
PREPARE: LEADER DEVO

Gifts in the Church

Read - Romans 12:3-8

For just as each of us has one body with many members,
and these members do not all have the same function, so in Christ we,
though many, form one body, and each member belongs to all the others.

Romans 12:4-5

Reflect - How can you recognize and celebrate the original ways God has made you?

- A. Ask God to help me see what makes me unique.
- B. Thank God for what makes me unique.
- C. Find ways to serve others and my church using my unique gifts and talents.

Pray - Thank you, God, for making me special and unique. Thank you that You have a special place and role for me in the world. Help me always remember that You made me on purpose and for a purpose. Amen

Connect - What ways do you see that God has made you special and unique? How can God work through those gifts to make a difference in the world?



Preschool
May 31/June 1, 2025

BIBLE STORY

Gifts in the Church
Romans 12:3-8

BIG DEAL

God Made Me Special

WELCOME STATIONS

2s & 3s

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PreK

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WORSHIP & SUPER CLUE

1. Gather the children in the designated **large group spot** using the song. (Now it's time to hear God's Word...).
2. Lead them in singing the **Oikos song** and doing the hand motions. Play the theme song encouraging children to dance and sing.
3. Invite a child up to open the **Super Clue Box**. "Your clue this week is a BOX OF CRAYONS. Hmmm, What does a BOX OF CRAYONS have to do with our Bible Story?"

BIBLE STORY & BIBLE VERSE

Introduce and show the **Bible Story Video**.
Go over the **Small Talk** questions and practice the **Bible Verse** with them.

QUESTIONS & VERSE

SMALL TALK QUESTIONS

1. **Who remembers what our Super Clue is today?** (a box of crayons)
2. **What does a box of crayons help us remember?** (Crayons help us remember that God made us original. Remember, original means one-of-a-kind and not like anyone else. We each have different gifts and abilities.)
3. **In today's Bible story, we learned about a man named Paul. What did Paul encourage Christians in the church at Rome to do with their special gifts and talents?** (Paul encouraged Christians to use their special gifts and talents to tell others about Jesus.)
4. **Today we learned that God made you original. What is one way that God makes us original and special?** (He gives us special gifts that only we can use to tell others about Jesus.)
5. **Do you remember today's Big Deal? I'll say it first, and you say it after me.** Ready? Oh Wow! (Oh Wow!) God Made Me Special! (God Made Me Special!)

BIBLE VERSE

We all, (Spread your arms in front of you with palms up.)
are the work of your hands. (Make an arc with your right hand to bring it back to the right side of your body with palms facing up.)

Isaiah 64:8b (Hold hands out like a book.)

CONNECTION ACTIVITIES

2s & 3s

1. **GAME:** Keep it Up: Preschoolers will work together to keep a balloon in the air.
2. **CRAFT:** God Made me Special Hand Flower Pot: Preschoolers will glue their handprint and flowerpot onto a piece of construction paper. Then you will encourage them to put flower stickers on their handprint fingertips. Remind them that God made them special; one of a kind.

PreK

1. **GAME:** Wrap the Gift Relay: Preschoolers will form two teams and race to see who can wrap the gift first.
2. **CRAFT:** God Made Me Special Page: Help each child to write their name, color the person to look like them and answer the questions on the paper. Encourage them to draw pictures in the boxes. Ask them to tell you about their picture and write the words for the child. Remind them that God made them special; one of a kind.

STORY SCRIPT

Leading into Story/Worship

Oh wow! We are going to have so much fun together today learning that God made us special. That is an amazing truth. We are very special to God because He made us. That makes me think of today's Big Deal! Our Big Deal helps us learn something important about God. Today's Big Deal is, "Oh Wow! God Made Me Special!" Let's learn it together. I'll say it first, and you say it after me. Are you ready? Oh Wow! (Oh Wow!) God Made Me Special! (God Made Me Special!) Let's do that again! Oh Wow! (Oh Wow!) God Made Me Special! (God Made Me Special!) You all are super special! We can learn that God made us original by looking in the Bible. The Bible is God's Book. The Bible is true, and it's for you! We will learn a verse from the Bible that helps us understand more about how God made us original. Let's watch a video to learn our Theme verse.

