



# Jesus and Me: 30 Day Challenge

Earn the Protestant Christian religious emblem for grades K-1

This 30 Day Challenge requires that you:

- Use the Jesus and Me Student Workbook (and that your parent uses the Jesus and Me Counselor Manual). You can find these books in the [PRAY Webstore](#).
- Refer to the Counselor Manual (abbreviated as CM in the list below).
- Contact your pastor to explain that you want to earn your Jesus and Me award and ask for help with the final interview when you are done.
- Visit the P.R.A.Y. Resource Library for important resources <https://www.praypub.org/documents-resources>.

## JESUS WAS A STORYTELLER

- DAY 1: This week memorize, “And Jesus told them many things in parables.” Matthew 13:3a NRSV
- DAY 2: Make up a story with the pictures on p. 3.
- DAY 3: Draw pictures to tell God’s Big Story about Jesus on p. 4 (CM p.8)
- DAY 4: Read and act out what happens to the seeds in the parable of the sower in Matthew 13:1-9 (CM p.8)
- DAY 5: Identify the different soils on the top of p. 5. Can you plant seeds in 4 different pots?
- DAY 6: Scrolls in Jesus’ day could be 24’ long. Use a measuring tape to show how long this is. (CM p.9-10)
- DAY 7: Find the Jesus Cutout Figure on p. 25. Make the first part of your Jesus Scroll Craft p. 5. (CM p.10-11)

## JESUS WAS A TEACHER

- DAY 8: This week memorize, “Then Jesus went about among the villages teaching.” Mark 6:6b NRSV
- DAY 9: Circle the teachers on p. 6.
- DAY 10: Pretend to be a teacher. Can your family guess what you are teaching? (CM p. 13)
- DAY 11: Use the Jesus Cutout Figure to move from place to place (p. 7), and tell what Jesus taught. (CM p.13)
- DAY 12: Make up a game with a balloon and a paper plate, and teach it to your family. (CM p. 14)
- DAY 13: Learn the word “teacher” in sign language, page 9.
- DAY 14: Make the second part of your Jesus Scroll Craft, p. 9. (CM p. 14)

## JESUS WAS A FRIEND

- DAY 15: This week memorize, “I have called you friends.” John 15:15b NRSV
- DAY 16: Match the shapes and do “Things You Do with Your Friends,” p. 10-11.
- DAY 17: Find the 4 Gospels in your Bible and write the page numbers on p. 13.
- DAY 18: Learn the Finger/Movement Play “We’re Friends!” on p. 13. (CM p. 16)
- DAY 19: Ask your parent to tell the story of Jesus’ friends (CM p. 16-17), then listen a second time and do specific actions. Color the memory verse on p. 14. (CM p. 18)
- DAY 20: Learn how to greet a friend, p. 14. Use the “Look, Smile, and Say Hi” method (CM p. 18).
- DAY 21: Make the third part of your Jesus Scroll Craft, p. 14. (CM p. 18)

## JESUS WAS A HEALER

- DAY 22: This week memorize, “Jesus cured all who were sick.” Matthew 8:16b NRSV
- DAY 23: Circle the healers who have helped you, p. 17.
- DAY 24: Identify characteristics of healers and name people who have helped you, p. 18.
- DAY 25: Listen to Luke 15:12-16 and color the picture on p. 18. Then act it out. (CM p. 21)
- DAY 26: How would you feel? Draw the faces on p. 19.
- DAY 27: Match the pictures on p. 19 to *Storyteller, Teacher, Friend, Healer*. Why did Jesus heal? (CM p. 21)
- DAY 28: Do the fourth part of the Jesus Scroll Craft, p. 20. (CM p. 22-23)
- DAY 29: Your scroll is complete! Tell the stories in your scroll to your family.
- DAY 30: Schedule a final review with your pastor. Recite the Bible verses and share what you have learned.

Congratulations! You are now eligible to wear the Jesus and Me medallion.

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