

Living the Story

James said “I will show you my faith by what I do”. As “little Christs” we must rethink the meaning of true worship, and respond to Jesus’ clear command to live lives of compassion.

In this module, students will be challenged to a fresh way of living the story. The words, ideas and notions we have about God will be challenged and examined so that we can deepen our walk with God and live more authentic lives.

Lesson 1: Following The Big Duck - The meaning of word “Christian” is not always clear. What does the word really mean, and if we accept that meaning, how might we continually allow God to transform us to be more like Jesus?

Lesson 2: Your Worship Sucks - “Worship” seems to only mean singing songs on a Sunday. Is that idea consistent with what the bible says? How can we make our hearts more like the heart of God?

Lesson 3: Widows, Orphans, and Those on the Margins - Jesus had particular compassion for widows and orphans. What does it mean for us to have compassion on those who need care? How do we identify those people in our daily lives and communities, and what might we do to address their needs?

Lesson 4: With a “Baa Baa” Here, and a “Bleat Bleat” There - Jesus directly challenged us to care for the needy around us. He said in so doing, we are caring for him. What consequences follow for those who do or do not do what he commands? How can we practically respond? What kind of plan for action might emerge from that response?