

YOUR HEART TO TEACH

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WELCOME

- Play with blocks**
 - Big Picture Question Poster
 - “Block Fronts” printable, 1 copy (Save blocks with “Block Fronts” to be used in sessions throughout the unit)
 - piece of neutral colored fabric or a beige towel



LEARN

- Find the donkey**
 - small vinyl donkey figure
- Review the Bible story**
 - Bible Story Picture
 - donkey figure used in “Find the donkey”
- Learn and practice the key passage phrase**
 - Key Passage Phrase Marker



LOVE

- Look for puzzle pieces**
 - small plastic bin or container
 - grain or rice
 - animal puzzle
- Make a bread snack**
 - pre-sliced bread
 - knife (adult use only)
 - cutting board
 - small paper bowls
 - small paper plates
 - olive oil
 - paper napkins
 - small paper cups
 - water



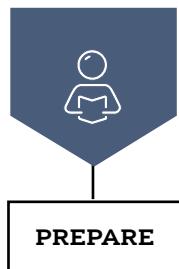
LIVE

- Make a person with googly eyes**
 - large googly eyes, 2 per child
 - Key Passage Phrase Marker
- Work together to complete a puzzle**
 - puzzle of the United States of America
 - map of United States of America (optional)
 - heavyweight paper (optional)
- Snack and transition**
 - snacks
 - Activity Page, 1 per child



BONUS

- Say the key passage phrase**
 - Key Passage Phrase Marker
- Walk or drive a path**
 - painter’s tape
 - toy cars
 - vinyl donkey figures or donkey figures used in “Play with blocks”
- Dress like Bible people**
 - Bible Story Picture
 - Bible times clothing or pieces of cloth



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WELCOME



LEARN



LOVE



LIVE



BONUS

Build a kingdom

- Big Picture Question Poster
- prepared blocks with “Block Fronts” attached from the previous session (save blocks with “Block Fronts” to be used in sessions throughout the unit)

Review the Bible story connection

- play or paper crowns
- hula hoop
- masking tape

Learn and practice the key passage phrase

- Key Passage Phrase Marker
- “Key Passage Phrase Cards” printable, 1 copy
- heavyweight paper

Play with magnets

- large magnets (make sure magnets are large enough to not be choking hazards)
- variety of magnetic items: jumbo paper clips, cut pieces of chenille stems, keys, key rings, and magnetic letters and numbers (make sure all items are large enough to not be choking hazards)
- cookie sheets

Guess the sound

- rhythm instruments, 4 or 5
- large box without a lid

Make a key passage phrase crowns

- stickers

Build fences for horses

- “David Brainerd Photo” printable
- toy horse figures

Snack and transition

- snacks
- Activity Page, 1 per child

Say the key passage phrase

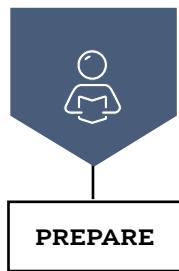
- Key Passage Phrase Marker
- large sunglasses

Travel a yarn path

- yarn
- masking tape

Press footprints in a salt tray

- people figures
- shallow trays
- salt
- unsharpened pencils



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WELCOME

- Build pens for animals**
 - Big Picture Question Poster
 - prepared blocks with “Block Fronts” attached from the previous sessions (save blocks with “Block Fronts” to be used in sessions throughout the unit)
 - vinyl farm animals



LEARN

- Learn and practice the key passage phrase**
 - Key Passage Phrase Marker
 - rhythm instruments, 1 per child



LOVE

- Build a pretend fire**
 - cardboard tubes, 8-10 approximately
 - red, yellow, and orange construction and tissue paper



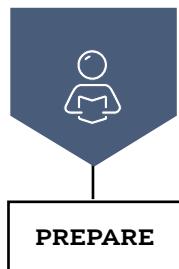
LIVE

- Search for letter tile words**
 - letter tiles
 - shallow bin or container
- Snack and transition**
 - snacks
 - Activity Page, 1 per child



BONUS

- Jump in or out of the square**
 - painter's tape
- Practice the key passage phrase**
 - Key Passage Phrase Marker
- Push over dominoes**
 - set of dominoes
 - Bible Story Picture
- Put together a key passage phrase puzzle**
 - Key Passage Phrase Poster, 2 copies



