



St John the Evangelist, Bexley
Part of the Bexley Team Ministry

Sunday 3rd May
Stories Jesus Heard

Toddler Church Fun!

This Week's Story: Noah goes into lockdown!

God could see how people were mistreating the world and each other, so God decided to send a flood to wipe everything out so the creation could start again.

God told Noah and his family to build a huge boat (an ark) and bring on board pairs of every animal in the world so they could survive the flood.

The rain came down, and the ark sailed on the flood waters for 150 days and the ark came to rest on the summit of a mountain.

When the flood had passed God sent a rainbow to lighten the sky as a sign of hope and a promise that God would not flood the world again.



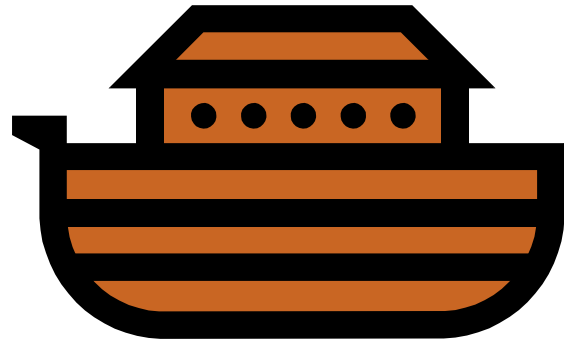
Activities (*Examples and resources are on the next pages*):

Build an ark: Use the template to build your own ark. If you have toy animals you could use it to retell the story.

Matching Game: The animals entered the ark in pairs. Print off the cards and cut them out to create a pair-matching game.

Rainbow Bubble Mixture: We're seeing lots of rainbows in people's windows and gardens at the moment. Maybe you've made one too? You can also see rainbows in the patterns on bubbles. If you've run out of bubble mixture at home you can mix some up using:

- ½ cup Washing-up liquid
 - 1½ cups Water (add carefully)
 - 2 teaspoons sugar.
- Stir gently to mix.



Song:

The Animals went in two by two . Hurrah, hurrah!
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The animals went in two by two:
The elephant and the kangaroo
And they all went into the Ark,
For to get out of the rain.

Three by three: The wasp, the ant and the bumblebee.

Four by four: The big hippopotamus stuck in the door.

Five by five: They went in the ark to keep alive.

Six by six: The cheeky monkeys were up to their tricks.
Seven by seven: The little pig thought it felt just like heaven

Eight by eight: The tortoises almost turned up late.

Nine by nine: Marching up in a big long line.

Ten by ten: The last one in was the little red hen.

