

Music

Song Recommendation: "Treat Others Right"

Lyric Paraphrase:

A song that captures the essence of Exodus 22 can focus on treating others with kindness and fairness, as many laws in this chapter emphasize justice and restitution. The chorus could repeatedly encourage kids to "Treat others right, with love and care, always be fair."

Suggested Actions:

- During "Treat others right," students can clap their hands twice.
- For "with love and care," students can make a heart shape with their hands.
- On "always be fair," students can point to their eyes and then outwards, symbolizing seeing justice.

Connection to Exodus 22:

Exodus 22 speaks of laws meant to promote fairness and justice among people, including restitution for wrongdoings. The song encourages children to embody these principles in their daily interactions.

Worship Activity: "Fairness Circle"

Activity Steps:

1. Sit in a circle and discuss different scenarios where being fair and just is important (e.g., sharing toys, taking turns).
2. Use a "talking stick" (a designated object anyone must hold to speak) to ensure children practice taking turns and listening, embodying fairness.
3. Encourage students to share a time when they helped someone or acted justly.

Connection to Exodus 22:

This activity helps children understand the principle of justice by practicing fairness when interacting with others, similar to the social laws outlined in Exodus 22.