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# JUMP In!

Leaping into Faith with Little Ones

## GOD'S AMAZING WORLD

A seven-week series outline for use with  
Pre-school children

### SUGGESTED RESOURCES

- *The Play-Along Bible, Bob Hartman*
- *Playtime Praise Songs for Toddlers*
- *Playtime Action Songs for Toddlers*
- Percussion instruments
- Instrument praise songs

# God's Amazing World



## SESSION ONE: NIGHT AND DAY



### BIBLE STORY

Genesis 1:1-5

*The Play-Along Bible*  
'Turn on the Lights', p3



### SONG SUGGESTIONS

1. Theme Song  
(Tune: 'If you're happy and you know it')

The world that God has made is so good,  
The world that God has made is so good,  
He said, 'Let there be light' and created day  
and night,  
The world that God has made is so good.

2. 'This little light of mine'

### CRAFT IDEAS

- Paper Plate Days of Creation  
– Night and Day

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### PRAYER

Dear God,

Thank you for our amazing world.  
Thank you for creating day and  
night – the day to learn and play,  
the night to rest and sleep.

Help us to know that you are always  
with us – day and night.

Amen.



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## SESSION TWO: WATERS AND SKY



### BIBLE STORY

Genesis 1:6-8

*The Play-Along Bible*  
'Sky High', p5

#### Note

*Each week take time to briefly recap the story from the week before.*



### SONG SUGGESTIONS

1. Theme Song  
(Tune: 'If you're happy and you know it')

The world that God has made is so good,  
The world that God has made is so good,  
The waters floating by and the blue sky way  
up high,  
The world that God has made is so good.

#### Note

*Using the theme song you can add verses from the previous week. Also, you may prefer to choose one or two songs to use throughout the whole series.*

2. 'Wide, wide as the ocean'
3. 'If I jump up high'
4. 'Row, row, row your boat'

### CRAFT IDEAS

- Paper Plate Days of Creation  
– Atmosphere

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### PRAYER

Dear God,

The waters are deep!  
The waters are blue!  
The sky is so high!  
The sky is blue too!  
God made this amazing world for me,  
And for you!

Amen.



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## SESSION THREE: LAND AND PLANTS



### BIBLE STORY

Genesis 1:9-13

*The Play-Along Bible*  
'Land Ho!' p7



### SONG SUGGESTIONS

1. Theme Song  
(Tune: 'If you're happy and you know it')

The world that God has made is so good,  
The world that God has made is so good,  
The mountains, rocks and sand, the fruit, the  
trees and land,  
The world that God has made is so good.

2. 'He's got the whole world in his hands'
3. 'Mary, Mary, quite contrary'



### CRAFT IDEAS

- Paper Plate Days of Creation  
– Land, plants and trees  
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### PRAYER

Thank you, God, for the amazing world you have made for me.

Thank you, God, for ...

*(Have a bag of items or pictures of flowers, trees, fruit etc, and as you show them get the families to shout out what they are.)*

Amen.



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## SESSION FOUR: SUN, MOON AND STARS



### BIBLE STORY

Genesis 1:14-19

#### *The Play-Along Bible*

'Sun, moon and stars – oh my!' p9



### SONG SUGGESTIONS

1. Theme Song  
(Tune: 'If you're happy and you know it')

The world that God has made is so good,  
The world that God has made is so good,  
The sun gives warmth and light, the moon and  
stars shine bright,  
The world that God has made is so good.

2. 'Twinkle, Twinkle'
3. 'I like the sunshine'
4. 'The sun has got its hat on'

### CRAFT IDEAS

- Paper Plate Days of Creation  
– Sun, Moon and Stars  
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### PRAYER

Dear God,

Thank you for making the sun that  
gives our world warmth and light.

Thank you for making the moon to  
shine and the stars to twinkle in the  
night sky.

Thank you for creating our amazing  
world.

Amen.



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## SESSION FIVE: FISH AND BIRDS



### BIBLE STORY

Genesis 1:20-23

#### *The Play-Along Bible*

'Splishy, Splashy, Squawky, Talky', p10



### SONG SUGGESTIONS

1. Theme Song  
(Tune: 'If you're happy and you know it')

The world that God has made is so good,  
The world that God has made is so good,  
Octopuses, fish and whales, singing birds with  
feathered tails,  
The world that God has made is so good.

2. '1,2,3,4,5, once I caught a fish alive'
3. 'Baby Shark'
4. 'Two little dicky birds sitting on a wall'
5. 'Five little ducks went swimming one day'

### CRAFT IDEAS

- Paper Plate Days of Creation – Fish and Birds  
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### PRAYER

Dear Father God,

We love to see brightly coloured, shiny fish and octopuses with lots of legs. We love to see huge whales and sharks with sharp teeth.

We love to see all the different birds flying in the sky or hopping on the ground. We love to hear the birds singing in the trees.

Thank you, God, for making all the wonderful creatures in our amazing world.

Amen.



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## SESSION SIX: ANIMALS AND PEOPLE



### BIBLE STORY

Genesis 1:24-31; 2:4-7, 21-23

*The Play-Along Bible*  
'In God's Image' p12



### SONG SUGGESTIONS

1. Theme Song  
(Tune: 'If you're happy and you know it')

The world that God has made is so good,  
The world that God has made is so good,  
Lion, bear and kangaroo – all the people, me  
and you,  
The world that God has made is so good.

2. 'Who's the King of the jungle?'
3. 'I can wriggle'
4. 'The Lion's roar'

### CRAFT IDEAS

- Paper Plate Days of Creation  
– Animals and People  
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### PRAYER

Thank you, God, for all the animals you have  
made in our amazing world!

For lions and tigers that roar, for monkeys that  
chatter and crocodiles with snappy teeth, for dogs  
that bark and cats that purr, for mice that squeak  
and rabbits with twitchy noses.

But most of all I thank you for making me!  
For my eyes to see and my ears to hear, for my  
nose to smell and my mouth to taste.

For my body so that I can move about and play.

Thank you, God, for making me so special and for  
loving me very much.

Amen.



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## SESSION SEVEN: REST



### BIBLE STORY

Genesis 2:1-3

*The Play-Along Bible*  
'A Good Rest' p15



### SONG SUGGESTIONS

1. Theme Song  
(Tune: 'If you're happy and you know it')

The world that God has made is so good,  
The world that God has made is so good,  
When God saw the world was good, he rested  
like he should,  
The world that God has made is so good.

2. 'He's got the whole world in his hands'

*Any of the songs from previous weeks*

### CRAFT IDEAS

- Paper Plate Days of Creation – Rest  
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### PRAYER

*Get the children to lie down if possible and close their eyes:*

Dear God,

After you created this amazing world, we're so glad that you rested because it teaches us how we need to rest too.

So just for now I am going to be still and quiet and rest ... shhhhhh

Thank you, God, that you are with me in my rest and in my play.

*(After a short time has passed say:  
Wake up, everybody! Hurray!)*

Amen.



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