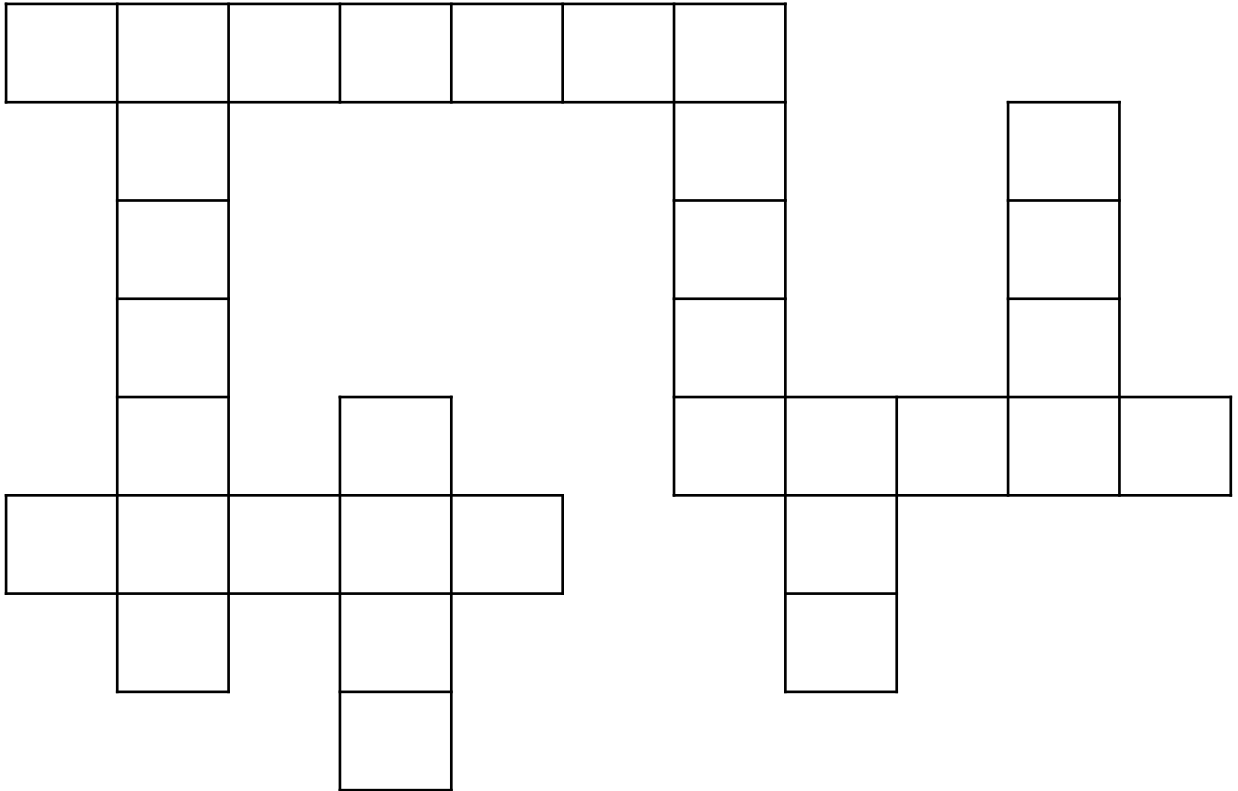
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Older Brothers & Sisters!:

Can you think up any more verses to the song? You might also like to try word puzzle on the next page.

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Try to fit the words from the story of Noah onto the grid.



