

Lesson 23

Cleansing of the Temple

Bible Portion:

John 2:13-22

Memory Verse:

1Peter 1:16

for it is written: "Be holy, because I am holy."

Objective:

Children learn that they are temples of God and that Jesus has the authority to cleanse us. We should be holy as God is holy.

Introduction-Jesus in Jerusalem for the feast of Passover-Business in the courtyard-
Jesus sanctifies the temple-We are the temple of God.

Questions:

1. Make a model of a whip, and draw a picture of it and write down as "God will use this against uncleanness".
2. Write the memory verse neatly and colour it.
3. Which part of the temple the business was going on?
4. How did Jesus sanctify temple?
5. What did Jesus tell them?
6. Which is the temple that God lives in at present?
7. Write a list of things which should be thrown out from the heart, which is the temple of God.
8. How can you keep your heart clean?