

IN ADVANCE TO TEACH THE SESSION

GATHER Supplies

Keep these items on hand for each session: Allergy Alert, Bibles, construction paper, copy paper, washable markers, crayons, scissors (adult use), blunt-tipped scissors, glue sticks, glue, blocks, baby dolls, play dough, world map or globe, snack food, paper cups, and napkins.

LEARN

Welcome and worship with song
- ☐ "Jesus Saves (Preschool Version)" song

Tell the Bible story
- ☐ Bible Story Picture Poster
- ☐ "Jesus Is Our Substitute" video (optional)
- ☐ storytelling tips props (optional)
- ☐ gift box or bag

Review
- ☐ Giant Timeline

Respond through song and prayer
- ☐ "Thank You God for Jesus" song
- ☐ "God's Love" song

LOVE

Lay Jesus in a manger
- ☐ "Baby Jesus" printable, 1 per 2 kids
- ☐ brown construction paper, 1 per child
- ☐ yellow paper strips, several per child

Care for sheep
- ☐ stuffed animal sheep
- ☐ plastic sheep figures
- ☐ soft hair brush
- ☐ washcloths

Play "what's missing?"
- ☐ toy manger scene
- ☐ tray
- ☐ small blanket or hand towel

Make a shepherd's crook
- ☐ chenille craft stems, 1 per child
- ☐ red, white, and green pony beads
- ☐ small bowls

LIVE

Learn the Big Picture Question
- ☐ Big Picture Question Poster

Practice the key passage
- ☐ Key Passage Marker
- ☐ Key Passage Poster
- ☐ "God is For Us (Romans 8:31)" song
- ☐ ball

Play freeze dance
- ☐ device that plays music