3 Letters

ARK

4 Letters

DOVE

NOAH

5 Letters

FLOOD

RAVEN

WATER

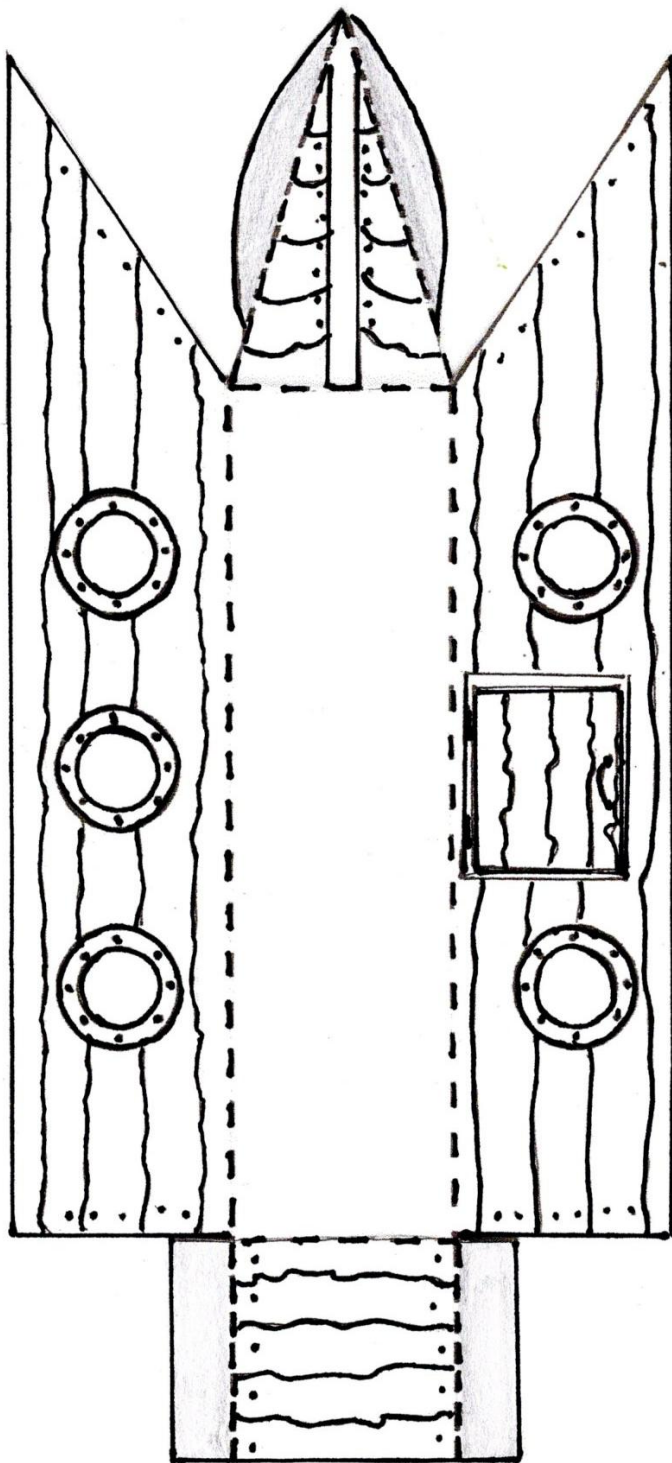
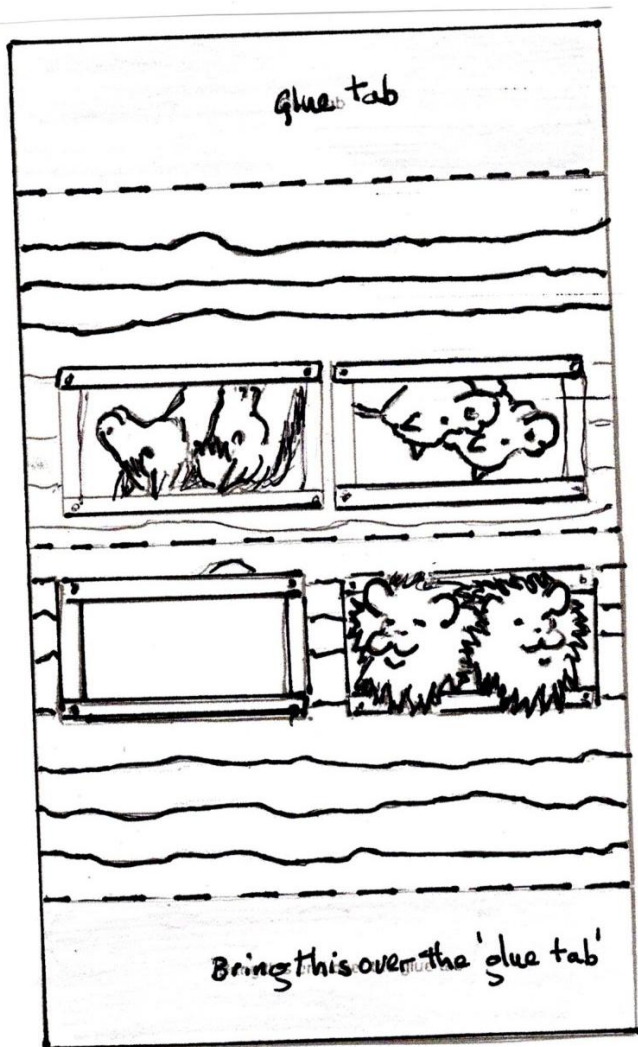
7 Letters

ANIMALS

RAINBOW

Clue: Start with the only three letter word!

Make an Ark!



Pauline's example:



Instructions

- Cut out
- Draw animals in the empty windows
- Colour in
- Fold along dotted lines
- Stick tabs to make boat and cabin
- Stick cabin on top of boat.

MATCHING MEMORY GAME CARDS:

