## MILAN BAPTIST CHURCH CHILDREN'S MINISTRY EMAIL CONNECTION

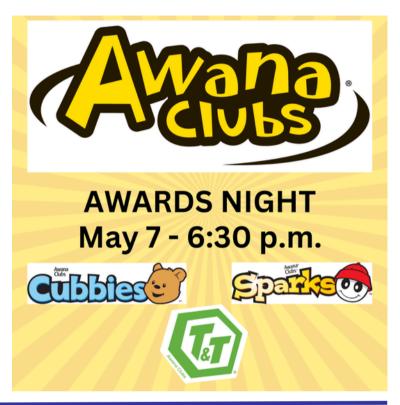


# This Week



Closing Program
May 4 - 5 p.m.

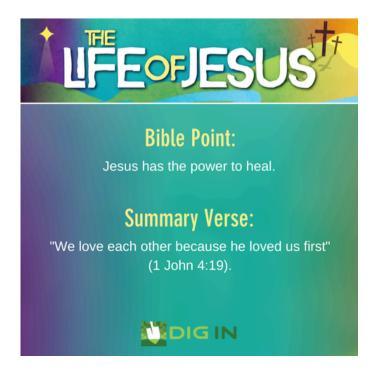
Wilson Park - Kite Flying followed by Bible Study and refreshments at the church



# Dig In Sunday Morning News

Join us this year as we "Dig Into" The Life of Jesus

Jesus Heals a Blind Man (John 9:1-41)





# The Creators

Season 3 - Episode 4 No Mercy for the Goat **KEY VERSE Matthew 5:7** 

THEME/SUMMARY
How Zoey found strength in showing mercy.

CHARACTER TRAIT
Mercy



#### DISCUSSION

- Zoey accidentally found herself fighting in the GOAT underground tournament. But she quickly realized she wasn't cut out for the fight. When have you, like Zoey, felt inadequate or not good enough? What made you feel that way?
- Each contestant in the tournament wanted to fight hard in order to win, but it was clear that the previous winner, Bear Claw, showed no mercy and won by any means necessary. What stuck out to you most about Bear Claw's attitude? What are some things she did that were mean and deceitful?
- After seeing Bear Claw deceive every opponent, Zoey became desperate to "teach Bear Claw a lesson" by fighting just as hard as her. Have you ever wanted to get back at someone like Zoey did? How did you handle the situation?
- Zoey's new mentor—Mr. Fix It—revealed that he used to be the GOAT. When he lost his title after getting caught cheating, his mentor had mercy on him and taught him the lessons of mercy and compassion. How did getting a second chance impact Mr. Fix It's life for the better? How did receiving mercy push him into better behavior?
- Mr. Fix It told Zoey, "Punches and kicks are powerful. But not as powerful as mercy." It's easy to fight back, but it shows true strength to have mercy on someone who's been unkind. How did Zoey show mercy to Bear Claw in the final scene? How did Bear Claw respond?
- Showing mercy is worth it in the end. It not only opens doors for forgiveness, but also grows compassion, grace, and kindness in us. Who do you need to show mercy to this week?

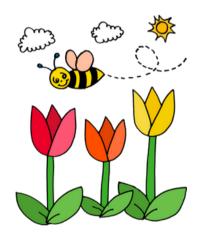
#### Children's Ministries

Sunday School Sunday Mornings at 10 AM

Preschool and Kids Worship Sunday Mornings at 11 AM

### September through May

Bible Adventurers Awana



#### WHAT'S IN THIS WEEK'S EMAIL:

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  - Bible Adventurers
- Sunday Morning Ministries
- The Creators No Mercy for the Goat
- Children's Ministries
- Verse of the Week

### Hebrews 11:6 ESV

And without faith it is impossible to please him, for whoever would draw near to God must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who seek him.