



PRETEEN MONTHLY OVERVIEW

MAY 2026

It's time to talk about courage! We'll kick things off with Baptism Weekend, celebrating life change and what it means to follow Jesus. Then over the next four weeks, students will dive into Psalm 56:3–4 and learn how to put their trust in God when they're afraid. Together, they'll discover what it means to live a gutsy life, taking courageous steps, building confidence, and boldly using their voice to speak up when they see something wrong. On week 4, students will hear directly from their youth pastor during a live teaching experience. Throughout the series, they'll be challenged to take risks and live and love like Jesus!

May
3rd

BIBLE STORY
Baptism Weekend

BOTTOM LINE
What is Baptism?

May
10th

BIBLE STORY
A Gutsy Step

BOTTOM LINE
God can help you take the next best step.

May
17th

BIBLE STORY
A Gutsy Confidence

BOTTOM LINE
God is with you even when unexpected obstacles show up.

May
24th

BIBLE STORY
Youth Pastor's Preaching
Living a Life of Courage

BOTTOM LINE
How can you be a gutsy student?

May
31st

BIBLE STORY
Promotion Weekend:
A Gutsy Voice

BOTTOM LINE
God will help you use your voice to speak up.

MEMORY VERSE

"When I am afraid, I put my trust in you. In God, whose word I praise—in God I trust and am not afraid. What can mere mortals do to me?"

Psalm 56:3-4