

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.

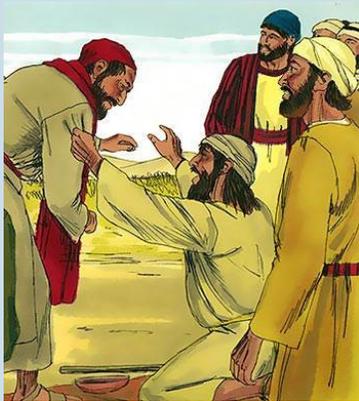
Preparation for Jesus Heals The Blind Bartimaeus

Lessons for the Month of November

- **Lesson Outline: Week 2**
 - Bartimaeus the blind man used to sit near the city gate of Jericho begging.
 - He heard a great crowd of people because Jesus was passing by Jericho.
 - He kept crying loudly, “O Jesus, have mercy upon me”.
 - Jesus heard him and he gently asked “What do you want?” Bartimaeus answered, “Lord, I want to see”.
 - Jesus put his hand on his eyes and said “Go your way, your faith has made you well.”
 - Bartimaeus eyes immediately opened and he saw the gentleness of Jesus.

Word Bank

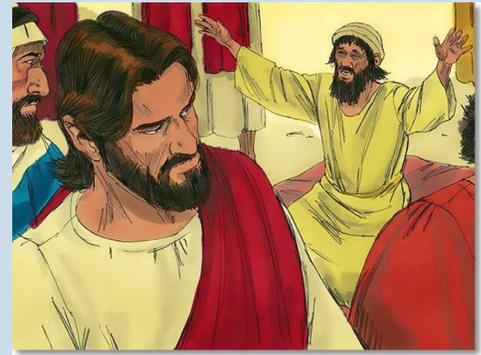
- Begging



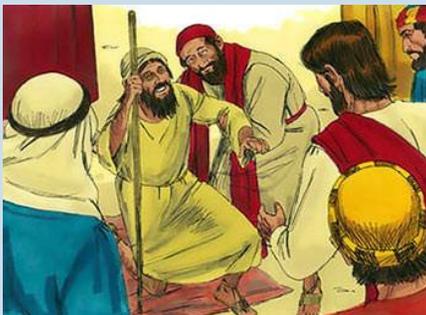
- Crowd



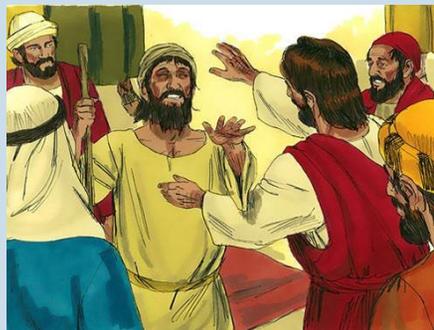
- shouting



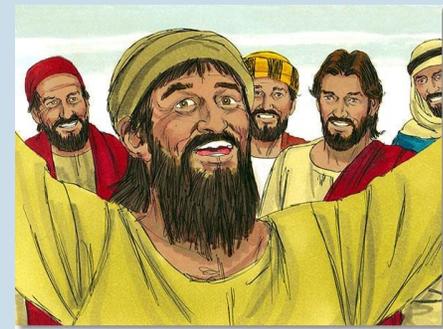
- Blind



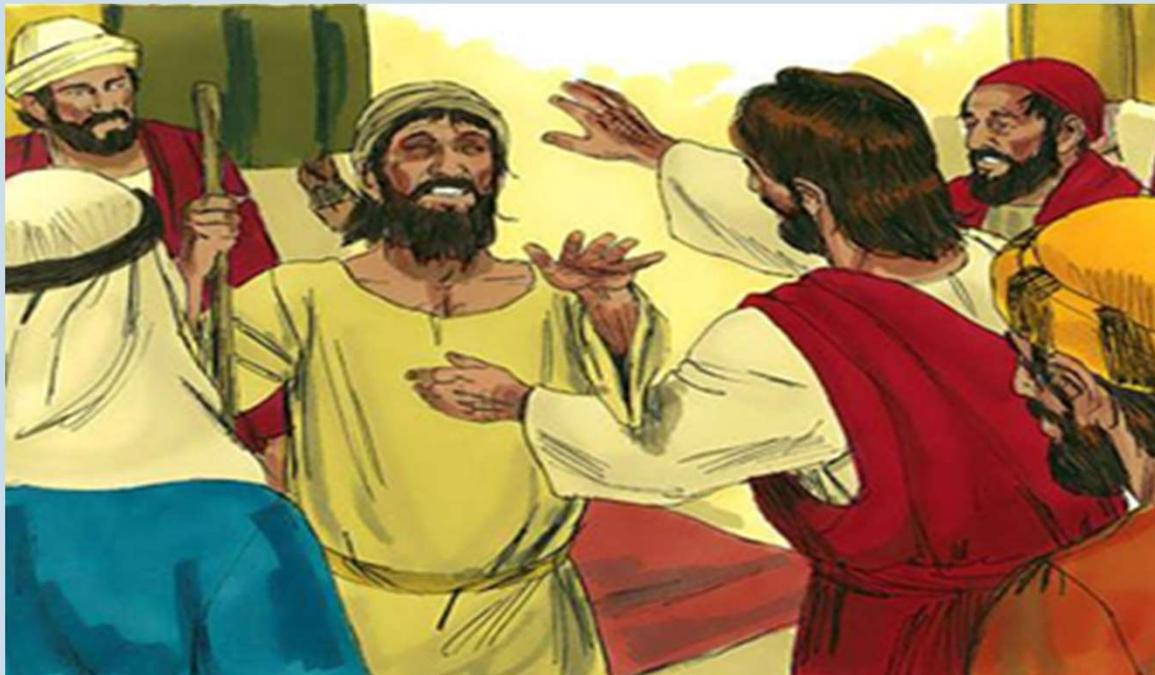