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WELCOME

- Build a city**
 - Big Picture Question Poster
 - prepared blocks with “Block Fronts” attached from the previous sessions
 - large piece of paper
 - small toy cars



LEARN

- Enjoy a picnic**
 - large picnic blanket
 - individually wrapped snacks such as fruit chews or crackers, 1 per child
- Review the Bible story connection**
 - trash can
- Learn and practice the key passage phrase**
 - Key Passage Phrase Marker



LOVE

- Prepare a meal for guests**
 - play dishes
 - play food
 - play utensils
 - tablecloth
 - napkins
 - place mats
- Read in a tent**
 - child-sized tent or bedsheet
 - books about people



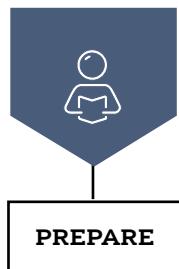
LIVE

- Explore ways to see**
 - Key Passage Phrase Poster
 - Key Passage Phrase Marker
 - children’s binoculars
 - kaleidoscope
 - sunglasses
 - glasses with lenses removed
 - nonbreakable magnifying glass
 - small telescope
 - nonbreakable mirror
- Snack and transition**
 - snacks
 - Activity Page, 1 per child



BONUS

- Practice the key passage phrase**
 - Key Passage Phrase Marker
- Set up a baby room**
 - baby care items such as diaper bag, diapers, wipes, baby clothing, doll blankets, baby toys
 - play baby furniture such as child-size rocking chairs and baby beds or small bin to be a baby bed
- Build with cups and make binoculars**
 - paper cups, 2 per child
 - stapler (adult use only)
 - permanent marker (adult use only)
 - stickers



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WELCOME

Decorate a mural with crayons

- Big Picture Question Poster
- large pieces of paper, 2 (keep to use throughout the unit)



LEARN

Shout the key passage phrase

- Key Passage Phrase Marker



LOVE

Dress like royalty

- dress-up clothes such as dresses, sport jackets, scarves, and play jewelry
- play crowns and scepters
- nonbreakable mirror



LIVE

Paint with oil

- disposable plastic tablecloth
- vegetable or baby oil
- small containers
- paintbrushes
- cotton swabs
- smocks



BONUS

Play the harp

- autoharp (if autoharp is not available, make a harp using the instructions in the activity "Make a harp")

Smell oils

- fragrant oils such as citrus, lavender, and ginger
- cotton balls
- ziplock bags
- duct tape

Sort by outward appearance

- a variety of materials or manipulatives such as blocks, people or animal figures, lids from a variety of plastic bottles and containers, shells, or stones

Listen to music and move

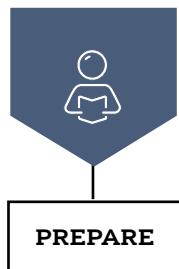
- cell phone or other electronic device able to play music

Snack and transition

- snacks
- Activity Page, 1 per child

Make a class harp

- tissue box or shoebox (without a lid)
- rubber bands
- stickers
- music player
- harp music
- autoharp (optional)



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WELCOME

Decorate a mural with stickers

- Big Picture Question Poster
- large pieces of paper, 2, used in “Decorate a mural with crayons” during previous session (keep to use throughout the unit)
- stickers



LEARN

Gather stones

- stones, at least 1 per child

Stomp and say the key passage phrase

- Key Passage Phrase marker



LOVE

Pack for a picnic

- play food
- play plates
- play utensils
- baskets
- blanket

Collect stones

- stones



LIVE

Trace outlines

- large pieces of paper, 1 per child

Guess the sound

- “Nathan and Tessa Baker Photo” printable
- world map
- different items that make noise such as a stack of papers, a musical instrument, a shoe, and a wooden block



BONUS

Clap out the key passage phrase

- Key Passage Phrase Marker

Play with people figures

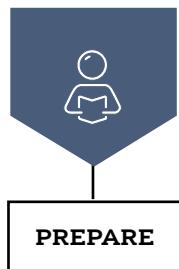
- people figures

Measure classroom objects

- rulers
- yardsticks
- cloth tape measures

Snack and transition

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WELCOME

Decorate a mural with markers

- Big Picture Question Poster
- large pieces of paper, 2, used in “Decorate a mural with stickers” in previous sessions (keep to use throughout the unit)



