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Hezekiah

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# CRAFT Week 1

## *Hezekiah and the Angel*

**SUPPLIES:** Hezekiah and the wall page, Angel cut out, crayons, glue sticks

### What You DO and SAY:

⇒ **Pass out Hezekiah and the wall page and crayons**

- *“Today in our true Bible story we learned about King Hezekiah. Can you say Hezekiah? Good! King Hezekiah knew God was powerful, so he was brave. He knew what God wanted him to do, and it was hard. He trusted God, and he was brave. He did what God told him to do, and he knew that God would protect him. We are going to make a picture of our Bible story to take home and share the story with our families.*

⇒ **Pass our Angel cut out.\*\*\*\***

- *Hezekiah prayed to God to protect him and God sent an angel to help him. Isn't that amazing?! God was with him, and he was brave. He was a Super Kid!*
- *Let's color our angels now. When you are ready, I will give you a glue stick and you can send the angel to protect King Hezekiah!*

⇒ **Finish craft and Bring it Back to Jesus.**

- *These look fantastic, everybody! King Hezekiah trusted God to protect him and God sent an angel! God helped King Hezekiah to be brave and he can help you be brave, too!*
- *Who can help you be brave? God can help me be brave!*

⇒ **\*\*\*Two-Year-Old Classes**

Your pages will come with the angel already on the page so that you do not have to glue anything. You can simply have children point to identify Hezekiah and then point to identify the angel.

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## “CRAFT” Week 2

### *King’s Crown*

**SUPPLIES:** Crowns, markers, gem stickers, tape or stapler

**TIP:** Carefully peel the metallic backing off the sticker sheet before handing them out and it will be easier for the kids to peel off gems.

### **What You DO and SAY:**

⇒ **Pass out crowns.**

- *“Look at these cool crowns! Today we heard a true story from the Bible about King Hezekiah. We are going to make our own crowns today just like the King’s!”*

⇒ **Pass out markers. Then, pass out strips of gem stickers.**

- *Let’s decorate our crowns!*
- *King Hezekiah was a great king and he believed that God was the one true God. He knew that God could help him be brave. So, even when he faced a scary army, he wasn’t afraid! Do you remember what he did?*
- *He prayed! King Hezekiah prayed. And do you remember what God did? He sent an angel to protect King Hezekiah and the people!*

⇒ **Pass out “God can help me be brave” label.** *Help them attach it to the crown.*

⇒ **Help children secure the crown on their head with tape or stapler.** *If you choose, they can leave them on for the class.*

⇒ **Bring it Back to Jesus.**

- *“Your crowns look excellent! Everyone look at the special label we put on the crown. It says, “God can help me be brave. I am a Super Kid!”*
- *Every time you wear this crown I want to think about how God can help you be brave just like King Hezekiah!*
- ***Who can help you be brave? God can help me be brave!***

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# ACTIVITY #1

## *King's Crown Hot Potato*

**SUPPLIES:** Crown, CD player, Worship CD

### What You DO and SAY:

⇒ **Have children join you in a seated circle on the floor.**

- *“Boys and girls, today we heard a true story from the Bible about a (hold up crown) KING. Do you remember his name? King Hezekiah! There was a mean army who wanted to fight King Hezekiah in battle but was he scared? NO! He knew that God was the one true God and that he would protect him! God sent his angel to protect Hezekiah!”*

⇒ **Hold up crown.**

- *“Today we are going to play a fun game that is like Hot potato, but instead of a potato we are going to use this King’s crown! We are going to pass the crown around while the music is playing. When the music stops, whoever is holding the crown will put it on and then answer an important question for me.*
- ***Who can help you be brave? God can help me brave!***

⇒ **Repeat until every child has had a turn.**

⇒ **Complete the activity and then Bring it Back to Jesus.**

- *Nice job, everybody! God helped King Hezekiah to be brave and he can help you be brave, too! You are Super Kids!*
- ***Who can help you be brave?***
- ***God can help me be brave!***