After the Bible Story Video

Thanks for your help today, Super Crew! See you next time!

Oh wow! God made you original and special. We are all made special by God. Thanks for coming today! I've enjoyed seeing each of your smiling faces.

Let's pray and ask God to help us remember that He made us special. When we pray, we talk and listen to God. Let's close our eyes and make our bodies very still to focus on talking to God. Let's pray in 3-2-1.

God, thank You for making me special. Help me to tell my oikos that You made them special too. Amen.

PREPARE: LEADER DEVO

God Called Jeremiah

Read - Jeremiah 1

"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, before you were born I set you apart;
I appointed you as a prophet to the nations."

"Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you and will rescue you, declares the LORD."

Jeremiah 1:5, 8

Reflect - How can you fight against doubts when it comes to God working through you?

- A. Remember Bible passages such as Jeremiah 1:5 and Psalm 139:14.
- B. Pray and ask God to help you believe the truth rather than your doubts.
- C. Ask others to share what they see in you.

Pray - God, thank You for setting me apart for a purpose. When I struggle to believe that You want to work through me, help me turn to You and remember the truth about my design. Work through me to fulfill Your plans and purpose for my life. Amen

Connect - Who has God worked through to help you grow in your faith? How has God worked through you to help others in the same way?



BIBLE STORY

God Called Jeremiah
Jeremiah 1

BIG DEAL

God Made Me Special

WELCOME STATIONS

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WORSHIP & SUPER CLUE

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BIBLE STORY & BIBLE VERSE

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QUESTIONS & VERSE

SMALL TALK QUESTIONS

1. **Who remembers what our Super Clue is today?** (play dough)
2. **What does play dough help us remember?** (God made each of us on purpose. We are special, and He has a plan for us.)
3. **In our Bible story today, God told a man that He wanted him to go tell important messages to His people. What was the man's name?** (Jeremiah)
4. **What did you learn about God today?**
5. **Do you remember today's Big Deal? I'll say it first, and you say it after me.** Ready? Oh Wow! (Oh Wow!) God Made Me Special! (God Made Me Special!)

BIBLE VERSE

We all, (Spread your arms in front of you with palms up.)
are the work of your hands. (Make an arc with your right hand to bring it back to the right side of your body with palms facing up.)

Isaiah 64:8b (Hold hands out like a book.)

CONNECTION ACTIVITIES

2s & 3s

1. **GAME:** Musical Beach Ball: Preschoolers will sit in a circle and roll the ball to their friends. When the music stops they will say the Big Deal together.
2. **CRAFT:** Free Form Art: Preschoolers will use various art supplies to create their own unique artwork. Your creations are unique, just like you!

PreK

1. **GAME:** Guess that Picture: Preschoolers will guess the picture being drawn and what the item is used for on a daily basis. Just like these things were designed with a purpose, we were designed by God for His purpose.
2. **CRAFT:** Free Form Art: Preschoolers will use various art supplies to create their own unique artwork. Your creations are unique, just like you!

STORY SCRIPT

Leading into Story/Worship

Welcome, everyone! I am so glad you are here today. If you are glad to be here, I want you to show me your biggest smile. Ready? Let me see those smiles! (Pause and wait for preschoolers to respond.) It looks like you are happy to be here, just like I am! Our Theme for this month is Oh Wow! When I think about things that make me say, "Oh wow!" I think about art. When we are working on our own piece of artwork, we want it to be special and one of a kind. Today's Big Deal reminds us that we are one of a kind to God. Our Big Deal is, "Oh Wow! God Made Me Special!" I want you to say it with me. I'll say it first, and then you say it after me. Oh Wow! (Oh Wow!) God Made Me Special! (God Made Me Special!) You are awesome! Today we are learning that God made me on purpose. That means God has a special plan for each of us. Isn't that super?

After the Bible Story Video

Thanks, Super Crew!

