

Bible Stories and Suggested Themes

Creation Through Noah (12 Lessons)

How to Teach Creation Days as Part of a Creation Unit or Theme

God Created the World (Days 1-7 combined)

Day 1-God Created Light

Day 2-God Created Sky & Seas

Day 3-God Created Land & Plants

Day 4-God Created Sun, Moon, & Stars

Day 5-God Created Birds & Fish

Day 6-God Created Animals & People

Day 7-God Rested

The Fall of Man

Cain and Abel

Noah Builds an Ark & Loads Animals

The Flood and God's Promise

God Created the World

Uniqueness of light

Uniqueness of water and sky

Uniqueness of land and plants

Uniqueness of sun, moon, & stars

Uniqueness of birds and fish

Uniqueness of animals & people

Rest and reflection

Satan and temptation

Giving our best to God

Follow God's Instructions

God keeps His promises

Tower of Babel through Joseph (12 Lessons)

The Tower of Babel

God Calls Abram

Abram Gives Lot First Choice

Abraham's Three Visitors

Sodom and Gomorrah

Abraham Prepares to Sacrifice Isaac

A Wife for Isaac

Jacob, Esau, and the Birthright

Jacob Goes to Haran

Joseph Sold By His Brothers

Joseph in Egypt

Joseph Saves His Family

Pride

Faith

Choices and consequences

Trust God

Sin

Giving things up for God (sacrifice)

Marry someone who believes in God

Deception

Lessons learned from bad experiences

Getting along with siblings

Integrity

Grudges

The Exodus through the Twelve Spies (11 Lessons)

[The Birth of Moses](#)

[The Lord Speaks from a Burning Bush](#)

[Let My People Go!](#)

[The First Passover Meal](#)

[Crossing the Red Sea](#)

[God Provides Water, Manna and Quail](#)

[The Ten Commandments](#)

[The Golden Calf](#)

[The Tabernacle](#)

[Nadab and Abihu](#)

[Twelve Tribes and Twelve Spies](#)

Love and protection within families

Complaining

Having a soft heart to please God

Obedience- God's instructions

God's power over nature

God's care and provision

Be happy by following God's rules

Obedience- God's way not mine

Generosity

God's Holiness

God's presence gives us courage

Conquering the Land (11 Lessons)

[Moses Does Not Honour God](#)

[The Bronze Snake on a Pole](#)

[Balaam and His Donkey](#)

[The Death of Moses](#)

[Rahab Helps the Spies](#)

[Crossing the Jordan](#)

[The Fall of Jericho](#)

[Achan's Sin](#)

[The Gibeonite Trick](#)

[Conquering the Land & Fighting Giants](#)

[Job](#)

Obedience- Honouring God

Being content

Encouraging words

Moses, man of God

Faith, despite sinful past

Remembering what God has done

Obedience- Even if we don't understand

Cannot hide sin from God

Making wise decisions

Elderly people can serve God

Suffering

Judges & the Book of Ruth (11 Lessons)

Overview of the Book of Judges

[Deborah the Judge](#)

[Gideon and the Fleece](#)

[Gideon and the Midianites](#)

[The Birth of Samson](#)

[Samson and Delilah](#)

[The Death of Samson](#)

[Ruth and Naomi](#)

[Ruth and Boaz](#)

[God Answers Hannah's Prayer](#)

[Samuel Becomes a Helper in the Tabernacle](#)

[The Lord Speaks to Samuel](#)

Women can serve God

When we don't feel good enough

God helps us do His will

Keeping promises

Friendships- good and bad

Pride

Helping others

Changing family situations

Prayer

Children can serve God

Listening to God

The United Kingdom- Saul, David, Solomon (11 Lessons)

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| Saul Becomes Israel's First King | Being like God instead of others |
| King Saul Disobeys God | Do not blame others. |
| Samuel Anoints David | Do not judge by appearances |
| David and Goliath | Trust the Lord |
| Jonathan Helps David Escape | Jealousy |
| David Shows Mercy to Saul | Show mercy to others |
| David Becomes King | Obedying God is better than popularity |
| David Helps Mephibosheth | Be kind |
| David's Sin with Bathsheba | Helping others be good |
| King Solomon's Wisdom | Learn to be wise |
| Solomon Builds the Temple | Buildings where people worship God |

The Divided Kingdom and Prophets (12 Lessons)

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| Background Information for the Divided Kingdom | |
| God's Nation Divides | Listening to advice |
| God Takes Care of Elijah | God's provision |
| Elijah and the Contest at Mt. Carmel | God is real |
| Jehoshaphat and the People Pray | God helps when we are afraid |
| Elijah and the Whirlwind | Heaven |
| Elisha and the Widow's Oil | Compassion to those suffering |
| Elisha Raises a Boy from the Dead | Helping those who preach about God |
| Naaman is Healed | Obedience- even when no one sees |
| Joash - the Boy Who Became King | Keep trusting in God, even when bad things happen. |
| Jonah and the Big Fish | Everyone deserves to hear about God |
| God Protects King Hezekiah and His People | God's help when people make fun of us |
| King Hezekiah Prays for Health | Praying for the sick |

Kingdom Ends, Captivity & Return, Prophets (11 Lessons)

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| King Josiah | Making things better |
| Jeremiah Learns Lessons from a Potter | God is in control |
| Jeremiah and the Scroll | Repentance |
| Ezekiel & the Valley of Dry Bones | Hope |
| Daniel and the King's Food | Saying no to things that harm our body |
| The Fiery Furnace | Do the right thing even if others do not |
| Writing on the Wall | Respect God |
| Daniel and the Lions | Good work ethic |
| Queen Esther | Using our blessings to help others |
| Return to Jerusalem-Temple & Law | God keeps His promises |
| Return to Jerusalem-Rebuilding Walls | Do the right thing despite others |

