

# FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT

DAVID *and* JONATHAN  
PRESCHOOL - WEEK 1



## BIBLE LESSON

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- 1. Memory Verse:** Show your kids the [memory verse pictures](#), and point to each picture as you say the associated words. Have your child repeat the words back to you as you point to each picture. Do this a few times!
- 2. Song:** [FREE](#)
- 3. Bible Story:** Jonathan and David - 1 Samuel 18:1-5; 19:1-17; 20:1-42 - Read the [illustrated story](#) provided, or read from your children's Bible at home!
- 4. Activities:** Do these activities with today's Bible lesson, or feel free to space them out during the week!
  1. Story Card Puzzle
  2. Kind Heart Craft
  3. God's Animal - The Honey Bee

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## ACTIVITY 1

### STORY CARD PUZZLE

Print out the [story card puzzle page](#), and cut out the individual cards in their puzzle shapes.

Go over what is happening in each image as you show the picture to your child. Place the cards in order on the ground or on the table as you read them. Once you've gone through all six cards, mix them up. Have your child put the puzzle together. Once they have all of the cards in their place, go over the story again, pointing to each card as you go. When you are finished, mix them up and do it again! Repeat as long as your child is interested.

No printer option: Flip through the [illustrated story](#) pictures on your phone, tablet, or computer and go over what is happening in each picture as you show them to your child. After you have done this, have your child flip through the pictures and tell you what is happening in each scene.

If you'd like to be put on the weekly mailing list to receive lesson materials free of charge, click [HERE](#) to fill out the form.

### SUPPLIES NEEDED

- Story card puzzle page
- Scissors

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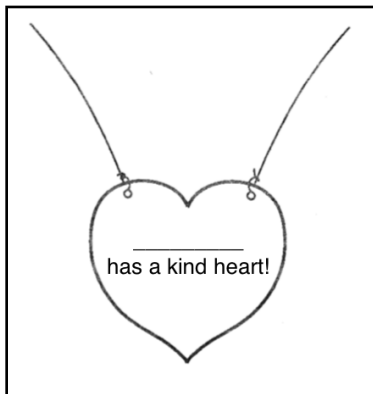
## ACTIVITY 2

### KIND HEART CRAFT

Help your child make a necklace while talking with them about what it means to have a kind heart.

### SUPPLIES NEEDED

- [Heart necklace page](#) or blank paper
- Crayons or markers
- Scissors
- Yarn or string



### STEPS

1. Print the [craft page](#), or draw a heart on a blank piece of paper.
2. Help your child cut out the heart.
3. Poke or hole punch two holes where the small circles are near the top of the heart.
4. Tie one end of the yarn/string to one hole and the other end of the yarn/string to the other hole to make a necklace.
5. Have your child color the inside of the heart red.
6. Help your child write their name on the line in the middle of the heart, or write "\_\_\_\_\_ has a kind heart!" if you drew your heart.
7. Feel free to add any extra decorations to your heart if desired!

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## ACTIVITY 3

### GOD'S ANIMAL - THE HONEY BEE

This week's animal is the honey bee! Show the ["God's Animal - The Honey Bee"](#) page to your child, and read with your child about the honey bees and how they work together!



#### THE HONEY BEE

This is a honey bee! Honey bees are a very special type of animal called an insect, and they are the only insect to make something that people can eat, yummy honey! Do you like to eat honey? A bee has six legs, and they have little sticky pads on the bottom of their feet that help them land on flowers. When a bee lands on a flower, it gets something called nectar from the flower. The nectar helps them make honey! They have to visit lots and lots of flowers so they can make lots of honey. Bees work really hard to make honey. Honey bees also have four wings. Their wings beat so fast that it makes a buzzing noise when the bee flies by! Honey bees live together in a hive. A beehive can have around 50,000 bees in it! That is a lot of bees.

Honey bees work together in their hive, helping each other so they can make honey. All of the bees have a job they have to do in their hive. Some bees are in charge of taking care of the baby bees, some keep the hive clean, some make the honey, and some guard the hive to keep all the bees safe. There is even a queen! She is in charge of all the bees in the hive. All the bees have to do their jobs. They work together and take care of each other. God wants us to take care of each other and work together just like the bees do!