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## ACTIVITY #2

### *Superhero Memory Verse*

**SUPPLIES:** No supplies needed

#### What You DO and SAY:

- ⇒ **Gather children in the open area of the room.**
  - *“Hey friends! Today we are going to play a little game of follow the super hero. I am going to be the super hero and I want you to do everything I do.”*
- ⇒ **Do a variety of Superhero poses having the children copy each move you do.**
- ⇒ **After several Superhero poses, do the memory verse pose by pose and have them continue copying you.**
  - *“**Be strong** (put right forearm and wrist out in front of you)*
  - ***and courageous!** (Put left forearm and wrist out in front of you and hit wrists together.)*
  - ***Do not be afraid . . .** (wind up in a crazy karate chop pose and chop down on the word “afraid”),*
  - ***for the LORD** (point your right hand up)*
  - ***your God** (point your left hand up)*
  - ***goes with you** (put both hands on hips in a “strong” pose),*  
***Deuteronomy 31:6.** (Hold out hands like a book.)”*
- ⇒ **Repeat as many times as children are interested. Each time you get to the memory verse consider having them try it a different way – loud, soft, fast, slow, etc.**
- ⇒ **Option for 4 and 5 year old classes: Have a child volunteer come up to be the Superhero leader.**
- ⇒ **Finish up the activity and Bring it Back to Jesus.**
  - *“Nice work, Super Kids! You did a great job following me. You know what the really amazing thing is? When you follow God he can help you be brave! God is always with you! Who can help you be brave? God can help me be brave!”*

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## ACTIVITY #3

### *Let's Go For a Ride*

- SUPPLIES:** Let's go for a ride images, blue wall tape, toy cars
- SET UP:** Tape all images except for the minivan up on the walls around the room.
- NOTE:** The script here is provided as just one option. Feel free to use your own creativity when talking to the kids!

### What You DO and SAY:

- ⇒ **Have the children gather around the minivan picture. Give each child a toy car to carry with them.**
- *"Today I'd like to take us all on a ride. Everybody hop in my car. Don't forget to buckle up your seat belt. Alright! Here we go!"*
  - *Today we are going to visit a few different places. Sometimes we might feel nervous or afraid when we go somewhere new, but we don't need to worry because God can help us to be brave no matter where we go!*
- ⇒ **"Drive" the children around the room and make stops at each place.**
- **SCHOOL**
    - *"First stop! It's the first day of school! Going to school is so exciting! I love learning new things at school and playing with friends. But sometimes you might feel a little nervous when your mom or dad drops you off. Do we need to be afraid if God is with us? No!"*
    - *Who can help you be brave? God can help me be brave!*
  - **PLAYGROUND**
    - *We had a great day at school! Let's hop back in the car. Next stop – let's go to the playground! We can play on the swings or go down the slide! Look! There are some new friends here! Sometimes we might feel a little bit nervous when it's time to meet new friends. But do we need to be nervous if God is with us? No!"*
    - *Who can help you be brave? God can help me be brave!*

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### *Let's Go For a Ride*

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○ **DENTIST**

- *That was so much fun at the playground! Now we need to head to the dentist. It's important to go to the dentist to help keep our teeth clean and healthy. Going to the dentist is really important, but we might feel a little scared the first time we go! Do we need to be scared if God is with us? No! The dentist is so nice and our teeth feel great when we leave!*
- *Who can help you be brave? God can help me be brave!*

○ **CHURCH**

- *Final stop! We are back at church.*

○ **IN THE CAR**

- *"Wow! We've been in the car an awfully long time. We went to a lot of new places and we didn't have to be afraid or nervous because God was with us along the way. Before we park our cars, let's hear what your horn sounds like...show me on the count of 3 – 1, 2, 3!"*

⇒ **Bring it Back to Jesus.**

- *"Boys and girls, you did a great job as we drove around town today! Sometimes we might feel nervous or afraid when we go somewhere new, but we don't need to worry because God can help us to be brave no matter where we go!"*

*Who can help you be brave? God can help me be brave!*

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# REFLECTION & REVIEW

## RECAP

Use the 4 Story Cards (Hezekiah, the “mean” army, Hezekiah praying, the angel) provided to recap the bible story. Emphasize that Hezekiah was brave because he knew God was with him! God is with us, so we can be brave, too!

## REVIEW *(This is a great opportunity to give out stickers as they answer these questions!)*

⇒ Key Question and Bottom Line

- **Who can help you be brave?**
- **God can help me be brave!**

⇒ Memory Verse

- **Be strong and courageous! Do not be afraid...for the LORD your God goes with you.” Deuteronomy 31:6**

⇒ Basic Truth

- **God loves me**

⇒ Connect it!

- **“Today we heard a true story about King Hezekiah. Even when things were really scary, he wasn’t afraid because he knew God was with him! What is something that makes you feel scared? We are going to write them down here and then thank God for helping us to be brave.**

## PRAY

*“Dear God, thank You for Hezekiah’s story. He knew you were the one true God and trusted you to take care of him. God, we know that you can help us be brave even when we feel scared of (read the list the children made). Thank you for loving us and for taking care of us and for helping us to be brave, God. We love You. In Jesus’ name, amen.”*