Life of Christ- Early Ministry (12 Lessons)

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| Prophecies Fulfilled in Jesus | Keeping our word |
| The Birth of John the Baptist | God can do what is impossible |
| The Birth of Jesus | Thank God for the gift of His Son |
| Wise Men and a Star | Giving honour to Jesus. |
| Young Jesus Visits the Temple | Growing up in a Godly way |
| John the Baptist Prepares the Way | Having a soft and repentant heart |
| Baptism of Jesus | Please God by choosing to obey Him. |
| Jesus Tempted in the Wilderness | Temptation and Satan |
| Jesus Chooses 12 Apostles | Following Jesus |
| A Wedding at Cana | Miracles of Jesus |
| Jesus Teaches Nicodemus | Love God deeply and show him respect. |
| Man Lowered Through the Roof | Good friends help us follow God |

Life of Christ-Middle Ministry (12 Lessons)

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| Healing of the Nobleman's Son | Believe the words of Jesus |
| Jesus Preaches in Nazareth | Encourage those who preach |
| Healing of a Man by a Pool | Jesus cares when we are sad. |
| The Sermon on the Mount and the Golden Rule | Treat others well |
| The Sinful Woman | Forgiveness |
| Jesus Calms the Storm | Jesus' power over nature |
| Healing of a Demon-Possessed Man | Jesus is stronger than Satan |
| Jesus Raises Jairus' Daughter | No problem is too big for Jesus |
| Feeding of the Five Thousand | Jesus' power to care for us |
| Jesus Walks on Water | Faith |
| The Transfiguration | God wants us to listen to Jesus |
| Mary and Martha | Listening to Jesus-attending church |

Life of Christ-Late Ministry (13 Lessons)

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| Jesus Heals Ten Lepers | Thankfulness |
| Jesus Blesses the Children | Caring for little children |
| Zacchaeus Meets Jesus | Changing to be good |
| Jesus Raises Lazarus | Jesus' care when we are sad |
| The Triumphal Entry | Praise |
| Jesus and the Moneychangers | Love God deeply and show him respect. |
| Jesus Washes Disciples' Feet | Love people and serve them (like Jesus did). |
| The Last Supper | The Old Testament helps us understand Jesus. |
| Night of Betrayal and Prayer | Even when friends disappoint us, we can talk to God. |
| The Trial of Jesus | Doing the right thing even if you are treated unfairly. |
| Jesus is Crucified | Jesus was innocent, but he was killed |
| Burial and the Resurrection | God makes bad things good |
| Breakfast on the Shore | Forgiveness |

Parables and Teachings of Jesus (11 Lessons)

Teaching the Parables

Parable of the Wise & Foolish Builders

Obedience-God's word

Parable of a Sower and the Seeds

Having a good heart

Parable of a Good Samaritan

Helping those in need

Parable of a Mustard Seed

Doing our small part

Parables of a Treasure & a Pearl

The value of God

Parable of Ten Bridesmaids

Jesus will return & take us to heaven

Parable of a Lost Sheep

Each individual is important to God

Parable of an Unforgiving Servant

Forgiveness

Parable of a Prodigal Son

Repentance

Parable of a Pharisee & Tax Collector

Humility

Jesus Teaches about Salt and Light

Do not be ashamed of our faith

Overview of the Book of Acts

Book of Acts- Good News in Jerusalem (7 Lessons)

Great Commission & Ascension of Jesus

Tell others about Jesus

Sermon at Pentecost

How the church began

The First Church

The church is people and not a building

Peter & John Heal a Man Who Could Not Walk

Helping the physically challenged

Ananias and Sapphira

Lying

Helpers in the Church

Leaders and helpers at my church

The Stoning of Stephen

Standing up for what is right

Book of Acts- Beyond Jerusalem(7 Lessons)

Simon the Sorcerer

Miracles

Philip Teaches the Man from Ethiopia

How leaders help us understand God

Saul (Paul) Becomes a Christian

Admitting wrong & changing your life

Dorcas is Raised from the Dead

Helping those in need

Cornelius Becomes a Christian

God wants all to become Christians

The Antioch Church

Encouragement

Peter's Miraculous Escape from Prison

The church prays together

Book of Acts-Mission Journeys (9 Lessons)

[An Angry Crowd in Lystra](#)

[Macedonian Vision](#)

[Lydia Becomes a Christian](#)

[A Jailer Becomes a Christian](#)

[The Noble Bereans](#)

[Paul Preaches in Athens-Mars Hill](#)

[Priscilla and Aquila](#)

[Paul and Dark Powers at Ephesus-3rd Journey](#)

[Eutychus Falls from a Window](#)

Dangers of following the crowd

Missionaries

Baptism

Rejoicing despite our circumstances

Studying the Scriptures

Idols

Teaching about Jesus, whatever our job

God is stronger than sorcery

Paying attention when God's Word is preached

Book of Acts-From Jerusalem to Rome (5 Lessons)

[Paul Goes to Jerusalem](#)

[Paul's Nephew Uncovers a Plot](#)

[Paul on Trial](#)

[Paul Survives a Shipwreck](#)

[Paul's Last Days and Letters](#)

Having the courage to do the right thing

Young people can serve God

Telling others about Jesus

God will protect and give strength

Telling about Jesus through literature

Lessons from the Epistles (5 Lessons)

[Timothy](#)

[The Christian Armour](#)

[Meaning of the Lord's Supper](#)

[The Chapter of Love](#)

[Fruit of the Spirit](#)

Learn about God from a young age

God helps us fight Satan

Remembering Jesus

Showing love

The Holy Spirit helps us obey God

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