## Teacher intro for Children's Safe Environment Program

## K-5

Always remember that God made you and loves you. You are a precious gift from God. There is no one else exactly like you. You are special in every way. God loves you very much and is always with you. When we pray, we are talking and listening to God. The more you pray, the closer you get to God.

Every day we should try to think and act in the way God would want us to. We should be nice to other people and hope that they will be nice to us. We should not hurt them or say bad things to them. We should not break or steal things that belong to them. This is called RESPECT. Other people should always treat us with respect. When that doesn't happen, we need to tell our parents, teachers or other adults.

We are going to watch a short program that will teach us what to do when other people hurt us, threaten us, and make us feel uncomfortable or ask us to keep secrets.

Always remember that, You Matter! God loves you and wants you to be happy, healthy and holy!

## 6-12

In Genesis we are told that we are created in the image of God and with that carry certain rights and responsibilities. We have the right to be treated kindly but each of us has the responsibility to treat others with respect. Remember, Jesus said, "Do to others whatever you would have them do to you." (Mt. 7:12)

So that means that we do not bully others, we do not take things that belong to others and we do not do bodily or emotional harm to others. We are going to watch a short program that will teach us what to do when other people hurt us, threaten us, and make us feel uncomfortable or ask us to keep secrets. This video will also show us what to do if someone we know is going through these things.

Because we are made in the image of God, we must remember that everyone is made in the image of God and must be treated as such.