



FOODS OF THE REGION

Participants learn about foods the disciples ate, how they grew the food and even what it tasted like!

Included in the program are recipes you can prepare – for the group or the parish.

Open the door to the faith of the Church



Road to Rome

Life in the Early Church and Paul's Missionary Journeys



Cleon Makes His Choice

Your group will meet Cleon – a slave boy who escapes his abusive master and is befriended by David. Ultimately David's father, a Jew in the process of becoming a Christian, takes Cleon into his home. When his master when he comes to Caesarea David's father tries to buy him – but fails. Cleon's master takes him on the ship, back to Rome. On the way, the ship sinks and Cleon, safely holding onto a wooden spar, has to decide if he will share it with his drowning master.

- How are people enslaved in our time?
- What choices do we face?
- What difference can we make?

PRICING INFO

\$129.95

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Adventure Possibilities!

- Sunday School for children or teens
- Intergenerational Event
- Retreat setting
- Youth Groups
- Mid-week activities
- Creative Evangelism program



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An action-packed, fun program!

ACTIVITIES

DRAMA

WORSHIP

ACTION

Originally conceived of as a year of Sunday School for 5th or 6th Graders, we've now found many uses for this program - Ideal for a J2A "Leap Year" or classes who have "aged out" of rotation or Godly Play, perfect for Intergenerational Events, Youth outings, VBS or even a clever church-wide introduction to Evangelism!
LOTS of uses!

In our modern experience of Christianity, it's hard to understand how those first-century believers had to live and worship in secret. This creative program helps young people experience the drama and daring of living in such dangerous times. When we remember what it was like for those early disciples, we can discover anew the passion and purposes of Christianity for ourselves.

ROAD TO ROME

- TEACHES THE EPISTLES
- CONNECTS JUDAISM TO CHRISTIANITY
- EXPLORES THE EARLY CHURCH
- MAKES CHRISTIANITY EXCITING!

EXPERIENCE LIFE IN THE EARLY CHURCH

Learning while doing

The group builds a diorama of the city they are living in – learning about the life of early Christians by being them! Each young person has a character that holds information about the city – what food did they eat, what clothes did they wear, how did they build their homes? In order to build the diorama, they have to share the information each of them holds. Discussions help link the challenges facing early Christians to the challenges we face.

Learning while praying

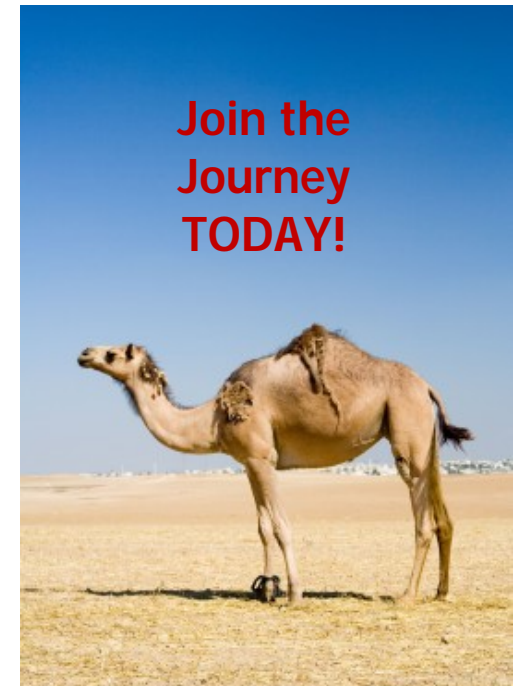
Many people forget that Jesus was a Jew and the earliest Christians were Jews who didn't realize they were starting a new religion. Your group will learn how the disciples of Jesus lived and worshipped in the first 50 years, how they faced persecution and how the Holy Spirit inspired them to spread the Good News of God's Kingdom. Discussions encourage you to think and plan how we can spread the Word today.

Discover the faith of the disciples

Re-create a Christian gathering in Caesarea in 58 C.E. with each young person taking on the role of an early disciple. Worship as they did – learn Hebrew chants and the Jewish service. Experience the sights and sounds of life in an ancient city at the time of the birth of a new faith.

Meet Paul and learn about his adventurous journeys

Paul arrives at your classroom to tell his story – and sends letters to keep you informed of his travels. Track his progress on a map you create.



ROAD TO ROME LEADS YOU THROUGH THE ADVENTURES OF EARLY CHRISTIAN LIFE

And invites you to join the community of Christians who have spread the Good News through the ages



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