LEARN

Bring a family together

- people figures, at least 1 per child

Remember God’s covenant

- plastic toy tool

Say the key passage phrase with a low voice

- Key Passage Phrase Marker



LOVE

Create play dough people

- unsharpened pencils (optional)
- people-shape cookie cutters (optional)

Build a palace

- plastic interlocking blocks

Explore tools

- plastic toy tools
- photographs of the types of tools represented with the plastic toy tools



LIVE

Create a family collage

- pictures of people and families cut out from magazines, catalogs, and store ads
- magazines and catalogs (optional)

Make pretend phone calls to friends

- play telephones

Snack and transition

- snacks
- Activity Page, 1 per child



BONUS

Gather tools

- plastic toy tools used in “Explore tools,” 1 per child

Say the key passage phrase with a high voice

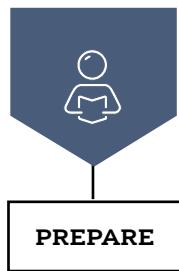
- Key Passage Phrase Marker

Build a tabernacle

- blanket or large sheet bedsheet
- Bible Story Picture

Play with a doll house

- people figures
- doll house



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WELCOME

- Decorate a mural with paper squares**
 - Big Picture Question Poster
 - large pieces of paper, 2, used in “Decorate a mural with markers” in previous sessions (keep to use throughout the unit)
 - paper squares cut from construction paper



LEARN

- Reveal the picture**
 - Bible Story Picture
 - sticky notes
- Practice the key passage phrase on one foot**
 - Key Passage Phrase Marker



LOVE

- Count the crayons**
 - container (optional)
- Play with animal figures**
 - animal figures, including sheep figures
- Pick up the sheep**
 - cotton balls
 - tweezers or tongs
 - ice cube trays



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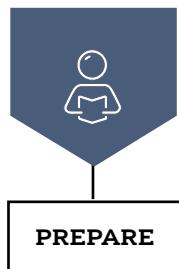
- Hide the artwork**
 - small pieces of cardboard, 1 per child
 - craft and office supplies such as sticks, yarn, and large paper clips
 - foil, 1 large piece per child
 - adhesive address labels with the key passage phrase printed, 1 per child



BONUS

- Find the animals**
 - animal figures used earlier in “Play with animal figures”
- Find the hidden objects**
 - large plastic container
 - plastic tablecloth
 - play sand
 - small objects such as animal figures, magnetic letters, or small blocks
 - slotted spoons
 - sifters
- Work animal puzzles**
 - animal puzzles
 - pictures of animals printed on heavyweight paper (optional)

- Snack and transition**
 - snacks
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WELCOME

Decorate a mural with watercolors

- Big Picture Question Poster
- large piece of paper used in “Decorate a mural with paper squares” used in the previous session
- watercolor paints
- paintbrushes
- small cups of water
- smocks



LEARN

Examine the mural

- mural from “Decorate a mural with watercolors”

Fill in the missing word

- Key Passage Phrase Marker



LOVE

Guess the emotion

- nonbreakable mirrors

Dance with scarves

- electronic device
- instrumental music
- scarves
- crepe paper streamers (optional)



LIVE

Paint with a stencil

- heavyweight paper
- washable paint
- container
- sponge pieces
- smocks
- adhesive address labels with the key passage phrase printed, 1 per child

Play a game

- “Missions Interest Questions” printable



BONUS

Play the xylophone

- xylophone

Tell a friend the key passage phrase

- Key Passage Phrase Marker

Play musical instruments

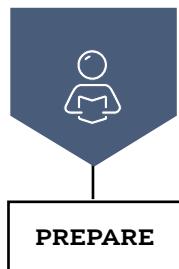
- musical instruments, 1 per child

Paint with dot markers

- dot markers
- smocks

Snack and transition

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WELCOME



LEARN



LOVE



LIVE



BONUS

Feel and guess

- Big Picture Question Poster
- pillowcase (keep to use throughout the unit)
- play crown

Review the Bible story connection

- Bible Story Picture
- play crown used in “Feel and guess”

Learn and practice the key passage phrase

- Key Passage Phrase Marker

Sort coins

- medium to large plastic colored coins (large enough to not be a choking hazard)
- basket

Sew heart shapes

- Key Passage Phrase Marker, 1 per child
- heavyweight paper, 1 sheet per child
- single hole punch
- yarn
- masking tape

