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Slide: Welcome

(Start kid's countdown once all classes are present.)

Hey kids! Welcome to Kid's Church. I'm so glad you could be here today.

Slide: Series Intro

Before we get started today, let's take a few minutes to answer some questions. When it's your birthday, what does your family do for you? (allow kids to answer). Do you get gifts? (allow kids to answer). Do you have to do anything before you get those gifts? (allow kids to answer). Now way! People buy you gifts because they want to show you how much they love you, right? It wouldn't be a gift if you had to pay for it or do something to earn it.

In our lesson today, we're going to continue talking about Noah and the big flood. We'll learn about a promise God made to Noah and we'll learn about an awesome gift God gives us.

We'll talk about that some more in a few minutes. But first, let's stand and sing a song together.

Song

Song 1

Good job! I think God loves hearing all your voices praising him! Now let's say our Big Idea together.

Slide: Big Idea

All together:

Even when people's sin is big, God's grace is bigger. (Repeat)

Video

Play lesson video.

Slide: Recap

So, what did we learn from the video today? Let's review...

- What did God tell Noah to do once on dry land? (start new life/families)
- What sign did God give Noah? (Rainbow)

• True or False: God rescues us from floods and from sin. (T)

The story of Noah reminds us that God wants to protect us. He saved Noah and his family from the big flood. And, then, God took the waters away and told Noah to start a new life with his family. He wanted them to populate the earth with more people and animals. And, that's what Noah did. God also made a promise to Noah. He promised that he would never flood the earth again. And, he gave him a sign in the sky that would serve as a reminder to everyone about this promise.

That reminds me of our memory verse. Let's all stand and say it together.

Slide: Memory Verse

"When I (point to self) see the rainbow in the clouds, (point up) I will remember the eternal covenant between God (point up) and every (open arms out wide) living creature on earth." Genesis 9:16 (Repeat)

So, we should remember God's promise every time we see a rainbow in the sky. That doesn't mean we won't experience big storms sometimes that might even flood our basements. It means that God promises he'll never cover the whole earth with water again.

But, the rainbow should also remind us of how much God loves us. Look at the lengths he went to save Noah and his family. He gave Noah very specific instructions as to how to build that boat and that boat kept them safe! But, more than that, think about the lengths God has gone to show us his love through Jesus. God didn't give up on us and leave us to our sinful ways. He sent his Son, Jesus, to die for us to rescue us from our sins! That's how much God loves us and he wants to protect us.

So, when we see rainbows, remember what it symbolizes. It's a reminder of God's promise to never flood the earth again. And, it's a reminder of how much God loves us. Even when we mess up, God's love is bigger than our mistakes.

Now let's all stand and sing one last song together.

Song

Song 2

Okay, let's all say the Big Idea together one last time!

Slide: Big Idea

Even when people's sin is big, God's grace is bigger. (Repeat)

Slide: Let's Pray