

Assembly (3rd and 4th Class)

Based on Term 2 Lessons 3 and 9 On Line

The Bible Society and The teaching of Jesus as told by Mark

This assembly retells the story of the parable of the mustard seed and relates it back to lesson 3 The Bible Society. It is hoped to have some up to date stories of the work of the Bible Society available soon.

You need: to have taught the lesson about the Bible society

To plan the method of storytelling the 3 stories from the assembly

To include a prayer in another language/ Gaeilge

Songs: Any songs about Jesus life and teaching.

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| Pupil 1 | Jesus told special stories which are known as Parables |
| Pupil 2 | One story was about a really tiny seed |
| Pupil 1 | A mustard seed |
| Pupil 2 | It is a really tiny seed |
| Pupil 1 | But the tree it grows into is huge. |
| Storyteller 1 | Mark 4:30-32 |
| Pupil 3 | Jesus talked about tiny seeds but he was really talking about tiny seeds of faith and how they can make a big difference. |
| Pupil 4 | And the stories Jesus told to people when he was alive like the story of the mustard seed keep being told and now there are 2.4 billion Christians in the world. |
| Pupil 3 | We heard about the story of Mary Jones who wanted to have a Bible of her own so much that she walked Over 30km to get one. |
| Storyteller 2 | Read/ dramatise the story p. 108. |
| Pupil 4 | The Bible Society in Ireland joins in the job of bringing the stories from the Bible to many different countries in the world - in different languages/ apps/ audio books |

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| Pupil 5 | The small seed that Mary Jones started is now like a big tree as lots of people are hearing and reading the stories of Jesus in their own languages. |
| Storyteller 3 | Choose from the stories in the lesson of the work of the Bible society. It is hoped that new stories will be written this year and will be added to this assembly. |
| Prayers | p. 112 p. 106 And a prayer in another language |

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