



Toddler Resource Packet

Pleasant Valley Church of Christ

Lesson 2 God is With Me

Scripture

Genesis 6-9

Themes

God is with me, God saved Noah and his family, God saved us through Jesus., God keeps His promises.

Resources

Play-N-Worship
Read and Share Bible
The Beginner's Bible



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BIBLE STORY for Younger Toddlers

Read the story of Noah from a child-friendly Bible or use the Story Picture and directions from the Play-N-Worship handout.

Pray-Thank God for all the ways He takes care of us!

BIBLE STORY for Older Toddlers

Read the story of Noah from a child-friendly Bible or use the Story Picture and story from the Read and Share Bible handout.

Talk about the things in the story picture. Say: **God promised Noah he'd never make it rain that much again, and Noah knew that God was with him!**

Say together: **Thank you, God, for always being with us!**

Say: **God loves us and takes care of us. He is always with us. Thank you, God, for always being with (child's name).**

Pray-Thank God for all the ways He takes care of us!

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BIBLE STORY for Younger Toddlers

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God told Noah to build a big boat. Show the Story Picture. God said it would rain for many days. God knew Noah needed a big boat to keep his family and all the animals safe. Noah built the big boat like God told him to. Pretend to hammer on the floor.

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When the rain came, Noah, his family, and all the animals stayed safe on the big boat for a long, long time. Have the kids softly pat their legs to make rain sounds. Noah did what God said because he knew God was with him. Then one day, the rain stopped. Stop making rain sounds. Look up at the sky and then point out. Then Noah say land! Noah, his family, and all the animals were safe-all thanks to God! God promised Noah He'd never make it rain that much again, and Noah knew God was with him.

Play-N-Worship

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BIBLE STORY for Older Toddlers

The Flood—Noah's Big Boat

As told in the *Read and Share® Bible*

based on Genesis 6:1–9:17

Many years later there were lots of people on the earth, but most of them were bad. One man—Noah—was good. He obeyed God. “I want you to build a boat,” God told Noah. Noah started right away. People laughed at Noah because they lived in a desert and there was no water for his boat. Noah just went on building the boat.

When the boat was finished, God told Noah and his family to go into the boat. In went his sons Shem, Ham, and Japheth. In went their wives and Mrs. Noah. “Now bring two of every animal,” God told Noah. Noah did exactly what God told him to do. And God watched over him.

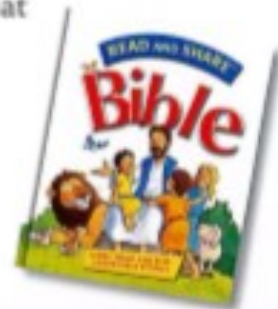
When the last animal climbed into the boat, God shut the door. *Plip! Plop! Plip!* It began to rain. It rained so much, the water was over the meadows. It rained so much, it covered the towns. It rained so much, it even covered the mountains. But inside the boat, everyone was safe.

After 40 days and 40 nights, the rain stopped, but it still wasn't time to get off the boat. Water was everywhere. One day Noah let a little dove fly out to see what was happening on the earth. It brought a green leaf back. Hooray! The plants were growing again! It was almost time to come out!

When everyone was out of the boat, Noah built an altar. He thanked God for keeping them safe. Then something wonderful happened! God put a beautiful rainbow in the sky and made Noah a promise. “It will never flood over the whole earth like that again,” God said. When God makes a promise, He keeps it.

This reading is found in the *Read and Share® Bible*, pages 20–29.

The Read and Share® Bible is a wonderful resource for your curriculum and may be found at your local Christian bookstore.





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ACTIVITIES

Choose from the activities listed below or use your own fun ideas to reinforce the Bible lesson.

Block
Play

Play with kids to build an ark made of blocks. As you build, say: **God wanted Noah and his family and all the animals to be safe when the rain came. God loved Noah very much. He told Noah to build a big boat that would keep them safe. Let's build a big boat like Noah did! God was with Noah during the flood, and God is with**

Dramatic
Play

Drape a piece of fabric over two chairs backs to make a safe "room" on the ark. Say: **God was with Noah, his family, and the animals on the big boat. God is with us, too. Let's take turns being with each other on Noah's big boat! Let your child make storm noises and pretend to climb in the ark. Say: Thank you, God, for being**

Ball
Play

Pass, roll, or bounce a ball with your child. As you do, hold up another ball in your hand and say: **These balls are like our world, our moon, and our sun. God made the world, the moon, and the sun. God made you! God made me! God made everything!**



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Songs

Suggested Songs:

Rise and Shine, Deep and Wide, God is So Good

Art

Let your child scribble color the ark color sheet. He/she can also add provided stickers. Talk about how God kept Noah, his family, and all the animals safe. Emphasize that God is always with us.

Other

Call out names of animals-elephant, tiger, frog, snake, bird, alligator, and others-and model how each animal might move. Have your child pretend to "animal walk" into the ark. Say: **Thank you, God, for keeping all the animals safe. Thank you for being with Noah and us!**

Older toddlers can watch The Read and Share Bible-The Flood on YouTube or other videos about

