

Camp Okoboji  
2020 Traveling VBS Theme Outline  
20/20 VISION

Hebrews 12:2

Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy set before Him endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.

Learning Goals

- 1) God created us 'in His image.' We were designed to see, live, and serve in the world as the Father had created us to.
- 2) Sin causes physical and spiritual blindness. We cannot perfectly see and follow God's will, but are blindsighted with our own sinfulness.
- 3) Faith in Christ restores our sight to God's will to love Him and love others

Day & Theme	Catechism	Verse of the Day	Scripture Account	Main Ideas
Day 1 20/20 Lost	Creation & Sin	Lord, now you are letting your servant depart in peace, according to Your Word; for my eyes have seen Your salvation that You have prepared in the presence of all peoples. Luke 2:29-31	Adam & Eve Fall Into Sin (Genesis 1:31-2:1; 3:1-15; Luke 2:1-32)	<p>God created Adam, Eve, and even you and me in His image. We had 20/20 VISION.</p> <p>Satan's temptation was for 'our eyes to be opened to be like God.' Our eyes were opened to evil. Our 20/20 VISION was lost; we became blind.</p> <p>Being blinded by sin, we are guided by God's Word which we HEAR.</p> <p>God promised a Savior who would give us back our sight (Luke 2:30-32)</p>
Day 2 20/20 Promise	2nd & 3rd Commandment	John 3:14-15 As Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that whoever believes in Him may have eternal life.	The Bronze Serpent; Numbers 21:4-9; John 3:14-18;	<p>Just like the Israelites, we mistrust God and His promises. We outright disobey Him.</p> <p>God <b>promises</b> forgiveness and life to those who look to the bronze serpent in faith.</p> <p>God <b>promises</b> forgiveness and life to those who look to Jesus' cross in faith.</p>

<p>Day 3 20/20 Vision</p>	<p>Redemption (Second Article) &amp; Sanctification (Third Article)</p>	<p>Hebrews 12:2  Come, let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith.</p>	<p>Jesus Heals Blind Bartimaeus (Mark 10:46-52); Hebrews 12:1-4  Revelation 21:1-6</p>	<p>Bartimaeus was blind just as we are blind in our sin.</p> <p>Bartimaeus' faith healed him, giving him sight to see Jesus. Just like Bartimaeus, we are healed by faith and can keep our eyes fixed on Him.</p> <p>Bartimaeus kept his new sight on Christ. We fix our eyes on Christ.</p> <p>Bartimaeus followed Jesus along the way to His death and resurrection. Our eyes are fixed on Christ's death and resurrection.</p>
<p>Day 4 20/20 People</p>	<p>20/20 Word of God; Community / The Church (Third Article) / Sinner &amp; Saint</p>	<p>John 20:29 Jesus said to Thomas, 'Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed.'</p>	<p>Thomas's Account (John 20:24-31; Hebrews 11; Hebrews 12:1-2)</p>	<p>Just like Thomas, we doubt God's Word regularly. We doubt He is there for us, we are loved by Him or others, and we can take Him at His Word.</p> <p>Christ comes to us even in our doubt, and points us to faith in Him. He blesses those who will never see Him, yet believe.</p> <p>God's Word is life-giving. All who have faith have trusted in God's Word: Abraham, Moses, and YOU!</p> <p>Christ has given us the Church to be encouraged and strengthened in faith as we struggle with sin in this world.</p>
<p>Day 5 20/20 Restored</p>	<p>Baptism &amp; Sanctification (Holy Spirit; 3rd Article; Fully Sinner &amp; Fully Saint)</p>	<p>2 Corinthians 5:7 - We walk by faith, not by sight</p>	<p>Conversion of Saul (Acts 9:1-31)</p>	<p>Saul wanted Christians in jail. He wanted nothing to do with Christ, just like our sinful nature wants nothing to do with God.</p> <p>Saul is called by God to stop walking in blindness and to receive sight through faith in Christ.</p> <p>God gives Saul back his sight, became baptized, and began to proclaim Christ's truth.</p> <p>The Church multiplied because the Holy Spirit was guiding Paul into his work.</p>