



St. Bart's Collective Worship Themes

Summer 1: The Early Church in the Book of Acts (Part 1)

Our school is a "Church School" – we are to be distinct in our identity as an excellent provider of education that is rooted in the teaching and traditions of the church. But what is "the church"? Where did it come from and what should it be? The church is the family of God, those who trust in Jesus. It is what Jesus called his followers to be when he appeared to them after his resurrection. It is here that we take up the events, as Jesus meets his friends and commissions them for the next part of God's plan. We then see how these people go out to the world and become the early church.

Week	Memory verse	Monday Whole School Worship	Tuesday Songs of Worship	Wednesday Lower School in Class Upper School together	Thursday Lower School together Upper School in Class	Friday Class Reflection
	Now, there are many other things that Jesus did. If they were all written down one by one, I suppose that the whole world could not hold the books that would be written. <i>John 21:25</i>	Gone Fishing The risen Jesus appears again <i>John 21:1-14</i>		Be My Shepherd Jesus restores Peter <i>John 21:15-19</i>	What about you? Don't avoid the important question out of concern for others <i>John 21:20-25</i>	Time to review the passages of the week and share prayer needs.
	"But when the Holy Spirit comes upon you, you will be filled with power, and you will be witnesses for me in Jerusalem, in all of Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." <i>Acts 1:8</i>	Jesus departs for Heaven <i>Acts 1:6-12</i>		Being Witnesses <i>Matthew 28:16-20</i>	A Future Promise <i>Acts 1:9-12</i>	Time to review the passages of the week and share prayer needs.
	"And then, whoever calls out to the Lord for help will be saved." <i>Acts 2:21</i>	The Holy Spirit Comes <i>Acts 2:1-13</i>		Peter's Message <i>Acts 2:1-36</i>	Life Together <i>Acts 2:40-47</i>	Time to review the passages of the week and share prayer needs.
	But Peter said to him, "I have no money at all, but I give you what I have: in the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth I order you to get up and walk!" <i>Acts 3:6</i>	Healing a Lame Beggar <i>Acts 3:1-16</i>		Peter and John Arrested <i>Acts 4:1-22</i>	Praying Believers <i>Acts 4:23-31</i>	Time to review the passages of the week and share prayer needs.
	Then Philip began to speak; starting from this passage of scripture, he told him the Good News about Jesus. <i>Acts 8:35</i>	The Church is Persecuted <i>Acts 7 & 8:1-4</i>		Simon gives up Sorcery <i>Acts 8:4-25</i>	An Ethiopian Believes <i>Acts 8:26-40</i>	Time to review the passages of the week and share prayer needs.



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	He said to them, "Go throughout the whole world and preach the gospel to all people." <i>Mark 16:15</i>	Saul becomes Paul <i>Acts 9:1-19</i>		Aeneas and Tabitha <i>Acts 9:32-43</i>	Peter and the Centurion <i>Acts 10:1-48</i>	Time to review the passages of the week and share prayer needs.
	Salvation is to be found through him alone; in all the world there is no one else whom God has given who can save us. <i>Acts 4:12</i>	The Gospel for Everyone <i>Acts 11:1-30</i>		Peter set free <i>Acts 12:1-19</i>	Fulfilling Jesus' Plan <i>Matthew 28:16-20</i>	Time to review the passages of the week and share prayer needs.