(To preschoolers) In today's Bible story, God had a special plan for Jeremiah before he was born. God wanted Jeremiah to give God's people important messages. Jeremiah was special to God, and God had a plan for his life. You are special to God too. He has a plan for your life.

Our Super Clue today is play dough. When we open a container of play dough, we already have something in mind that we want to create or make. God made each of us special. Today we are learning that God made me on purpose. Let's say that together. "God made me on purpose."

Let's take a moment to stop and talk to God by praying. Praying means talking and listening to God. Let's be still and pray in 3-2-1.

God, we are so thankful You made each of us. Thank You for the plans and purposes You have for each preschooler here. Help us remember that You made us on purpose, and You have special plans for us. Help us love You more this week and show Your love to others. In Jesus' name, Amen.

PREPARE: LEADER DEVO

God Provided Skilled Workers

Read - Exodus 31:1-11

"See, I have chosen Bezalel son of Uri, the son of Hur, of the tribe of Judah,
and I have filled him with the Spirit of God, with wisdom,
with understanding, with knowledge and with all kinds of skills—
to make artistic designs for work in gold, silver and bronze, to cut and set stones,
to work in wood, and to engage in all kinds of crafts.

Exodus 31:2-5

Reflect - How can you use your God-given talents to point others to God?

- A. I can serve in my church.
- B. I can help my neighbors.
- C. I can use my gifts at work.

Pray - Thank you, God, for giving me gifts and talents. thank you that You can work through me to point others to You. Help me use my gifts in all the different areas of my life. Amen.

Connect - What are some gifts and talents God has given you? How do you see God working through these gifts?



Preschool

June 14/15, 2025

BIBLE STORY

God Provided Skilled Workers
Exodus 24:13-18; 31:1-11

BIG DEAL

God Made Me Special

WELCOME STATIONS

2s & 3s

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BIBLE STORY & BIBLE VERSE

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QUESTIONS & VERSE

SMALL TALK QUESTIONS

1. **Who remembers what our Super Clue is today?** (instruments)
2. **What do instruments help us remember?** (When we hear the special sound an instrument makes, we can remember that we have our own gifts and talents that we can use to celebrate God.)
3. **How did God's people use their talents and skills? What did they build?** (They built the tabernacle, the place where God would dwell.)
4. **What are some of your talents that you can use to serve and celebrate God?**
5. **Do you remember today's Big Deal? I'll say it first, and you say it after me.** Ready? Oh Wow! (Oh Wow!) God Made Me Special! (God Made Me Special!)

BIBLE VERSE

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Isaiah 64:8b (Hold hands out like a book.)

CONNECTION ACTIVITIES

2s & 3s

1. **GAME:** Freeze Dance with Instruments: Preschoolers will dance with their instruments when the music is on. When the music stops, they will freeze in place.
2. **CRAFT:** Music Shakers: Preschoolers will make a musical shaker from a plastic egg, rice and two plastic spoons!

PreK

1. **GAME:** Choo Choo Review: Preschoolers will move around the room in a train formation as they review aspects of today's time together.
2. **CRAFT:** Music Shakers: Preschoolers will make a musical shaker from a plastic egg, rice and two plastic spoons!

STORY SCRIPT

Leading into Story/Worship

Hello, everyone! I am so glad you are here today! Can you give me a wave and a hello? I'll go first. (Wave to the group and say hello. Lead preschoolers to wave and say hello.) Awesome! Let's stand up and sing together. Singing is one of my favorite parts of the day. When we are singing our songs, we aren't just singing for fun; we are also singing to God. We are celebrating God when we sing songs to Him.

After the Bible Story Video

Thanks, Super Crew!

(To preschoolers) In our Bible story today, we learned about how God provided skilled and talented workers to build His tabernacle. A tabernacle is a special place to praise and worship God. The skilled workers obeyed God and used their talents to make the tabernacle and bring praise to God. Remember, talented means that God made each one of us really good at different things. God made you special. That reminds me of our Big Deal. Let's say it together. "Oh Wow! God Made Me Special!"

