Games

Game 1: Peter and John’s Brave Adventure

Objective: To learn about the bravery of Peter and John from Acts 4.

Players: 3-6 Preschool students

Materials Needed:
- Simple costumes (e.g., hats, scarves) for Peter and John
- Toy microphone or cardboard tube for a pretend microphone
- Story cards with simple illustrations of key events from Acts 4

Setup:
Set up a small stage area with costumes and story cards ready for use.

Instructions:
1. Choose two children to play Peter and John and give them their costumes.
2. Hand the child playing Peter the toy microphone.
3. The facilitator (teacher or adult) holds the story cards and narrates the story from Acts 4.
4. As the story is narrated, the children act out being brave like Peter and John, speaking boldly into the microphone.
5. Other children can play the audience, clapping and cheering for their bravery.

Reinforcement: This interactive role-playing activity helps children understand bravery and faith, echoing how Peter and John courageously shared their message.

Game 2: Good News Relay

Objective: To emphasize the importance of sharing the message, as Peter and John did.

Players: 4-10 Preschool students

Materials Needed:
- A lightweight baton or rolled-up paper as a "good news scroll"

Setup:
Form two lines with equal numbers of children in each line.

Instructions:
1. Explain to the children that they'll be passing a "good news scroll," just like Peter and John shared their message.
2. On “Go,” the first child in each line runs to a designated point and back, handing the scroll to the next team member.
3. The relay continues until all children have had a turn.
4. Encourage cheering and excitement from all participants.

Reinforcement: This game helps convey the excitement and importance of sharing good news,

mirroring Peter and John's actions.

Game 3: Building the Community

Objective: To understand unity and community-building as portrayed in Acts 4.

Players: 4-8 Preschool students

Materials Needed:
- Large building blocks or soft toys
- A picture of a church or community building

Setup:
Scatter the blocks or toys around the play area.

Instructions:
1. Show children the picture of a church and explain that just like Peter and John, they will be "building" a community.
2. Allow children to work together to collect the blocks and build a structure in the play area.
3. After building, gather the children around and discuss how working together helped them succeed.

Reinforcement: This game emphasizes cooperation and highlights the early community spirit described in Acts 4, teaching children about unity and working as a team.