Open with Play Time

Welcome each Kid-O into the room as they arrive. Help them find a toy or game to encourage engagement during play time.

__:20 Music & Worship: Pick a song

Have Kid-Os use scarves, ribbons, or instruments as you lead them in singing. Encourage the Kid-Os to use their hands, feet, and voices as they worship God!

__:25 Group Time

Follow the Group Time Guide on the next page.

__:35 Coloring

Hand out the Bible story coloring sheets and coloring utensils. Encourage the Kid-Os to color a picture to take home!

End with Play Time

Allow the Kid-Os to play or color until they are picked up. Before each Kid-O leaves match their name tag to the grown-up's security tag.

Group Time Guide

Supplies Needed: Flower

1. Snack

Circle Up: Have all Kid-Os sit in one section of the room for story time.

Do This: Give kids hand sanitizer, then hand each of them a snack.

2. Bible Story: Jesus is Kind

Do This: Read through the Bible Story at least one time. If Kid-Os are engaged, feel free to read it a second time.

3. Hands-On Option: Gentleness

Do This: In a circle, have Kid-Os try to pass a (fake) flower around and feel it. Tell them to try holding and passing it gently. This is good fine motor practice, as they have to hold the flower gently. Make sure to demonstrate. Talk about how with a real flower, you could break it by being rough. Gentleness means being kind and not hurting or breaking things.

The Point: All of us can be gentle! When we are kind and gentle to others, use kind words, and treat each other with love, we're following Jesus' example.

4. Prayer

Do This: Pray! "Dear God, we love you. Thank you for loving us. Help us to be kind. Amen.