- Healed



- See

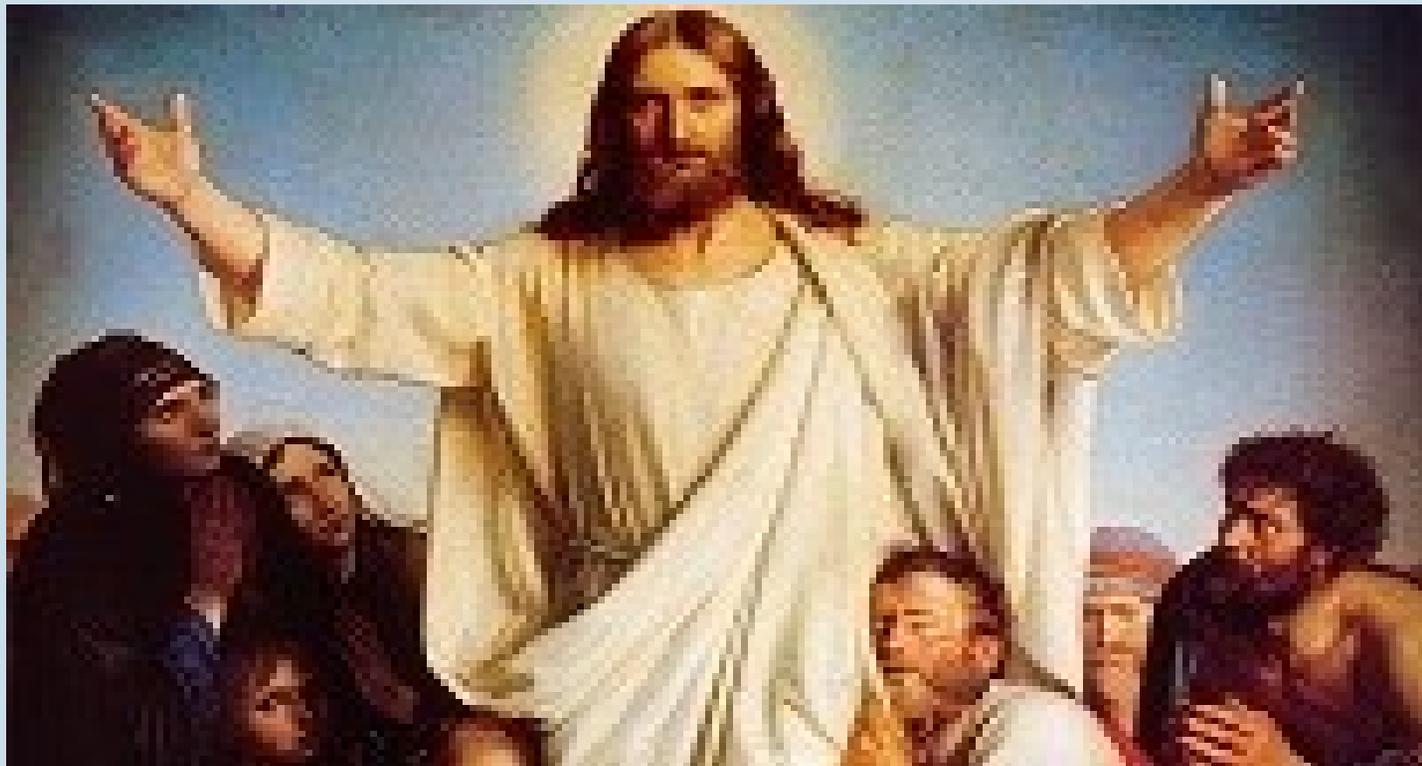


Objective: Christ's ability to heal.



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Memory Verse: “Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me” (Mark 10:47)



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Bartimaeus the blind man used to sit near the city gate of Jericho begging.



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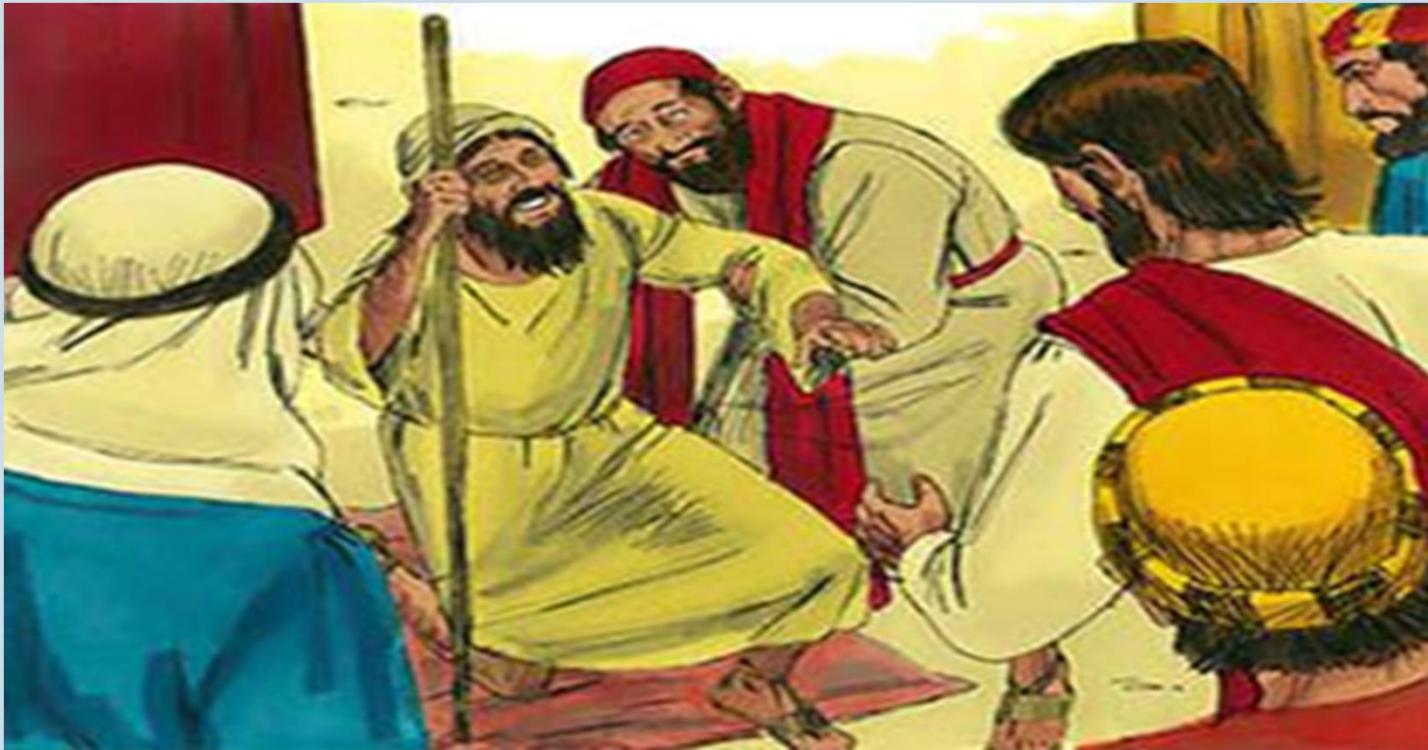


