



## WEEK 1 - August 2020 - PRESCHOOL

**Today's Bible Story:** I am wonderfully made in God's image.

Wonderfully Made In God's Image • *Genesis 1:26; Psalm 46:1; Proverbs 2:6*

**Memory Verse:** "I am fearfully and wonderfully made." Psalm 139:14, NIV

**Key Question:** Who made you?

**Bottom Line:** God made me.

**Basic Truth:** God made me.

### **Make it True**

*Captivate kids with a bible story and help them understand how it connects to their world.*

-Large group time

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## Large group - MAKE IT TRUE

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### LARGE GROUP SCRIPT:

CG: Bible Story Intro Video

### Bible Story

**What You Need:** Bible, Optional: Story Images

**STORYTELLER:** “Hello, friends! I’m [your name], and I’m here to tell you a true story from the Bible.

*Hold up the Bible and lay it open on the table in the center of the storytelling area.*

“It’s one of my favorite Bible stories EVER! It’s about who made ALL people. Who do you think it is? *(Pause for response.)*

“You’re right, God! God made ALL people.

“And it gets even better. Are you ready for this? *(Pause.)* God made all people in His likeness. That means He made us to be like Him! Isn’t that the coolest thing you ever heard? I think so!

“And no two people are the same. God even makes twins, who look like each other, different in their own special way.

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“When we look around at ALL the people God made, we see that some people are . . .

*Walk to a girl in the audience and point to her.*

“Girls! And some are . . .

*Walk to a boy in the audience and point to him.*

“Boys! Some people have . . .

*Walks to a person in the audience who has red hair and point to them.*

“Red hair! And others have . . .

*Quickly point to people in the audience who have black, brown, and blond hair.*

“Black, brown, or blond hair!

*Walk back to the center of the storytelling area then hold up your hands and wiggle your fingers.*

“God made people with fingers. Wiggle your fingers like this.

*Pick up each foot and shake it a little.*

“God made people with feet. Let me see your feet!

*Point to your eyes, mouth, and teeth.*

“God made people with eyes, a mouth, and teeth. Point to your eyes . . . now your mouth . . . now show me those teeth.

*Point to your head with both hands.*

“God even gave us a brain to think!

*Tap your head with one finger.*

“Hmm . . . speaking of our brains. God gave us very special brains which help us learn so many new things!

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“We can learn how to talk and sing, tie our shoes and ride a bike, read books and put puzzles together. In fact, we are learning right now! We are learning how God made ALL people!

“We are smart thinkers, because God made us to be smart thinkers like Him!

*Get really excited about an idea.*

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“Oh! Oh! Oh! And another of my favorite things about how God made us is that He made us to be CREATIVE! Raise your hand if you love music.

*Look around with your hand raised.*

“Me, too! Raise your hand if you love to dance.

*Look around while you dance with your hand raised.*

“Me, too! Raise your hand if you love to draw and paint.

*Look around with your hand raised.*

“Me, too! Raise your hand if you love to build things with blocks.

*Look around with your hand raised.*

“Me, too! Okay, last one.

*(Talk slowly and dramatically.)* “Raise your hand . . . if you love to dress up . . . and pretend to be different people or animals and act out stories!

*Look around with your hand raised.*

“ME, TOO!

“We are creative, because God made us to be creative like Him.

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“But wait, there’s more! Another wonderful thing God made about people is that He made us to help others. That’s right! God made people to be helpers.

“We can help others by making them a get-well card, helping them clean up, or saying kind words to make them smile.

“Wow! I think it’s super incredible that God made people with amazing bodies to learn, be creative, and help others!

“You should feel pretty wonderful, right now, because YOU are wonderfully made by God. And because God made you, every time I ask, ‘**Who made you?**’, I want you to say, **[Bottom Line] ‘God made me!’** Ready? **Who made you?**”

**CHILDREN and STORYTELLER: [Bottom Line] “God made me!”**

**STORYTELLER: “Louder! Who made you?”**

**CHILDREN and STORYTELLER: [Bottom Line] “God made me!”**

**STORYTELLER: “Yes, He did!**

“Okay friends, it’s time to pray. Let’s close our eyes and talk to God together.”

## **PRAYER**

**STORYTELLER:** “Dear God, thank You for a place where we can learn that You made all people. Thank You for making us to learn and think like You. Thank You for making us to be creative like You. And thank You for making us to help others like You. Help us see Your wonderful creations every time we look in the mirror or at another person. We love You, God. In Jesus’ name, amen.

“Thank you for being so, so wonderful! I’ll see you next time. Bye!”

*The Storyteller exits with the Bible.*

*CG: Bible Story Wrap-Up Video*

## **Worship: Inviting People to Respond to God**

*Engage kids’ hearts through dynamic and interactive worship in a Large Group setting.*

**WORSHIP LEADER:** “Hello, everyone! It’s time to worship God, because He is AWESOME! He made everything, and He loves us. God made you, and **[Bottom Line] God made me.** When I say, ‘**Who made you?**’, you say, **[Bottom Line] ‘God made me.’ Who made you?**”

**CHILDREN and WORSHIP LEADER:** **[Bottom Line] “God made me!”**

**WORSHIP LEADER:** “That’s right. Let’s clap those hands, stomp those feet, and lift those voices God made as we sing together.

*Lead children in singing “I Love The Way,” this month’s worship song.*

“Beautiful! You know, everything about the way God made you is amazing! I’m so glad to know that **[Bottom Line] God made me.** Our memory verse from the Bible says, ‘I am (*point thumbs to chest*) fearfully (*right arm muscle*) and wonderfully (*left arm muscle*) made,’ (*clap hands together*) Psalm 139:14 (NIV). (*Hold hands open like a book.*) Can you say it with me?”

*Say the verse and do the motions together several times.*

“Way to go! God made you, and **[Bottom Line] God made me,** fearfully and wonderfully! Sing this with me.

*Lead children in singing “Jesus Loves Me Remix.”*

“Who made you from the top of your head to the tip of your toes? (*Pause.*) That’s right. **[Bottom Line] God made me. Who made you?**”

**CHILDREN and WORSHIP LEADER: *[Bottom Line]* “God made me.”**

*Dismiss children to small groups.*