

Wiggle Songs

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 124 – The 4th Article of Faith

Sharing Time – Apr. 22
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Goals

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Opening Exercises	JR: 2:15 – 2:25	SR: 3:10 – 3:20
Singing Time	JR: 2:25 – 2:45	SR: 3:20 – 3:40
Sharing Time & Closing Song/Prayer	JR: 2:45 – 3:05	SR: 3:40 – 4:00

THEME: Superpowers & Leadership				
Purpose	Page	Song	Activity (Total Participation)	Key Principle & Scriptures (Doctrine)
Attention-Getter (Showcase a Primary Child's Talents or Stories) <u>Ducks</u>	276	Do As I'm Doing	Follow the Leader Game (Leaders → Responsibility → Keys) Who leads the church? Heavenly Father → Jesus → Prophets & Apostles → Stake Presidents → Bishops/Auxiliary Presidencies → Parents/Teachers → YOU! PRIESTHOOD KEYS D&C 107:18-19: "The power and authority of the higher, or Melchizedek Priesthood, is to hold the a keys of all the spiritual blessings of the church—19 To have the privilege of receiving the amysteries of the kingdom of heaven, to have the bheavens opened unto them, to commune with the cgeneral assembly and church of the dFirstborn , and to enjoy the communion and epresence of God the Father, and Jesus the fmediator of the new covenant." D&C 107:20: "The a power and authority of the lesser, or b Aaronic Priesthood , is to hold the c keys of the ministering of angels, and to d administer in outward e ordinances , the letter of the gospel, the baptism of repentance for the f remission of sins, agreeable to the covenants and commandments."	Our Heavenly Parents want us to be safe and happy here on earth, so they give us some of their power to use: motherhood and priesthood. You just learned about motherhood, so now we're going to talk about the priesthood. What is priesthood "authority"? The power to act for Heavenly Father on earth. D&C 107:1 "There are, in the church, two a priesthods , namely, the Melchizedek and b Aaronic , including the Levitical Priesthood."
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	77	The Church of Jesus Christ		

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<p>Activate Prior Knowledge & Experiences</p> <p>(Build conceptual knowledge and connect it to personal experience)</p> <p>Service</p>	<p>Music</p> <p>190</p>	<p>The Family is of God (Verse 2)</p> <p>Love is Spoken Here (Verse 2)</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1) Listen to the song.2) Look for the picture that matches what it is saying.3) Stand and point to it when you find it.4) Do call and response with "Mine is a home where every hour" "is blessed by the strength of priesthood power" (or play 2nd verse on phone)5) Discuss the things priesthood power make possible.	<p>What do fathers do?</p> <p>They take care of us by: Presiding, providing, loving, teaching the gospel, leading family prayer</p> <p>How does priesthood power help you?</p> <p>Aaronic: Baptism, home teaching, sacrament</p> <p>Melchizedek: Baby blessing, Confirmation, blessing of the sick, father's blessing</p> <p>What makes priesthood power work?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Faith in Jesus Christ• Love and service• Clean thoughts, words, and actions• Repentance & Sacrament• Holy Ghost
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<p>Identify the Doctrine</p> <p>(Shared, Contextualized Experience)</p>	<p>89</p>	<p><u>The Priesthood is Restored</u></p>	<p>People didn't have clean thoughts, words, or actions. They didn't love and serve others. They killed Jesus and his disciples, so Heavenly Father took away their "authority." That means He said they couldn't be in charge any more and there was no priesthood power on the earth. That was a sad time called the dark ages. But then, Heavenly Father sent an angel to Joseph Smith and Oliver Cowdry to "restore" the priesthood. To restore = to bring back.</p> <p>Reference Info.</p> <p><u>Joseph Smith—History 1:68–72</u> (Events)</p> <p>Melchizedek Priesthood: D&C 27:12–13; Joseph Smith—History 1:72</p>	<p>How did we lose priesthood authority?</p> <p>D&C 84:24: "But they ^ahardened their hearts and could not endure his ^bpresence; therefore, the Lord in his ^cwrath, for his ^danger was kindled against them, swore that they should not ^eenter into his rest while in the wilderness, which rest is the fulness of his glory. 25 Therefore, he took ^a Moses out of their midst, and the Holy ^bPriesthood also;</p> <p>D&C 124:28: "For there is not a place found on earth that he may come to and ^arestore again that which was lost unto you, or which he hath taken away, even the fulness of the priesthood."</p> <p>What is restoration? To bring back</p> <p><u>Aaronic Priesthood:</u></p> <p><u>D&C 13:1:</u> "Upon you my fellow servants, in the name of Messiah I ^aconfer the ^bPriesthood of Aaron, which holds the ^ckeys of the ministering of ^dangels, and of the gospel of ^erepentance, and of ^fbaptism by immersion for the remission of sins; and this shall never be taken again from the earth, until the ^gsons of Levi do offer again an offering unto the Lord in ^hrighteousness."</p> <p><u>Melchizedek Priesthood</u></p>
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<p>Encourage Understanding (Focus on Meaning)</p>	<p>125</p>	<p>The Fifth Article of Faith</p>		<p>D&C 84:21-22: "And without the ordinances thereof, and the <u>a authority</u> of the priesthood, the power of godliness is <u>b not</u> manifest unto men in the flesh; For without this no <u>c man</u> can see the face of God, even the Father, and live.</p>
<p>Encourage Application (Communication & Action)</p>	<p>170 OR Music</p>	<p>The Things I Do (Verse 2) OR If the Savior Stood Beside Me</p>	<p>Councils Teach Routines & Procedures</p>	
<p>Assessment & Testify (Closure)</p>	<p>78 166</p>	<p>I'm Trying to Be Like Jesus OR A Young Man Prepared</p>		
<p>Possible links to follow-up activities to post on Ward Facebook page to remind children to work on their action plans this week:</p>			<p>Singoff (Poster with song brackets and basketballs and basketball hoop – play against missionaries or young men?)</p>	<p>https://www.lds.org/bc/content/shared/content/images/gospel-library/magazine/liahonlp.nfo:0:11f.jpg https://www.lds.org/bc/content/shared/content/images/magazines/liahona/2012/10/fr12oct31-000-baptism-ordinances-of-salvation-coloring-page.pdf</p>