

October Week 2

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Let's Fly

October 13

CRAFT WEEK 2

Airplanes with a Message

SUPPLIES:

Airplane cutout, craft sticks, crayons, tape

What You DO and SAY:

- ⇒ **Give each child an airplane cutout and set out the crayons. Invite children to color the airplane.**
 - *"Friends, come sit at the table. Have you ever seen a plane in the sky that was flying a banner behind it? (Pause.) The banners carry a message on them. This banner says **God is always with me**. Color the plane and the banner."*
- ⇒ **Tape craft sticks to the airplane and write the children's names on the craft sticks.**
 - *"In order to make our planes fly, we're going to tape a craft stick to it that you can hold onto."*
- ⇒ **Bring it Back to the Bottom Line**
 - *"In our true Bible story today we learned that Hagar and Ishmael were lost in the desert and crying. But they didn't need a plane with a message to tell them God is always with them, because God heard them and helped them! And friends, God hears you, too, because God is always with you too!"*
 - **"Who is always with you?"**
 - **"God is always with me!"**

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ACTIVITY #1

Pick a Picture

SUPPLIES: Pompom balls in assorted colors (with blue), bin, plastic cups

What You DO and SAY:

- ⇒ **Put mixed together pompoms in several bins. Have a few children gather around each bin and give each group a plastic cup.**
 - *"Friends, in our Bible Story today we saw that Hagar and Ishmael were tired, hot, and thirsty, and God helped them find water to drink. We're going to play a game where we're going to look for water. In these bins are lot of little pom-poms, and we're going to find the blue ones to fill up our cups!"*
- ⇒ **Invite children to relay to get blue pompoms and fill their group's cup.**
 - *"When I say go, dig through your bin to find the blue pom-poms and put them in your cup. Ready? Go!"*
 - *"Great job friends, let's mix the water back in a play again!"*
- ⇒ **Review the Bible story and bring it back to the Bottom Line.**
 - *"Hagar and Ishmael couldn't find water anywhere in the desert, but God heard them and helped them find water. God heard them because God is always with them, just like God is always with you!"*
 - ***Who is always with you?***
 - ***God is always with me!"***



Please keep
Pom Poms
for Week 3

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ACTIVITY #2

Little Planes

SUPPLIES: None

What You DO and SAY:

- ⇒ **Have children join you in the center of the room and space out.**
 - *"Friends, come over here. Planes are so fun because they can take you all over the place, but we know that no matter where we go, God is always with me. Let's pretend to be airplanes and we can fly around the room! Put your arms out like airplane wings and follow me as we go around the room."*
- ⇒ **Lead children around the room as airplanes and stop to review the Bottom Line.**
 - *"Stop! Now that we've stopped here, let me ask you a question:*
 - ***Who is always with you?***
 - ***God is always with me!***
 - *Let's keep flying!"*
- ⇒ **Repeat as long as children are interested.**

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READ, ASK, PRACTICE, & PRAY
OCTOBER WEEK 2

Here are some ideas to try in a group or one-on-one.

2-year-olds are all at different stages of development! Some are ready to answer big questions and say the memory verse, while others aren't ready to talk yet. Even if they aren't ready to answer, they are listening!

READ A STORY

- *Pray to God* by Jennifer Hilton & Kristen McCurry

ASK A QUESTION

Who is always with you?

God is always with me!

PRACTICE THE MEMORY VERSE

"God is with you wherever you go." Joshua 1:9

SAY A PRAYER

Dear God,

Thank you for making me.

Thank you for loving me.

Thank you for sending Jesus to be my friend forever.

Amen.