Today's Super Clue is instruments. It takes talent and skill to play an instrument. God gives us talents and skills to do amazing things. Some of us can draw, some of us can play instruments, some of us can sing, some of us can make people laugh, and so much more.

Let's pray and thank God for giving us special talents that we can use to celebrate and praise Him. When we pray, we talk and listen to God. Let's pray in 3-2-1.

God, we are so thankful for You. Thank You for making each of us special with talents that we can use to celebrate and praise You. We love You. In Jesus' name, amen.

PREPARE: LEADER DEVO

The Parable of the Lost Sheep

Read - Luke 15:1-7

"Suppose one of you has a hundred sheep and loses one of them. Doesn't he leave the ninety-nine in the open country and go after the lost sheep until he finds it? And when he finds it, he joyfully puts it on his shoulders and goes home. Then he calls his friends and neighbors together and says, 'Rejoice with me; I have found my lost sheep.' I tell you that in the same way there will be more rejoicing in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who do not need to repent.

Luke 15:4-7

Reflect - What truths can bring you encouragement as you remember that God values you?

- A. God values me so much that He sought me when I was lost.
- B. God values me so much that He rejoices over my relationship with Him.
- C. God values me so much that He invites me to rejoice with Him over what He is doing in the lives of others.

Pray - God, thank You for Your incredible love. Thank You for rescuing me when I was lost and for rejoicing over me. Help me remember how much You value me, and help me rejoice and value others as well.

Connect - How can knowing God values you help you have compassion and care for others?



Preschool

June 21/22, 2025

BIBLE STORY

The Parable of the Lost Sheep
Luke 15:1-7

BIG DEAL

God Made Me Special
GOSPEL WEEKEND

WELCOME STATIONS

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QUESTIONS & VERSE

SMALL TALK QUESTIONS

1. **Who remembers what our Super Clue is today?** (game piece)
2. **What does a game piece help us remember?** (Game pieces are valuable to their games, and we are valuable to God.)
3. **In today's Bible story, what did the shepherd do when he realized he had lost one of his sheep?** (The shepherd went looking for his lost sheep when he realized it was missing.)
4. **God made you valuable. Why do you think you are valuable to God?** (He made me, and He loves me!)
5. **Do you remember today's Big Deal? I'll say it first, and you say it after me.** Ready? Oh Wow! (Oh Wow!) God Made Me Special! (God Made Me Special!)

BIBLE VERSE

We all, (Spread your arms in front of you with palms up.)
are the work of your hands. (Make an arc with your right hand to bring it back to the right side of your body with palms facing up.)

Isaiah 64:8b (Hold hands out like a book.)

CONNECTION ACTIVITIES

2s & 3s

1. **GAME:** Find the Lost Sheep: Preschoolers will look for a hidden sheep and receive clues such as "hot" or "cold" to help them find it.
2. **CRAFT:** Sheep Mask: Preschoolers will use glue to attach cotton balls to the top of the mask and color the nose black. Write "God found me!" on the stick that the sheep is attached to.

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STORY SCRIPT

Leading into Story/Worship

Hello, everyone! Oh wow! I am so glad to see you here today. Can I get an "Oh wow!" from you? Ready? 3-2-1! (Oh wow!) Great job! We have a fun day ahead of us. It's always a fun day when we get to learn about God with our friends. Before we get going, let's do some fun movements to get ourselves ready for our time together. I'll do a movement, and then you can join along. Let's move our arms like we are drawing a picture. (Move arms around like you are drawing.) Alright! Now let's clap our hands together like we are squishing some play dough. (Clap hands together.) Oh wow! Great job! I think we are warmed up and ready for our day. What do you think? Give me a thumbs-up if you are ready for the day. (Wait for preschoolers to give a thumbs-up.) Awesome! I think we are ready!

After the Bible Story Video

Thanks, Super Crew!

I love today's Bible story about the lost sheep. The shepherd really loved all of his sheep. When one went missing, he left all the others to go find it. That sheep was really valuable to the shepherd. We are valuable to God, and He made each one of us special. God loves us and says we are valuable and important to Him.

