

Welcome to the Planet: It's a Bug's Life:

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Lifeline May 19, 2004

Announcements

Girls game is tomorrow at 8:15 on Diamond 3 at Ford's fields/North End fields. Come support the ladies. Don't forget to look in the bulletin for the guys games. (Ask Joe Arnold for time and field for next weeks games).

Don't forget to get your picture taken for the CREW directory. Pictures will be taken right after church tonight and next week.

June 9th-Parent/Teen night for the CREW. We will be down at Holloway Park for a cookout, some games, and a brief devotion/overview of what is going to take place during the summer. This will also be the first night for the 6th graders coming up to Lifeline. Reminder: Seniors you are allow to take part in anything the CREW does over the summer. Please come in the summer if you would like.

June 21st-1st Annual Keenager/Teenager Picnic at Hueston Woods. The keenagers will be providing the meal portion of the activities. We need to come up with some games that we all can play. If you have any questions please forward them to Pastor Jeremy. Sign up sheets will be going around. I also need someone to create a sign up sheet for the bulleting board. If you are interested please see Pastor Jeremy afterwards.

Games

Simon Says-Rules are whatever you want them to be

“No Rule” Game- Break all teens up into groups of about 10 each, that may only be about 2 groups no more than 3. The rules for the “no rule” game are as follows:

1. You will start with the person who is the shortest in the group. That person will say “You must do _____ or this_____.” With them filling in the blanks with whatever they want. For example you could say “Everyone jump on one foot or bark like a dog” Each person then does one of the actions.
2. While everyone is doing their action the person on the right goes next and continues the game. You can only stop doing an action if you do something else that would cancel it out.
3. Quit when I say stop.

Worship

Joe Arnold is taking care of this for me. See him for more details.

Lesson

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Pick up *Bug's Life*

-The clip for *Bug's Life* is right at the beginning no more than 5 minutes in

Islam-No personal relationship
Mormonism-Become "a" God
Hinduism-reincarnation
Buddhism-Through the Eightfold Path
Pantheism-Everything is a god
Judaism- The Law/sacrificial system

I. Introduction

Dream Car Commercial
Try to find a Milk Commercial
Moustache Contest

Transition: Explain the Karate Kid movies

II. Why our Process is unique and different

-Show what the different religions/philosophies say about their discipleship process

Transition: Our process is based on a RELATIONSHIP

III. Aspects of our Process

Our Part
God's Part
"Others" part

IV. Conclusion

Discipleship is never EASY, it takes a lot of work
Discipleship does not occur overnight, it takes TIME
Discipleship is based on our RELATIONSHIP, not a set of rules

End with video clip from *A Bug's Life*

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The good news is that our process of becoming like our Creator and Savior is nothing like this.

Aspects of the Process of Discipleship

_____ Part

1. The good news about this is that it is only _____ of the parts involved
2. It is the most _____ part of the process
3. The only part that _____ occur

_____ Part

1. _____ to happen (Philippians 1.6, Philippians 2.13)

_____ Part

-Guaranteed to happen

-James 1.2-8

-Matthew 4

-Philippians 4

Key things to remember about Discipleship:

1. Discipleship is never _____, it takes a lot of work
2. Discipleship does not occur overnight, it takes _____
3. Discipleship is based on our _____, not a set of _____.

Galatians 5.25 "Since we live by the Spirit, let us keep in step with the Spirit."