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Unit 2, Session 3

CONNECTION POINT:

God can redeem our mistakes.

THE BIBLE MEETS

LIFE: We are sinners, but God redeems us in Christ. Even when we fail, God does not leave us in our failure. The wonder and beauty of God is seen in how He redeems us, even using our past experiences to further accomplish His purposes through us. We may falter, but in His faithful love, God does not abandon us.

LIVE IT OUT: Your student has been encouraged to take practical steps to live out his or her faith.

PRESCHOOL

Scripture: Genesis 6:9–9:17

Live It Out: Help your child build an ark of blocks. Add some animal figures to the ark. Talk about the Bible story. Say that God promised He would save Noah from the flood. And He did!

Noah loved and obeyed God. God told Noah to build a big boat called an ark. He told Noah how to build the ark. God said that He would flood the whole earth.

Noah built the ark and stored food for his family and all the animals.

Noah brought at least two of every kind of animal into the ark. Noah, his family, and the animals went into the ark. Then God shut the door.

Rain began to fall. It rained for 40 days and 40 nights. When the rain finally stopped, Noah waited for the water to dry up. Finally God told Noah to come out of the ark. Noah's family and all the animals walked out. Noah thanked God for taking care of him and his family.

After the rain stopped and the water went away, God put a rainbow in the sky to remind Noah and his family He would never flood the earth again.

KIDS

Scripture: Genesis 6:9–9:17

Live It Out: Review the Bible story. Ask: "What was the promise God made after the flood?" Comment that the rainbow is a sign of God's promise. God always keeps His promises.

The Lord told Noah to build an ark to keep him safe from the flood He was sending.

Noah built the ark like God commanded. He and his family and at least two of every kind of animal. He stored food for the people and the animals.

When the time came for the rains to fall, God told Noah and his family to enter the ark. Then God shut the door of the ark with Noah, his family, and the animals inside.

Rain fell for 40 days and 40 nights. The mountains were covered with water, but the ark and everyone inside it was safe.

God sent a wind to dry up the water. The ark rested on a mountain. When Noah and his family left the ark, they worshiped God. God put the rainbow in the sky—a promise to never flood the whole earth again.

STUDENTS

Scripture: Exodus 2:11-22; 3:5-10

- When have you struggled to take responsibility for doing wrong?
- How does God use places where we feel alone and desperate to build godly character in us?
- How does it impact you to know that God is in control of all that happens, both on a cosmic scale and on a personal level?

Live It Out: Moses made some bad choices in his early life and faced tough consequences. Yet Moses was humble and learned from his mistakes, and God restored Moses. We are responsible for our choices, and when we do wrong, the answer is to take responsibility, commit to making changes, and humbly pursue God's forgiveness. When we do, God will forgive and restore us.

As God's people, we are called out from the world to live as examples that point people to Jesus. Like Moses, though, we've all made mistakes that hurt our witness, but this doesn't change God's purpose for our lives. As a family, discuss ways you can live boldly for Jesus and point others to Him.