Invite a special guest speaker

- senior adult guest speaker

Pass a soccer ball

- “Victor and Ludmila Moura Photo” printable
- soccer ball
- music on an electronic device

Snack and transition

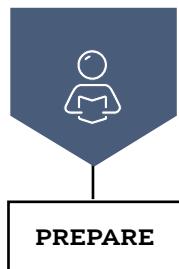
- snacks
- Activity Page, 1 per child

Decorate crowns

- large sequins
- large pom-poms
- large colored jewels
- small containers

Prepare dolls for bed

- washcloths
- diapers
- children’s pajamas
- pillows
- blankets
- doll beds



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WELCOME

- Guess and see**
 - Big Picture Question Poster
 - pillowcase used in “Feel and guess” from last session (keep to use throughout the unit)
 - play tools



LEARN

- Review the Bible story connection**
 - Bible Story Picture
- Shake hands**
 - Key Passage Phrase Marker



LOVE

- Discover the places in our church building**
 - pictures of places in the church building such as the sanctuary, fellowship hall, your classroom, playground, gym, church office, and an adult classroom
 - picture of exterior of church building (optional)
 - Bible Story Picture (optional)
- Praise God with instruments and dance**
 - musical instruments, 1 per child
 - children’s praise and hymn music
 - electronic device



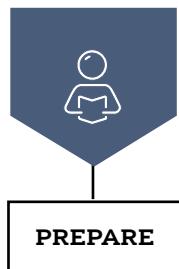
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- Design temples**
 - circles, squares, rectangles, and triangles of various sizes from different colors of construction paper, several shapes per child
 - Bible story picture



BONUS

- Practice the key passage phrase**
 - Key Passage Phrase Marker
- Build a temple**
 - Bible Story Picture
 - different types of blocks such as wooden, plastic interlocking, and cardboard blocks
- Match play tools to outlines**
 - heavyweight paper
 - play tools
 - tool kit or bag



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WELCOME

- Feel and examine**
- Big Picture Question Poster
- pillowcase used in “Guess and see” from last session (keep to use throughout the unit)
- pieces of fabric



LEARN

- Count the blocks**
- plastic interlocking blocks, 12
- paper bag
- Review the Bible story connection**
- Bible Story Picture
- blocks used in “Count the blocks” (make sure to have 1 per child)
- Learn and practice the key passage phrase**
- Key Passage Phrase Marker



LOVE

- Look at books about family**
- books about families
- personal family photo album
- personal scrapbook
- church directory
- preschoolers’ family albums (optional)
- Observe oil and water**
- plastic dishpan
- large towel
- vegetable oil
- medicine droppers
- small plastic bowl
- smocks



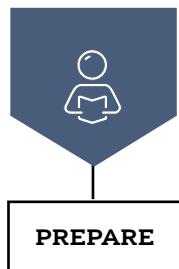
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- Find your match**
- pictures of people showing kindness cut from magazines, old books, or newspapers, 1 picture for every 2 preschoolers



BONUS

- Practice the key passage phrase**
- Key Passage Phrase Marker
- Find sets of ten**
- several sets of 10 objects such as crayons, washable markers, blocks, pom-poms, craft sticks, people figures, and toy cars
- Build a big city**
- a map of the United States of America
- play vehicles
- Snack and transition**
- snacks
- Activity Page, 1 per child
- Work puzzles**
- assorted wooden puzzles



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WELCOME

- Guess the item**
- Big Picture Question Poster
- pillowcase used in “Feel and examine” from last session
- coins



LEARN

- Tell what you remember**
- Bible Story Picture
- Tap the key passage phrase**
- Key Passage Phrase Marker



LOVE

- Make coin rubbings**
- several large plastic or real coins
- clear packing tape
- unwrapped crayons



LIVE

- Make a key passage phrase poster**
- large piece of paper
- Key Passage Phrase Marker
- Snack and transition**
- snacks
- Activity Page, 1 per child



BONUS

- Practice the key passage phrase**
- Key Passage Phrase Marker
- Tell the story with people figures**
- Bible Story Picture
- people figures
- Make a mural**
- large piece of paper
- pictures of items such as people, food, pets, toys, houses, church buildings, Bibles, and nature from magazines, catalogs, or store ads
- basket