

# Sunday School Grade 6

## A.G.A.P.E. Curriculum

[Appreciating God-Given Abilities of Persons with Exceptionalities]



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- The AGAPE curriculum is for exceptional student education [ESE] for Sunday School. It is designed by the Coptic Orthodox Diocese of the Southern United States.
- This is a modified curriculum designed for individuals with special needs.
- This curriculum is intended to be taught alongside with the general Sunday School program for each grade.

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- Inclusion is an important aspect of the social and learning paradigm of individuals with special needs.
- Stewards serving children and youth with special needs should try to integrate the students in the mainstream classes for as much time as can be tolerated by the student with special needs.
- Integration and inclusion foster friendships among the same age peer group.

# Preparation for Gideon (II)

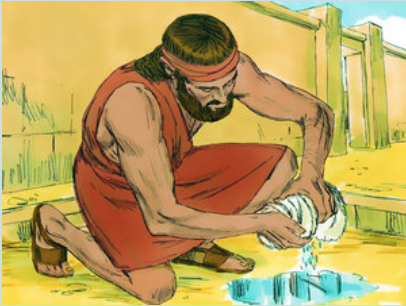
## Lessons for the Great Lent

- **Lesson Outline: Week 0**

- Gideon asked God for a sign. He asked God to make the fleece wet and the ground dry.
- He asked God for another sign. He asked God to make the fleece dry and the ground wet.
- Gideon was sure that God is with him. He will save Israel with his hand.
- God told Gideon you have too many men. Take only 300 men to battle against the Medianites.
- Gideon gave every man of the three hundred a trumpet and a torch inside an empty pitcher.
- Gideon blew his trumpet, his army did the same and broke the pitcher. The enemy got scared and fled.

# Word Bank

- Fleece



- Victory



- Too many



- Torch



- Trumpet



- Pitcher



**Objective: To learn that God gives victory to His children**



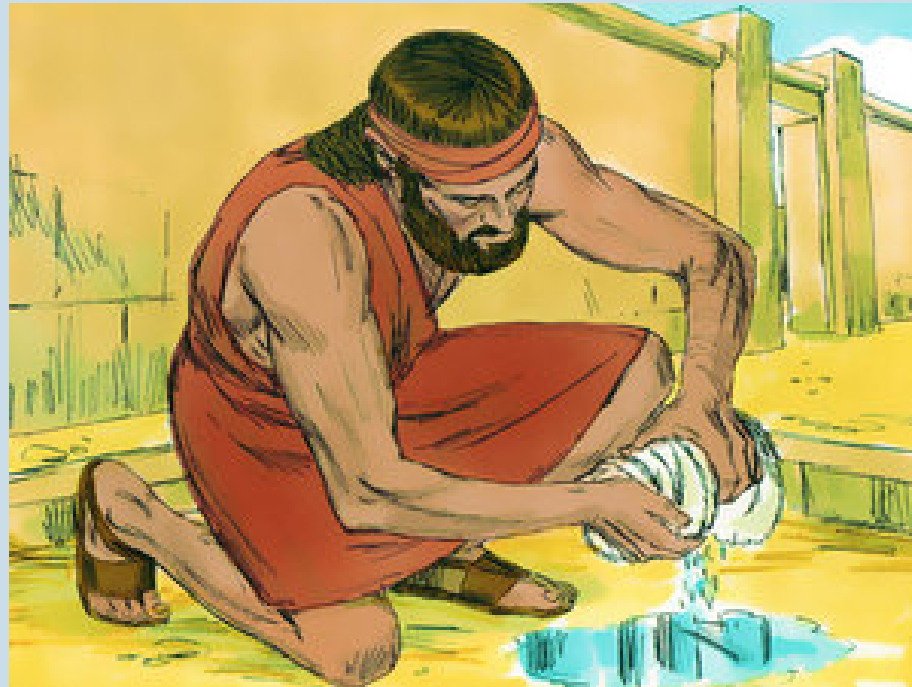
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**Memory Verse: “*The people who are with you are too many for Me*” (Judges 7:2)**



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# Gideon

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- **Conclusion**

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- To God be the glory, forever, Amen.

# Resources

- Application
  - Coordinate a time for A.G.A.P.E. students to interact with non- A.G.A.P.E. students.
- Activities—Customize according to student abilities, speech, and fine and gross motor skills.
  - Coloring/Painting
  - Cut and Paste
  - Music/Games
- References
  - <http://www.suscopts.org/ssc/Grade06.pdf>