



WEEK TWO – AUGUST 2025 – TODDLERS

Bible Story: *Creation | Genesis 1:3-2:3*

Key Question: *Who made everything?*

Bottom Line: *God made everything*

Memory Verse: *“God saw everything he had made. And it was very good.
(Genesis 1:31, NIrV)*

Basic Truth: *God made me.*

Series Overview: This month, we are taking our preschoolers on an exciting journey to the moon and back as we teach them that God made everything. We want our preschoolers to know that this beautiful world they live in was created by our loving, creative, and powerful God. All God had to do was say it, and it was! Wow! So, what did God do after He made everything? *“God saw everything he had made. And it was very good.” (Genesis 1:31 NIrV)* Then, God rested. And that is what we hope to do this month with our preschoolers. Look at everything God made. See that it is very good. And then rest in knowing that our God is powerful and creative and beautiful, and He loves us to the moon and back.

LARGE GROUP

STORY TIME

Gather children at the tables to tell the story. Some children (especially the younger ones) may wander. That's okay. They're still listening and learning!

What You Need: “Story Pictures” Activity Pages; Yellow + Dark colored construction paper

What You Say:

“Hello, friends! I’m so glad to see you today. Come join me on the floor. Today’s true story from the Bible (*hold up the Bible*) begins when there was nothing. (*Hold up the dark paper.*) No people, no animals, no land, no ocean, no sun . . . but God was there. Then He made the heavens and the whole, wide world!

“Day 1, God said, ‘*Let there be light!*’ (*Genesis 1:3, NIV*). And there was light. (*Hold up the yellow paper.*) God called the light ‘day,’ and the dark, ‘night.’ (*Hold up both the dark and the yellow paper.*)

“Day 2, God put some water way down low and the sky way up high. (*Hold up the picture of the sky and water.*)

“Day 3, God made all the land, seas, and plants with fruits and vegetables for us to eat. (*Hold up the picture of land, plants, and seas.*)

“Day 4, God made the sun to light the day, and the moon and stars to light the night. (*Hold up the picture of the sun, moon, and stars.*) But God wasn’t finished yet!

“Day 5, God made all the sea animals and birds that fly in the sky. (*Hold up the picture of sea animals and birds.*)

“Then on Day 6, God made the land animals and God’s most special creation of all—people! *(Hold up the picture of the land animals and people.)* God looked at all He had made and saw that it was very good! *(Give two thumbs-up.)*

“On Day 7, God rested. *(Hold up the picture of the stop sign.)* **[Bottom Line] God made everything.** And it was very good.”

SMALL GROUP

ACTIVITY TIME

What You Need: N/A

What You Do:

- Spread out in your activity area.
- Encourage children to play everybody charades – everyone does the same movement to be the land, plants, and sea and guess what you are.
- Review the Bottom Line.

What You Say:

- *“Hello, hello! It’s wonderful to see you today! Come stand with me and spread out. We’re going to move our bodies in different ways to help us review today’s true story from the Bible.”*
- *“Everyone copy my movement, then we’ll guess what we are. Ready? (Pause.) Great! For our first movement, lay flat on the ground. (Pause.) Trees and grass grow here. Any guesses? (Give hints as needed.) That’s right! We are being the land! God made the land! Alright, are you ready for our next movement? Stand up tall then reach to the ground with your hands. (Pause.) We’re really tall. Some of these have trees on them and others are just big rocks. Any guesses? (Give hints as needed.) You got it! We’re being mountains! God made the mountains! God made LAND! God made the dirt,*

*sand, and rocks. God made tall mountains and sandy beaches. **[Bottom Line] God made everything!** Now get really tall and stretch your arms out wide. (Pause.) Any guesses? (Give hints as needed.) We're a tree! God made all the trees! Here's another! Put your hands above your head in a circle and if you can, put one foot up and rest it on your other leg. (Pause.) Any guesses? (Give hints as needed.) We're being a beautiful flower! God made all the flowers! God made PLANTS! God made the trees and grasses and flowers. God made plants that grow food for animals and people to eat. God even made plants that grow in the water! **[Bottom Line] God made everything.** Now wiggle your body up and down and side to side. (Pause.) Any guesses? (Give hints as needed.) We're being the seas! God made the seas! Seas are the water God made into oceans, lakes, ponds, and rivers. God made all the water. **[Bottom Line] God made everything!** That was so fun! You did a great job!"*

- *"In our Bible Story we learned that on day three, God made the land (stand up tall then reach to the ground with your hands), plants (put your hands above your head in a circle and put one foot up and rest it on your other leg), and seas (wiggle your body)! Wow! **[Bottom Line] God made everything! Who made everything? [Bottom Line] God made everything!**"*