Does anyone remember what our Super Clue is today? (A game piece.) Yes! It is a game piece. Each game piece is valuable to its game, and we are valuable and special to God.

That reminds me of our Big Deal, "Oh Wow! God Made Me Special!" Let's say that together. I'll say it first, and you say it after me. Ready? Oh Wow! (Oh Wow!) God Made Me Special! (God Made Me Special!) Great job!

Let's pray and thank God for making us special and valuable. When we talk and listen to God, this is called prayer. God hears all of our prayers! Let's be still and pray to God.

God, thank You that You love us so much. Thank You that we are valuable to You. Thank You for making us special. In Jesus' name, amen.

PREPARE: LEADER DEVO

God Says You Matter

Read - Psalm 139

I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made;
your works are wonderful,
I know that full well.

Psalm 139:14

Reflect - What truths help you remember that you matter to God?

- A. God remarkably and wondrously made me. (Psalm 139:14)
- B. God is with me always and everywhere. (Psalm 139:7-12)
- C. God has written and planned my days. (Psalm 139:16)

Pray - God, You made me, and You know me. Thank You that I matter to You. Help me be encouraged by the truth that You are always with me and have great plans for me. Amen.

Connect - Have you ever wanted to hide from God? How can the love and presence of God help when you feel like running and hiding from Him?



Preschool

June 28/29, 2025

BIBLE STORY

God Says You Matter
Psalm 139

BIG DEAL

God Says You Matter
GOSPEL WEEKEND

WELCOME STATIONS

2s & 3s

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BIBLE STORY & BIBLE VERSE

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QUESTIONS & VERSE

SMALL TALK QUESTIONS

1. **Who remembers what our Super Clue is today?** (fingerprints)
2. **What do fingerprints help us remember?** (God made me special. There is no one exactly like me.)
3. **God says you matter. How can you know that you matter to God?** (God knows everything about me, and He says I matter.)
4. **Do you remember today's Big Deal? I'll say it first, and you say it after me.** Ready? Hooray! (Hooray!) God Says You Matter! (God Says You Matter!) Great job!

BIBLE VERSE

The gift of God (Push hands out like you are giving a gift with hands together.)
is eternal life (Make a double-arm windmill.)
in Christ Jesus our Lord. (Place both hands up with palms facing in.)

Romans 6:23b (Hold hands out like a book.)

CONNECTION ACTIVITIES

2s & 3s

1. **GAME:** Let's Celebrate: Preschoolers will play a version of follow-the-leader while moving to music around a circle. Give each child an instrument.
2. **CRAFT:** Fingerprint Animals: Preschoolers will use their fingerprints to make animals. Younger children will need help adding the details.

PreK

1. **GAME:** Red Light, Green Light: Preschoolers will play a version of "Red Light, Green Light" to remember the ways God created each of them special.
2. **CRAFT:** Fingerprint Animals: Preschoolers will use their fingerprints to make animals. Younger children will need help adding the details.

STORY SCRIPT

Leading into Story/Worship

I am so glad you are here today. Let's learn today's Big Deal. A Big Deal helps us learn something important about God. Today's Big Deal is, "Hooray! God Says You Matter!" When God says you matter, that means God made you special, and there is no one else exactly like you. Let's say our Big Deal, "Hooray! God Says You Matter!" together. I'll say it first, and you say it after me. (Do the motions as you say the Big Deal.) Ready? Hooray! (Hooray!) God Says You Matter! (God Says You Matter!) Super!

After the Bible Story Video

Thank you, Super Crew!

(To preschoolers) In today's Bible story we learned that God made us, and He knows every little thing about us. We are important to God, and He wants a friendship with us. Our Super Clue, fingerprints, can help us remember that God made each of us special and that God says we matter. Point to yourself and say, "God says I matter!" Ready? (God says I matter!) Great!

Let's pray and talk to God. We can thank Him that He made us and that we matter to Him. Let's close our eyes so we aren't distracted by others around us. Let's pray in 3-2-1.

God, thank You for the Bible that helps us know that You say we matter. Thank You for making each of us special and for our fingerprints that remind us that You say we matter. We love You. Amen.