



## Key teaching points

- ◆ Kingdom Kids look out for other people
- ◆ Kingdom Kids take action to care for others

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## Suggested Outline

The *Kingdom Kids* material can be used in whatever order or format works best for you. However, the following suggested outline may prove helpful for this Session.

- 1. Remind the children of the theme of this year's CMSI resource** (see Introduction).  
*We've been learning about God's kingdom - how it's anywhere where God is reflected as king and where people put God first and live as He wants them to live. We've seen that Mission is about showing and sharing God's Kingdom and that Kingdom Kids have a part to play in God's mission.*
- 2. Read (and explain if necessary) the main teaching points** - listed above.
- 3. Watch a Global Church Story film** (eg Rwanda)  
After the film, you may want to have a quick chat about it (what was the same as Ireland, what was different, who did we meet in the film and what are they doing as part of God's kingdom)? Or you could just ask what the children learned about the kingdom kids in the film. If you watched the Rwanda film, you could mention that one of the children talked about loving other people as much as you love yourself - and that helping older people was important. Kingdom Kids care for others.
- 4. Link from the film to the Bible story**  
Today's Bible story introduces a Kingdom Kid who looked out for and cared for her brother, making sure he was loved and looked after.
- 5. Read the Bible Story (Miriam)**
  - ➔ Open the 'Session 3 Bible Story' pdf.
  - ➔ Read, or use, the 'background' to help set the scene.
  - ➔ Read the Bible passage or watch one of the animated films (or read *and* watch).
  - ➔ Read, or use, 'The Story Continues' to complete the story. Or you can use this after the activities.
- 6. Do some of the Session 3 activities [pdf]**  
Depending on the age of the children and available time, pick whichever activities you want. You could start with one of the colouring-in sheets or word search puzzles as you set up the craft activity. Please note - in the 2nd version of the 'Criss-Cross' activity, we have omitted the word bank (answers) - older primary-aged children should be able to complete the puzzle without them.
- 7. Recap and application**  
If you have time, you may want to ask some questions or have a bit of a chat about today's Bible story and Global Church film, to help reinforce the teaching points and apply them to the children.
  - ➔ Why is it important that we look out for - and care for - other people?
  - ➔ Who are the people in our lives that God might want us to care for? How can we share God's love with them?