



## BIG IDEA

Listen to God.

## GOD STORY

The Ten Commandments (Exodus 20)

## KEY VERSE

"Be still, and know that I am God!"  
(Psalm 46:10a, NLT)

## MUSIC

"Pray Every Day" (*The Meeting House Kids*)

## 1 | Start

### SUPPLIES

- Maze activity page
- Marker

### TIP

- The children could use their pointer finger instead of a marker.

### INSTRUCTIONS

- Show the maze to the children and challenge them to help Moses go up the mountain to get special rules from God.
- Guide them to work their way through the maze.
- Review the ways Moses listened to God in the Bible stories for this series (e.g., the burning bush, the plagues in Egypt, escaping through the Red Sea).
- Let the children know that Moses listens to God to receive the Ten Commandments in today's story. Remind them that we should **listen to God**, too.

## 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

- Container (e.g., basket or gift bag)
- Photographs of family members and friends (e.g., photo Christmas cards)

### BEFORE THE ACTIVITY

- Place the photos in a container.

### INSTRUCTIONS

- Pull a photo from the container and pray together for that person or family. Choose someone new each week!



## **4 | Craft**

### **SUPPLIES**

- Moses and the Ten Commandments activity pages
- Multiple colours of chalk
- (Optional) Paper towels

### **TIP**

- You could dampen a paper towel with water and have it handy to wipe up the chalk dust.

### **INSTRUCTIONS**

- a. Give each child an activity page and some chalk.
- b. Encourage them to share their chalk as they cover their page with colours.
- c. As they work on their crafts, review today's Bible story. Remind the children that God gave Moses the ten special rules (Ten Commandments) for us to obey.
- d. Emphasize that when we **listen to God**, we grow closer to him!

## **5 | Key Verse**

### **SUPPLIES**

- Key Verse sign
- Key Verse cards
- Treasure box (e.g., gold-painted craft box or small jewellery chest)

### **BEFORE THE ACTIVITY**

- Place the cards inside the box.
- Hide the box in a new spot each week.

### **INSTRUCTIONS**

- a. Challenge the children to find the hidden treasure box. Encourage them to make pretend binoculars with their fingers as they hunt for it.
- b. When the box is found, look at the Key Verse cards hidden inside it.
- c. Explain that our treasure is the word of God!
- d. Put the words of the verse in order. Use the Key Verse sign as needed.
- e. Say Psalm 46:10a out loud together.