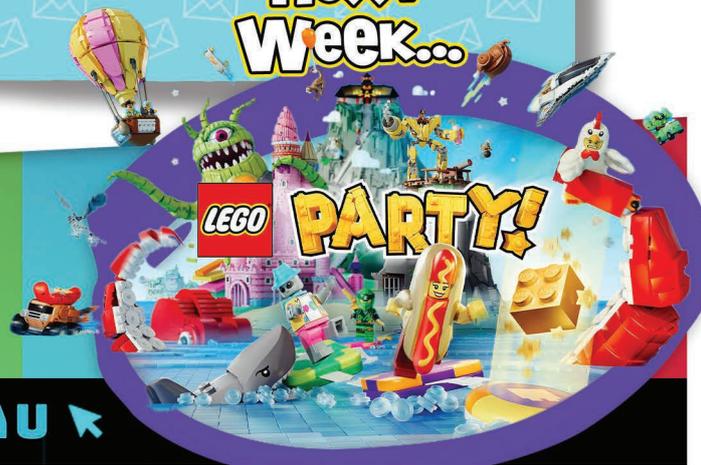
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 We'd love to see some photos of your kids' church members enjoying the activities to include in the *Kidzone* magazine!

Email a picture of your group to kidzone@salvationarmy.org.au

*Please get permission from parents before sending photos and include a copy of signed parental consent for *Kidzone* to print image.

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