# Children and Youth Program Information Week of April 8, 2018

## PreK/KG and 1st-3rd Grade

#### Acts 4:32-35

The book of Acts tells the story of what happened after Easter. In Acts 4, we learn of how the larger group of believers shared everything and all were cared for. The focus for the children is learning to share, everything from crayons to sharing of their talents. Look for opportunities during the week to point out your child's skills and talents and perhaps offer a way for them to share those skills with others. Or, do some spring cleaning and share your unused belongings with others.

#### 4th and 5th Grade

#### Jeremiah 29:11

"For I know the plans I have for you" declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future." The theme of this week's lesson is that God has given each of us wonderful talents to use in this world. Look for opportunities during the week to point your child's skills and talents and perhaps offer a way for them to share those skills with others.

### Jr. High

#### John 20:19-31

The lesson for this week meets Jesus on the beach grilling fish for the disciples. No, Jesus is not a ghost. Jesus helps the disciples understand what has happened and what they are to do to share the good news with others. The discussion is about how the middle schoolers can share the good news with people in their lives. Look for opportunities during the week to talk about loving and caring for others in daily activities.

# **Jesus Squad Youth Group**

April 8<sup>th</sup> – "Drink, Drank, Drunk" beginning series on drug and alcohol abuse (Curriculum being emailed to parents)

Sunday, April 15th - "User" part two of series on drug and alcohol abuse

Saturday, April 21<sup>st</sup> – Community Service Project at St. Matthew's in Sacramento – need RSVP's please! Sunday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> – No youth group

Sunday, April 29<sup>th</sup> – "The Devil Made Me do it" part three of series on drugs, alcohol and making choices Sunday, May 6<sup>th</sup> – Last meeting