

True Religion Curriculum Outline

Scope and Sequence

| Week | Unit | Memory Verse | Lesson | Objective | Game | Worship | Slides | Small Group Discussion |
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| Week 1 | 1: Walk Humbly | 1 Corinthians 13:1-3 "If I speak in the tongues of men or of angels, but do not have love, I am only a resounding gong or a clanging cymbal. If I have the gift of prophecy and can fathom all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have a faith that can move mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. If I give all I possess to the poor and give over my body to hardship that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing." | 1: What is True Religion? | True religion is not about sacrifice, rituals, reading the Bible, or going to church. True religion is about loving God and then loving others. | Open Sesame | Yes | Yes | Large Group |
| Week 2 | | | 2: Jesus Changes Everything | True religion begins and ends with the saving grace of Jesus Christ. | Alaskan Baseball | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Week 3 | | | 3: Justice Enacted | True religion calls me to act justly by treating all people fairly and standing up for what is right. | No Game | Yes, extended | No | No |
| Week 4 | 2: Love Mercy | Micah 6:8 - "He has shown you, O mortal, what is good. And what does the Lord require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God." | 1: What is Poverty? | True religion begins with understanding the complexity of poverty. Poverty is the inability to make meaningful choice, often due to lack of opportunity, lack of material goods, or lack of proper education. | For Better or Worse | No | Yes | Large Group |
| Week 5 | | | 2: Woman at the Well | True religion means continual restoration of relationships with God, others, and the rest of the world. | Why Do You Love Your Neighbor? / The Name Game | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Week 6 | | | 3: Jesus Loves the Children of the World | True religion seeks justice by pursuing development. | Team Ninja | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Week 7 | | | 4: It Takes A Village | True religion leads to the participation and partnership across communities using diverse education, resources, and cultural understandings. | It Takes A Village | No | Yes | Large Group |
| Week 8 | 3: Act Justly | 1 Corinthians 12: 12-13 "Just as a body, though one, has many parts, but all its many parts form one body, so it is with Christ. For we were all baptized by one Spirit so as to form one body—whether Jews or Gentiles, slave or free—and we were all given the one Spirit to drink." | 1: Pieces of the Puzzle | True religion leads me to use my gifts and passions to act justly. | Human Pictionary | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Week 9 | | | 2: Local/Global Issues | True religion leads me to act justly in relation to my world. | Refuge and Refugees | Yes. | No | Yes |
| Week 10 | | | 3: That's A Wrap | To reflect and evaluate what change has occurred both individually and corporately. | Art Project | Yes, extended | No | Yes |