

Sunday School Grade Pre-School A.G.A.P.E. Curriculum

[Appreciating God-Given Abilities of Persons with Exceptionalities]



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- The A.G.A.P.E. curriculum is for exceptional student education [ESE] for Sunday School. It is designed by the Coptic Orthodox Diocese of the Southern United States.
- This is a modified curriculum designed for individuals with special needs.
- This curriculum is intended to be taught alongside with the general Sunday School program for each grade.

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- Inclusion is an important aspect of the social and learning paradigm of individuals with special needs.
- Stewards serving children and youth with special needs should try to integrate the students in the mainstream classes for as much time as can be tolerated by the student with special needs.
- Integration and inclusion foster friendships among the same age peer group.

Preparation for Jesus Heals the Ten Lepers

Lessons for the Month of November

- **Lesson Outline: Week 4**
 - There was ten sick men. They had painful skin.
 - They ran to Jesus. They asked Him for help.
 - Jesus healed them. They were very happy.
 - Only one of the ten men came back to say thank you.
 - Jesus was very happy.
 - Jesus wondered why the other nine did not do the same.

Word Bank

- sick



- Thank you



- Healed



- Happy



- Wondering



- leper



Objective: Remember to always thank God.



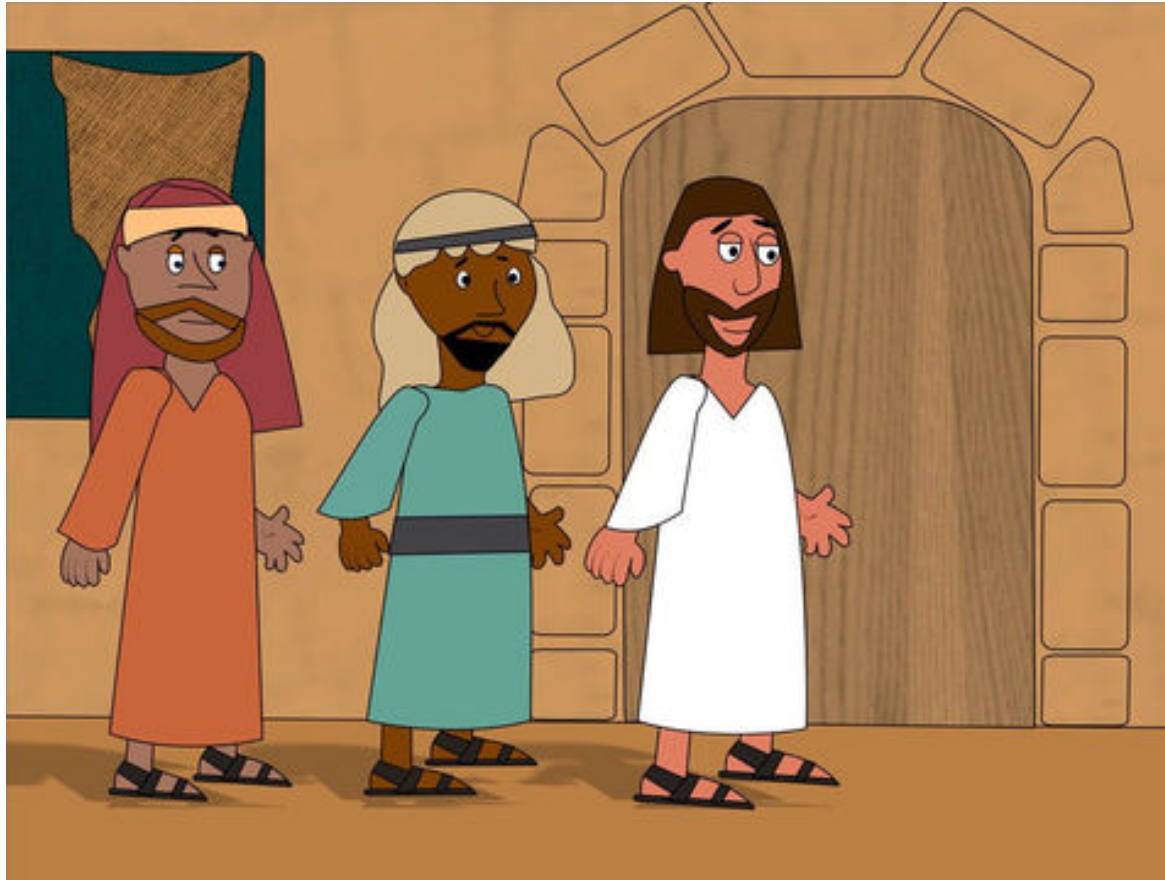
**Memory Verse: “We give thanks to You,
O God, we give thanks!” Psalm 75:1**



