

## Mission Education Resources for Children and Youth

### **Super Simple Bible Lessons For Ages 3-5**

These lessons are interesting and fun, and can be used to teach children about God's mission in the world.

ISBN-13/UPC: 9780687497706/ Abingdon Press

AGE GROUP: Children from ages 3-5 COST: \$11.20

<http://www.cokesbury.com>

### **United Methodist Children's Fund**

The United Methodist Children's Fund for Christian Mission is about children helping children and is a tool for mission education.

The packet includes information on how children can raise money to support mission projects that help other children.

AGE GROUP: Children from grades 1-6 COST: Free

<http://www.gbod.org/children/>

### **Tween Time: Fellowship and Service Projects for Preteens**

Short study lessons called "Lesson in a Nutshell" provide opportunities for tweens to experience and strengthen their commitment to mission.

ISBN-13/UPC:9780687022540/ Abingdon Press

AGE GROUP: Children grades 4-6 COST: \$12.80

<http://www.cokesbury.com>

### **Fired Up! Youth Living as United Methodists Today**

Using John Wesley and his circuit riders as models, this study examines how faith can be put into action to better the lives of people throughout the world.

ISBN-13/UPC:X727979/ Cokesbury

AGE GROUP: Youth COST: \$5.00

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General Board of Global Ministries at <http://new.gb-gm-umc.org/>.*



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# Beyond These Walls: Prayers for Mission



Be strong and courageous; do not be  
frightened or dismayed, for the Lord your  
God is with you wherever you go.

—Joshua 1:9

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 God, lead me to a higher level of effectiveness for your Kingdom. Ephesians 2:14	2 God, teach us to break down the barriers that divide us at local, international and even personal levels. Philippians 4:6-7	3 God, make my church one that is reaching out, loving, teaching, redeeming, and making disciples of Christ Jesus. 1 John 4:16	4 God, give me the courage to respond to the nudging of the Holy Spirit. Psalm 27:1
5 God, teach me and my church to be mission-focused and lead us to the most effective places of service. 1 Peter 2:21	6 God, help our mission teams overcome fundraising difficulties. 1 Peter 3:15	7 God, help my church develop a local missions strategy that can transform our entire community. Romans 13:10	8 God, show me the best ways to support vital ministries, whether it is giving my time, my prayers or financial gifts. 2 Corinthians 9:7	9 God, inspire an enthusiasm for missions in the life of every member of my congregation. Hebrews 12:1-2	10 God, teach us to set aside some of our own perspectives and learn to build healthy partnerships with other cultures. Acts 2:6	11 God, may the Holy Spirit bring hope in the wake of catastrophes. 1 Peter 5:7
12 God, thank you for the churches and the people who are trained first-responders in disasters. 1 John 2:10	13 God, thank you for those who continue to help for years after natural disasters until all the work is done. Philippians 3:13-14	14 God, we pray for missionaries and their families. Support them, protect them and guide them. Isaiah 52:7	15 God, grant wisdom, compassion and healing power to medical mission teams. Luke 17:15	16 God, we lift up everyone who feeds the hungry and works to alleviate the root causes of hunger and poverty. Matthew 25:40	17 God, may the work of this church change the trajectory of a child's life who is in danger or at risk. Matthew 18:5	18 God, guide my path so that I set an example for my children to reach out to others with the love of Christ. Habakkuk 3:18
19 God, help my church develop a mission-minded children's ministry. Psalm 8:1-2	20 God, may our church youth program inspire students to put their faith into action to better the world. Psalm 71:5	21 God, grant strength and stamina to mission teams working to build homes, schools and churches. Colossians 3:23	22 God, open doors for people involved in prison ministries so that they might share the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Isaiah 52:7	23 God, guide my church in reaching out to people in crisis and those in seemingly impossible situations. 2 Corinthians 1:3-4	24 God, equip the United Methodist Church with everything we need to eradicate malaria in Africa. Philippians 4:23	25 God, help me to be an advocate for food and medicine for all your people. Matthew 25:36
26 God, inspire me and give me the courage to work for justice in the world. James 2:24	27 God, bless all people working to establish new churches and strengthen existing ones. John 14:12	28 God, make my church fertile ground for sending missionaries to the field. Acts 1:8	29 God, remind me that you are with me wherever I go. Open my eyes so that I can see your presence. Joshua 1:9	30 God, may our mission trips not only benefit others but also transform us and deepen our faith. 2 Corinthians 9:6	31 God, thank you for every person who has reached out to me and ministered to me. Psalm 30:4	