

At-Home Holiday Club: Session 2

Overview

This second session is all about the storm starting when Jesus and his friends are in the boat. This is the problem in the story.

The bible verses for today are: 'A wild storm came up. Waves crashed over the boat. It was about to sink. Jesus was in the back, sleeping on a cushion. The disciples woke him up. They said, "Teacher! Don't you care if we drown?"' – Mark 4:37-38

We will learn how bad this storm was and how scared the friends were, yet how Jesus didn't wake up! We'll think about where we turn to when we are feeling scared and we'll end on a cliffhanger of what Jesus is going to do.

Songs (all included in the video, no need to find them separately)

1. My lighthouse
2. Jesus and his friends in a boat on the sea
3. Nothing's too big, big, big

Games/challenges

1. Cereal box challenge – find an empty cereal box (or other box!) and take turns trying to pick it up with your mouth, without bending your knees. Each round, cut a layer off to make it harder
2. A-Z scavenger hunt – find objects in your house that start with every letter of the alphabet
3. Drawing on top of head – put a piece of paper on your head. Parents choose something for kids to draw while the paper is on their heads – how does it turn out?

Crafts (do as much or as little as you like – instructions are all online!)

1. Glittery windsock
2. Storm in a bottle



3. Making the sail of your boat

Resources needed

- Cereal/cardboard box
- Paper
- Pens/pencils/crayons
- Printed-out sail
- Empty bottle
- Bits of paper
- Food colouring (optional)
- Glitter
- Cardboard tube
- Decorations
- Ribbons/fabric/paper strips
- String

Enjoy! 😊