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theGOSPELPROJECT

Jesus Was Dedicated

BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- When Jesus was still a baby, Mary and Joseph took Him to the temple.
- A man at the temple named Simeon picked Jesus up in his arms. He prayed, “God, You kept Your promise, and I have seen the One who will save people from sin.”
- A woman, Anna, was also in the temple. When she saw Jesus, she thanked God. Anna told other people the good news: Jesus the Savior is here!

CHRIST CONNECTION:

We can trust Jesus to save us from our sins, and we can tell others about Jesus.

KEY PASSAGE PHRASE:

Jesus takes away the sin of the world. John 1:29

BIG PICTURE QUESTION:

What did Jesus do to save us?
Jesus died on the cross and rose from the dead.



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Matthew 2; Luke 2

Family Discussion Starters:

- What is one thing you remember from this week's Bible story?
- Where did Mary and Joseph take Jesus?
- Why were Simeon and Anna happy to see Jesus?
- In what places can we tell others the good news about Jesus?

Family Activities:

- Show your child his baby photos. Explain the excitement you felt when you brought your child home. If possible, show him pictures from the day he was dedicated at church.
- Find a family from your church or neighborhood that has recently brought a baby into their home. Ask them if you can bring them a meal. Prepare the meal together as a family and include a note congratulating them on their new child.