



BIG IDEA

God created a very good world.

GOD STORY

People Disobeyed God (Genesis 3)

KEY VERSE

God saw everything he had made. And it was very good. (Genesis 1:31a, NIRV)

MUSIC

"God Created the World" (*The Meeting House Kids Music*)

1 | Start

HEART TO HEART SUPPLIES

- Small hearts
- Large heart

BEFORE THE ACTIVITY

- Hide the small hearts all around your home.
- Place the large heart in a central area.

HEART TO HEART INSTRUCTIONS

- Encourage the children to find the hidden hearts.
- Direct them to place the smaller hearts they find on top of the large heart.
- When all the hearts are found, tell the children that today's stories from the Bible are about Adam and Eve disobeying God. That means they didn't do what he wanted them to do.
- Explain that God had a loving plan to forgive Adam and Eve for disobeying him—as well as for forgiving each of us!

PUZZLE SUPPLIES

- Puzzle

PUZZLE INSTRUCTIONS

- Work together to join the puzzle pieces.
- When the puzzle is complete, remind the children that **God created a very good world!**
- Explain that today's Bible story is about Adam and Eve. They were the first people God created. Adam and Eve disobeyed God! That means they didn't do what he asked them to do.

2 | Watch

SUPPLIES

- Media player

INSTRUCTIONS

- Watch this week's video from the Now Playing Early Years playlist on the One Story YouTube channel.



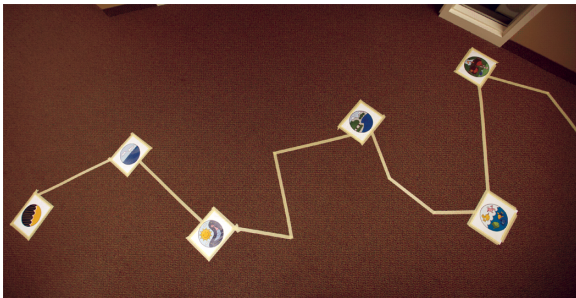
3 | Pray

SUPPLIES

- Creation circles
- Masking tape

BEFORE THE ACTIVITY

- Place the creation circles in a fun path around your home (see sample below). They could go on the floor, on a wall, and even furniture.



TIP

- Save the creation circles to re-use each week in this series.

INSTRUCTIONS

- Start at the first creation circle and lead your children along the path.
- Stop briefly at each creation circle and thank God for the amazing things he made.
- Pray together at the end of the path. Thank God for creating a very good world and for each member of your family!

4 | Craft

SUPPLIES

- Heart activity pages
- Heart stickers
- Colouring supplies

INSTRUCTIONS

- Give each child a heart activity page.
- Encourage them to colour on their paper hearts and decorate them with stickers.
- As they work on their crafts, highlight that we all disobey God just as Adam and Eve did, but he will forgive us if we ask him to!

5 | Key Verse

SUPPLIES

- Key Verse sign

INSTRUCTIONS

- Ask if anyone remembers the Key Verse for the Creation series (God saw everything he had made. And it was very good. From Genesis 1:31, NIRV).
- Say the verse together in a variety of fun ways (e.g., loudly, whispering, slowly, quickly, etc.).
- Try covering up words on the sign and find out if the children can fill in the blanks.