

## 8. SPREADING THE GOOD NEWS

☺ OPENING PRAYER: led by Junior

SING: JP 65 Go tell it on the mountain

DISCUSS HYMN WORDS: Telling others about Jesus.

N.B. v. 5 – “He uses us for speaking,  
He touches with our hands”.

Introduce Junior: . . . . . will tell us about Paul and  
what happened to make him ready to tell others.

☺ TOPIC: Acts 9 : 1-9 by Junior with visual aid.

SING: JP 31 Come on let's get up and go

☺ BIBLE READING: Acts 9 : 10-20

BIBLE SEARCH: Look up the following verses together and find out how much Paul travelled.  
If you have a map, use it. Notice how he preached in synagogues and cared for the churches  
he visited.

Acts 13 : 4-6

Acts 13 : 13-15

Acts 15 : 3+4

Acts 15 : 36

Acts 16 : 6-10

☺ CHAIN PRAYER: led by Junior

☺ OFFERING: Junior uplift and give thanks

☺ SONGS led by Junior

☺ QUIZ: Questions from Junior : a simple team - about quiz, or, noughts and  
crosses.

SING: JP 54 God forgave my sin OR 31 or 65 again if there are too many new items.

PRAYER: Dear Father, thank you that you love us very much. Help us to tell others that you  
care for us all. Help us to bring others to Christian Endeavour to learn about you. Amen.



## FOR NEXT WEEK

Ask Juniors to prepare:

- Opening prayer
- Offering - collect and say prayer of thanks and dedication
- Chain Prayer
- Praise Songs - select two personal favourites and ask other Juniors for their choice
- Sword Drill: verses on promises to prepare for next week:

Acts 16 : 31


John 14 : 14

Matthew 11 : 28

1 Corinthians 10 : 13

John 15 : 14

John 14 : 26

-  Hymns: Tell the Junior that you want two hymns (not choruses); one to begin the meeting and one at the end of the meeting. The topic next week is about promises. Select two suitable hymns and give the numbers to the chairman next week.

### ALL LEADERS' PREPARATION

- The children will discuss in groups a Bible study based on the Active member's promise. (See following page)  
The number of groups will depend on the number of children and leaders. Familiarize yourself with the promise and Bible study to introduce the Juniors to the importance and the significance of the promise. These Bible Buzz notes should be photocopied so that each group leader has a copy.
- Members' Promise words display as week 5.

# BIBLE DISCUSSION ABOUT THE CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOUR ACTIVE MEMBERS' PROMISE

## TRUSTING IN THE LORD JESUS CHRIST

What do you trust your Mum or Dad for / with?  
What could you trust your best friend to do for you?  
What can we trust Jesus to do for us?

1 John 1 : 9 \_\_\_\_\_

Proverbs 3 : 6 \_\_\_\_\_

## ...FOR STRENGTH,

What kind of strength do you think God can give us?  
Read the end of Hebrews 13 : 5 and all of verse 6.  
Also read Philippians 4 : 13  
Discuss together times when you have known Jesus with you, helping you.

## I PROMISE HIM THAT I WILL TRY TO DO WHAT HE WANTS ME TO DO,

What does your group think are some of the things that Jesus wants you to do?  
These verses might help too.

Ephesians 4 : 29  
Philippians 2: 4  
Colossians 3 : 20  
Colossians 3 : 23

## THAT I WILL PRAY AND READ THE BIBLE EVERYDAY,

Why does your group think we should do this?

Mark 1 : 35  
Mark 14 : 38  
Philippians 4 : 6

## I WILL TRY AND LEAD A CHRISTIAN LIFE,

How will other people know you are a Christian? John 13 : 34-35  
This will not be easy. Why? Matthew 5 : 11  
Read the advice Paul gives us in 1 Peter 3 : 13-17

## I WILL BE PRESENT AT EVERY MEETING OF THE GROUP WHEN I CAN, AND WILL TAKE SOME PART IN EVERY MEETING.

Discuss why meeting together is important. Hebrews 10 : 25

We have thought about our Christian Endeavour Promise or Covenant.  
Now read Deuteronomy 23 : 21-23 and think what it means to us.

Pray together in your group about what you have learned today.