

Suggested Uses for the KNOWN 04 (Summer 2009) Bluefish TV and FUEL Fire Starter Video Ideas

Unit 1: Conversations with God (Prayer)

Bible Study session 1

Neverending Thanksgiving Prayer—Use this video clip during Step 3B to highlight childlike thanksgiving. Discuss how thanksgiving in prayer can, and should, be so much more than this.

Prayermasters—Use this video clip during “Introduce the Question” as a humorous look at prayer to set up the session.

Midweek session 1

Presidential Prayers—Use this video clip during Discussion Point C to highlight prayers with God as the obvious audience. Discuss dependence upon God as seen in these prayers.

Change Saw—Use this video clip during Discussion Point B to stress that prayer is not something we use to manipulate God to do things for us—or to get us out of bad situations. God wants us to call upon Him in our time of need, but not make bargains we never intend to keep.

Bible Study session 2

Doug Fields: Feeling Anxious—Use this video clip during Step 3D to clarify how prayer can help us lean upon God in all the things we go through in life. As we focus on God, it helps get us through the tough times without anxiety.

Phone Call from God—Use this video clip during Step 3C to point out that God wants to talk with us and He wants us to talk to Him.

Midweek session 2

Virginia Tech Prayer Vigil—Use this moving and powerful video clip during Discussion Point C to reinforce that prayer doesn’t change God, but it does change us. This is a series of photographs from the Virginia Tech prayer vigil after the shooting at the campus.

Bible Study session 3

Prayer – Live Richly—Use this video clip during “Get Started” as a humorous opening to the difficulties many people feel they encounter when trying to pray.

Midweek session 3

Unbelief: Going Through the Motions—Use this video clip to introduce the study to get students thinking about what types of things can hinder our prayers. This video presents reasons from an agnostic as to why he doubts prayer is effective.

Bible Study session 4

Doug Fields: Angry at God—Use this video clip during Step 3A to prepare students to discuss how Paul may have felt because of his affliction. This video will help students struggle with their thoughts about being angry at God.

Midweek session 4

Epiphany—Use this video clip during “Wrap It Up” to reinforce for students that they can pray all day, every day.

Unit 2: Set Apart (Holiness)

Bible Study session 1

Amena Brown: He Is Here—Use this video clip during “Wrap It Up” to reinforce that God is holy and different, but that He is always with us. This powerful poetic expression from Amena Brown will move students to consider the depth of the holiness of God.

Midweek session 1

Amena Brown: He Is Here—Use this video clip to introduce the session to highlight that God is holy. Then move into the discussion points. This powerful poetic expression from Amena Brown will move students to consider the depth of the holiness of God.

Bible Study session 2

Heroes – Columbine Student Stands Up for God—Use this video clip during “Wrap It Up” to highlight the change that God can make in our lives—just as He did in Cassie Bernal from Columbine High School.

Distractionville—Use this video clip during “Wrap It Up” to lead students to consider what things in their lives are distracting them from living lives completely surrendered to God.

Midweek session 2

Bubble Creek Canyon—Use this humorous video clip to introduce the session to get students thinking about what it means to live lives that are set apart for God and that make a difference in the lives of others.

Bible Study session 3

Amena Brown: Masterpiece—Use this powerful video clip during Step 3B to highlight how Christ makes us holy. Amena Brown’s poetic expression will challenge students to recognize and appreciate what God has done for them through Christ.

Midweek session 3

Amena Brown: Masterpiece—Use this powerful video clip during “Wrap It Up” to challenge students to live as God’s masterpiece—to live holy, set apart lives. Amena Brown’s poetic expression will challenge students to recognize and appreciate what God has done for them through Christ.

Bible Study session 4

Erwin McManus: What’s the Most Important Thing to God?—Use this video clip during “Wrap It Up” to reinforce that God is not concerned that we be happy—He desires that we be holy.

What Kind of Life Are You Living?—Use this video clip during Step 3C to highlight the difference type of life that God wants us to live in and through Him. Our new life is completely different from our old life—but are we living in it?

Midweek session 4

Michael Redd: Living for Christ in the NBA—Use this video clip during Discussion Point B as a testimony of a professional athlete who is depending on God for his strength and as his source to overcome difficult situations. Michael’s testimony of living for God will challenge students to live holy lives.

Unit 3: Squeezed (Peer Pressure)

Bible Study session 1

I Am—Use this video clip either at “Get Started” to introduce how we let others influence us to be/look a certain way, or use it during Step 3B to highlight that we often change who we are because we want to fit in with others.

Midweek 1

Church Life vs. Social Life—Use this video clip either to introduce the session or during “Wrap It Up” to demonstrate how living one type of lifestyle at church and another type of lifestyle during the week can cause huge problems.

Bible Study session 2

Church Life vs. Social Life—Use this video clip during “Introduce the Question” to highlight the struggles that many students have when it comes to living a life for Christ when pulled in two different directions.

Midweek session 2

The Wrong Crowd—Use the video clip during Discussion Point A to lead students to consider the impact their friends have on their personal relationship with God.

Slice of Life: The Prom Scheme —Use this video clip during Discussion Point A to lead student to consider how deceiving others, especially parents, can be very tempting—especially when it is coming from our friends.

Bible Study session 3

Comparing Self to Others—Use this video during Step 3B to challenge students to allow God to transform them as individuals, regardless of what is happening in the lives of others. We can’t compare ourselves to someone else’s level of what we might consider spiritual maturity. We can only compare ourselves to God’s standard.

David Nasser: Your Identity in Christ—Use this video clip during “Wrap It Up” to reinforce The Point for this session and challenge students to find their true identity in Christ.

Midweek session 3

Louie Giglio: What is God’s Purpose for My Life?—Use this video clip during “Wrap It Up” to challenge students to stand for God and to discover how they can best serve God with their gifts, talents, and abilities.

Bible Study session 4

Doug Fields: Are You an Undercover Christian?—Use this video clip during “Get Started” to challenge students to consider how they are living out their faith before others. Are they undercover Christians?

Don’t Be a Statistic—Use this video clip during “Wrap It Up” to challenge students to be a positive influence on their peers and to take a stand for Christ.

Midweek session 4

David Nasser: Your Identity in Christ—Use this video clip during “Wrap It Up” to challenge students to live lives that bring glory to God.

Shane and Shane: Using Talents for God—Use this video clip during Discussion Point B to help students understand that others are watching them to see what a Christian looks and lives like.

Mr. Sure Thing—Use this video clip during “Wrap It Up” to challenge students to step out and really make a difference in the life of someone else.