



# Beginnings

## The Fall | Genesis 2-3

<b>Big Idea</b>	Put God first.
<b>Music</b>	God Created the World – The Meeting House Kids
<b>Key Verse</b>	“In everything you do, put God first.” Proverbs 3:6 TLB
<b>Start #1: Word Search</b>	Invite your child to try the word search. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Read the words in the list to them.</li><li>• Help them recognize letters and words.</li><li>• Ask if they know what the words mean.</li></ul>
Supplies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Word Search</li></ul>	
<b>Start #2: Big Idea Jump</b>	Invite your child to stand with you. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Say the Big Idea and then jump.</li><li>• Prompt them to say the Big Idea and jump. Repeat.</li><li>• Say the Big Idea and clap.</li><li>• Prompt them to say the Big Idea and clap. Repeat.</li><li>• Say the Big Idea and then pat your knees.</li><li>• Prompt them to say the Big Idea and pat their knees.</li><li>• Repeat saying, “Jesus loves me!”</li></ul>
Supplies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Ball to roll</li></ul>	
<b>Prayer:</b>	For this prayer time, use a ball. While you hold the ball, pray “Dear God, thank you for...” and then roll the ball to your child. They can say something they want to thank God for. Then, they can roll it back to you. You choose something to thank God for and roll it back to them. Repeat until they have nothing further to add. Then bounce the ball and say, “Amen!”
<b>Craft: Craft Stick Puppets</b>	Give your child the people craft sticks and encourage them to make Adam and Eve stick puppets. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Let them know they can use the yarn for hair if they’d like.</li><li>• Help them as needed with glue or decoration.</li><li>• As they decorate ask: why didn’t Adam and Eve listen to God and put him first? How can we learn to listen to God?</li><li>• Encourage your child and celebrate what they have made. Let them know they could act out the Bible story with their puppets if they’d like. Place it somewhere this week where you can be reminded of the God Story.</li></ul>
Supplies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• People craft sticks</li><li>• Glue stick</li><li>• Markers or crayons</li><li>• Yarn</li></ul>	



**Key Verse Activity**

Supplies:

- none

Help your child learn the Key Verse using the actions below:

**In everything** (wave hands around big)

**You do** (point outward for YOU)

**Put God** (hands up like you are raising the roof)

**First!** (point one finger up)

**Proverbs 3:6** (hands open like a book)