



Children's Cell Newsletter

May 28, 2023

Dear Parents,

Thank you so much for allowing your child to join our service. I'd love for you to use this newsletter to review this week's Bible story with your child at home.

Today, we'll learn that **"Jesus Calmed a Storm"** (Matthew 8; Mark 4; Luke 8). *In our Bible story, Jesus did sleep during a scary storm because He was in complete control of the storm. Every wave obeys Jesus as well because He is God. As the Son of God, Jesus is both fully God and fully human.*

Review the gospel and encourage your child to speak with you if they have questions. Remind your child that the disciples reaction to the storm was one of fear, but it was also a response that showed their lack of faith in Jesus' goodness. Discuss how they asked Jesus if He didn't care they might die. Explain that the truth of the matter is Jesus loved them and cared for them so much, He left heaven and came to earth to die for their sins. Then **pray, thanking God for Jesus' power over sin and death.**

Grace and blessings in Christ,

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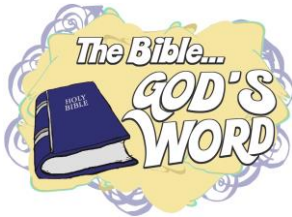
Jesus Calmed a Storm

BIBLE PASSAGE: Matthew 8; Mark 4; Luke 8

KEY PASSAGE: John 1:18

BIG PICTURE QUESTION: *Is Jesus God or a human?*

As the Son of God, Jesus is both fully God and fully human.



Jesus spent all day teaching crowds of people near the Sea of Galilee. That evening, Jesus wanted to cross over to the other side of the sea.

Jesus and His disciples got into a boat and began sailing. While Jesus and His disciples traveled, Jesus fell asleep on a cushion at the back of the boat.

All of a sudden, a storm came. Water was rushing into the boat, and the disciples were afraid! If the water kept coming in the boat, the boat would sink. Surely they would all drown!

Jesus was still fast asleep at the back of the boat. Did Jesus care that they were about to sink into the sea?

The disciples woke up Jesus. “Lord, save us!” they said. “We are going to die!”

Jesus opened His eyes and saw that His friends were afraid. He got up and spoke to the wind. Then Jesus said to the sea, “Silence! Be still!”





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At the sound of Jesus' voice, the wind stopped blowing and the waves stopped crashing.

Jesus looked at His disciples and asked, "Why are you afraid? Do you still have no faith?"

The disciples were amazed. "Who is this man?" they asked each other. "Even the wind and the waves obey Him!"

Jesus' disciples knew Jesus was a good man and a good teacher. When Jesus calmed the wind and the waves, He showed His disciples that He is also God. God rules the sea and stills its waves

Key Passage



**No one has ever seen God;
the only God, who is at
the Father's side,
he has made him known.**

« John 1:18 »

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REMINDER

[Important Notice]

- ✓ Children's cell worship service will start at 12:00 noon.
- ✓ Upcoming:
 - Bible Writing Awards** on June 4.
 - Graduation Service** on June 11.
- ✓ Remind your children **not to play with electronic devices or toys** such as smartphones or dolls, during our service.
- ✓ Our prayer is that the children's time spent in our church would encourage them to trust Christ as Savior, to submit to Him, and to live out the Gospel wherever they are.



"Jesus Healed and Forgave" (Matthew 9; Mark 2; Luke 5)

