

Explore It TOGETHER

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GOD HAS A JOB FOR LITTLE OL' ME!

1 Samuel 16 The Anointing of David

Here are some ideas and activities you could do as a family



Watch

Watch The Lion King together and sing along to 'I just can't wait to be King'! Is Simba excited that he is going to be King? Does he seem worried about being in charge, or looking forward to it? After you have heard this song, why not pause the film and ask each of your family members how they would feel if someone told them that they were going to have a very important job like being King. Discuss what important jobs that God may be asking you to do.



Investigate

Experiment with oil and water. Fill a clear vase three quarters full with water. Mix a few different-coloured drops of food colouring into a little vegetable oil and stir. Quickly add the oil into the jar of water. Watch and see what happens! (See full instructions here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9JSCQhTmcM>)



Memorise

Challenge your family to memorise 1 Samuel 16:7 (ICB)
'God does not see the same way people see. People look at the outside of a person, but the Lord looks at the heart.'



Bake

Bake some crown-shaped biscuits. Decorate with colourful icings and sweeties to symbolise the jewels.



Serve

Print a large map of your local area and talk together about the places you know and visit. Chat about the different people you may meet and interact with. After being anointed, David continued to serve at home, staying as a shepherd for his family. Think about different ways you can serve in your community. Write your ideas on sticky notes and stick these on the map.



Create

Get together with your family and write out your family tree. Include your immediate family and members of your wider family too. Discuss how it feels to belong to a family. How could you be family to others who don't have a family of their own?