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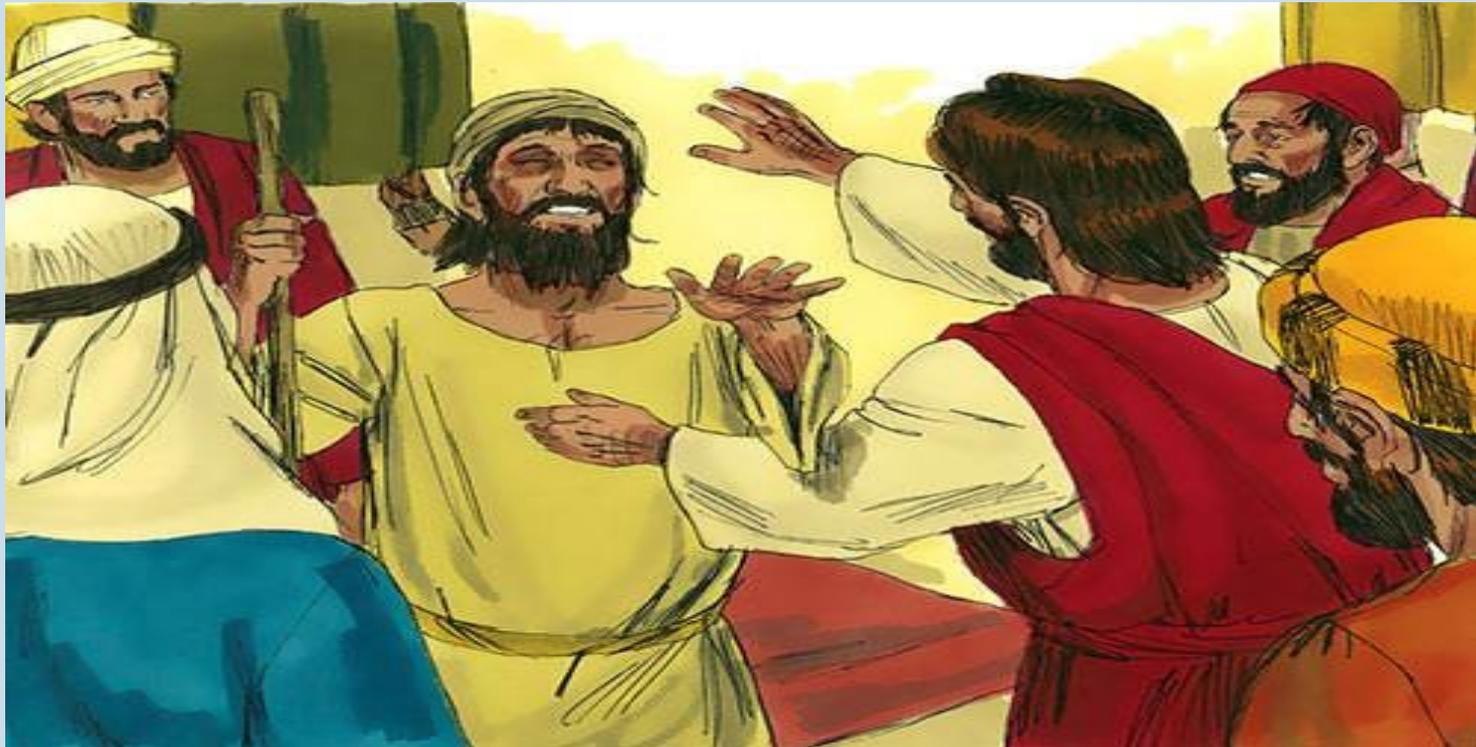
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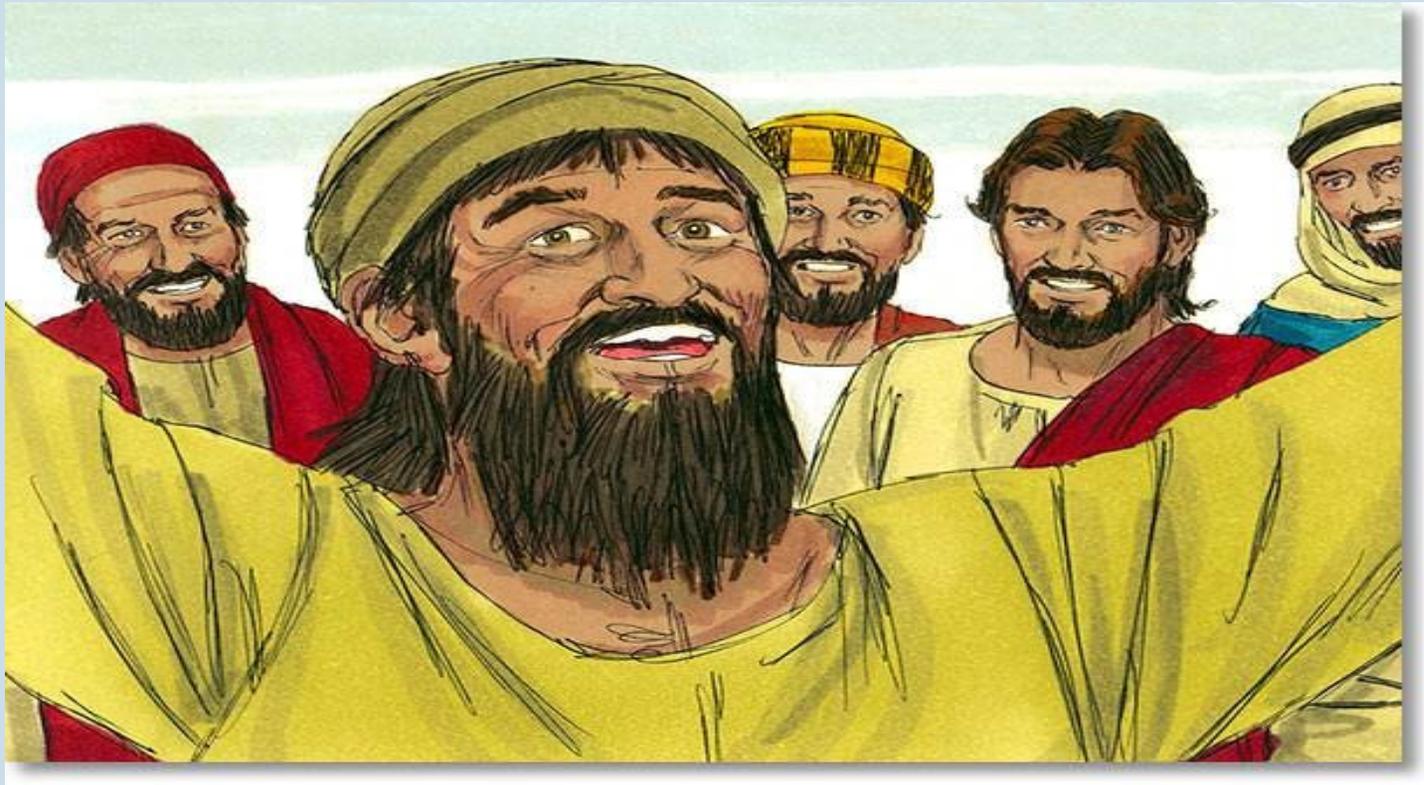
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answered, “Lord, I want to see”.**



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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>