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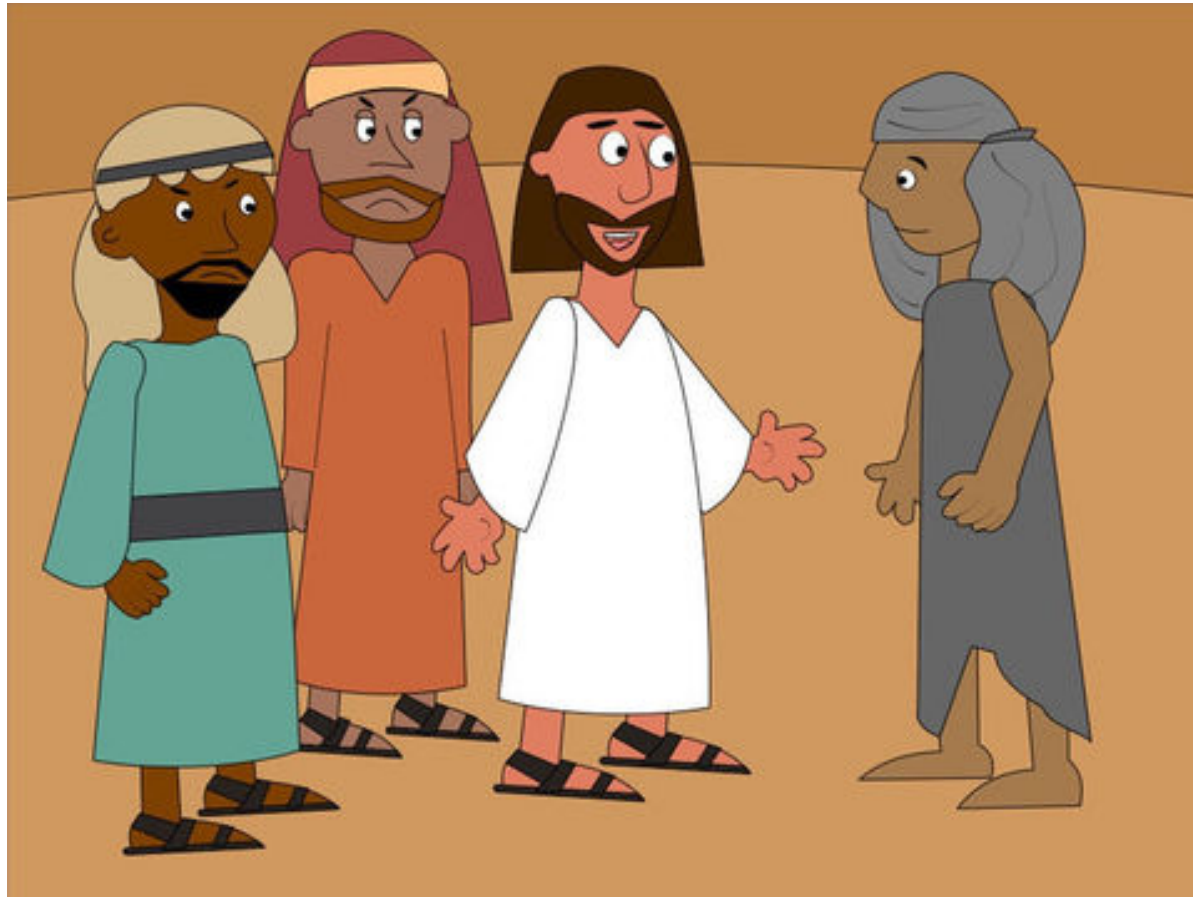
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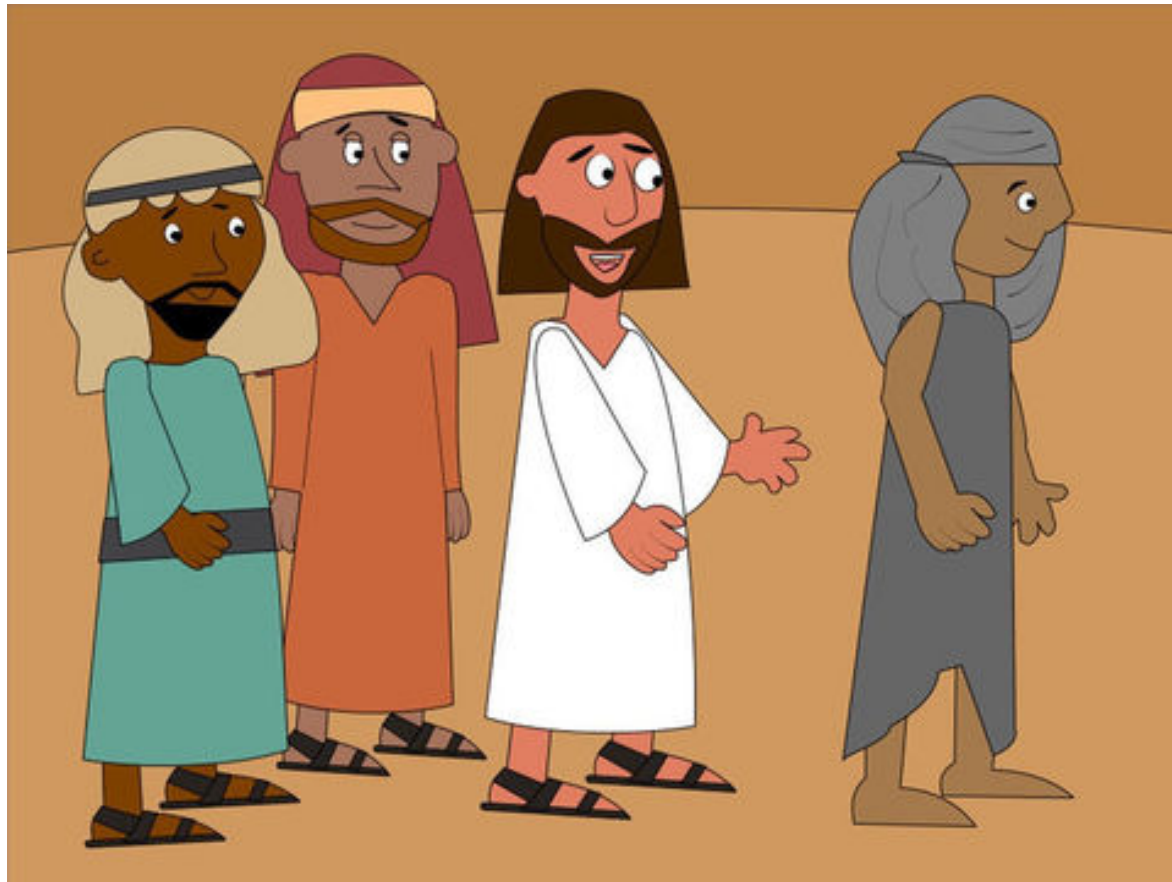
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- **Conclusion**

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- To God be the glory, forever, Amen.

Resources

- Application
 - Coordinate a time for A.G.A.P.E. students to interact with non-A.G.A.P.E. students.
- Activities—Customize according to student abilities, speech, and fine and gross motor skills.
 - Coloring/Painting
 - Cut and Paste
 - Music/Games
- References
 - <http://www.suscopts.org/ssc/Grade-PreK.pdf>