

Parents Connect

Bible Story:

God Guided Noah
(Genesis 6:5-22)

Bible Phrase:

"Noah obeyed God"
(Genesis 6:22).

Bible Truth:

When we obey God,
He will help us in
our work.



God's Unfolding Story



1. God created everything.



2. People disobeyed God.



3. God chose a special people.



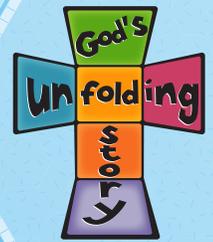
4. God sent Jesus to help us.



5. Jesus began the Church.



6. Jesus is preparing heaven for us.



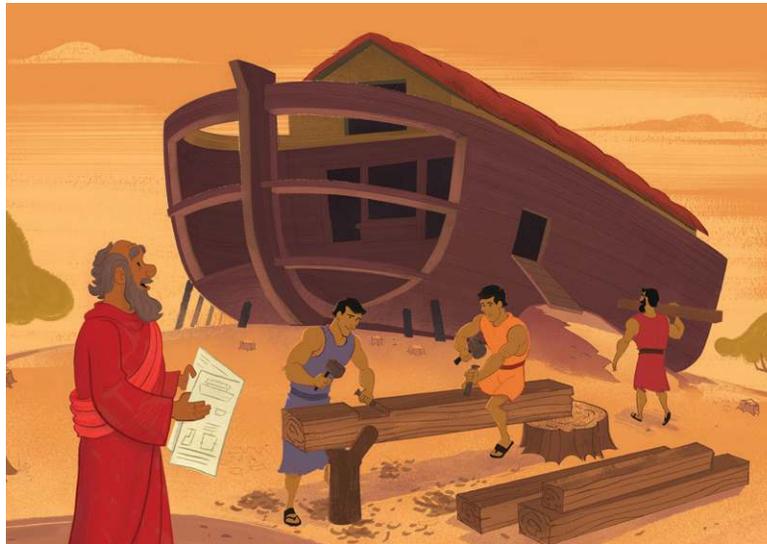
Unfolding God's Story For Parents

This month our preschoolers are learning about Noah and the ark from the Book of Genesis. Preschoolers love this story. Help them see that God took care of Noah and his family.

Talk with your preschooler:

Talk to your preschooler about a time when you, as a parent, took care of him or her. Explain that love does that. Say, "Our story today is about how God took care of Noah and his family. God loved Noah and he loves us."

Tell the story:



for his family and for all the animals. Can you imagine all that food—and all those hungry animals?

Noah obeyed God and got to work building the ark. Picture in your mind Noah and his three sons getting out their saws and cutting down trees to make the boat. Back and forth went their saws! Chop, chop, chop went the chisels! Bang, bang, bang went their axes and hammers! Noah and his sons worked long and hard to finish the boat,

just as God had instructed. Noah did everything God told him to do.

Ask, "Why did God flood the earth?" (People did not love God or each other)

Ask, "Why did God take care of Noah and his family?" (Noah loved God and did what was right.)

Talk about some things that Noah needed for the ark. (wood, food for the family, food for the animals)

Pray, thanking God that He took care of Noah and the animals.

Activity Suggestion

Build a Pretend Ark.

Find a shoebox, wood scraps, or sticks and fashion an ark. Decorate the ark. Cut out animal pictures to glue onto the ark, or use play-dough to make animals. As you work together, talk about how in Noah's day people made decisions about how to live. Noah's family was the only family that decided to love and trust God. God took care of them. God takes care of us today.

Bible Story God Guided Noah (Genesis 6:5-22)

Our story begins many years after Adam and Eve left the garden of Eden. There were many people living on the earth at this time. Sadly, they did not love God or love each other. This made God very sad. In fact, people were so disobedient to God that God decided to destroy life on the earth. God found only one man who was good. His name was Noah. Noah loved God and did what was right.

God talked to Noah and said, "Noah, I am sad people do not love me or follow my ways. I am going to destroy the whole earth with a flood. All the people and all the animals will be gone, but because you love Me and follow my ways, I am going to keep you and your family safe."

God explained to Noah exactly how He would protect his family. He gave Noah instructions to build a big ark. An ark is a boat or a ship. The boat would keep Noah and his family safe when the rain came and the waters rose. God also told Noah that He would send two of every kind of animal into the boat. He asked Noah to bring enough food