Date: December 3 & 7

Small Group Guide: Middle

Unit:	Unit 4
The Point:	God Brings Hope
Memory Verse:	For a child is born to us, a son is given to us. The government will rest on his shoulders. And he will be called: wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Isaiah 9:6
Scripture:	1 st Grade:Children's Illustrated Bible: The valley of dry bones pg. 256 2 nd Grade: Ezekiel 37: 1-14
Observation Questions:	See Attached Sheet
Application/Activity:	Put pieces of tape on the opposite sides of the table and select 2-4 students to either go head-to-head or teams. Use the card stock paper to blow the cotton balls over the opposite sides of the tape line. Continue until all the cotton balls are over the lines. You can repeat it many times until all the kids have a chance. Just like the dry bones didn't have any life until God breathed life into them, the Holy Spirit has the power to give us a new life and to move us in the direction that we need to go in.
Prayer:	Ask for prayer requests!
Next week	Invitation to the thirsty: Isaiah 55:1-11 Second graders will sing.