



## WEEK 4- May 2021 - TWO'S

**Today's Bible Story:** I can tell others about God's way.

Josiah (Young King) • 2 Chronicles 34

**Memory Verse:** "God's way is perfect." 2 Samuel 22:31, NIV

**Key Question:** Whose way is perfect?

**Bottom Line:** God's way is perfect.

**Basic Truth:** God made me.

### Make it Fun

*Activities to help kids transition into the classroom and set up the bible story*

-Follow the leader

### Make it True

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

-Large group time

### Make it Stick

*Activities and crafts that help kids personalize the story and apply the truths to their life.*

-Sticker verse  
-Bubbles  
-Young Kings Crown

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## First 15 min - MAKE IT FUN

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### 1. Follow the Leader

*Made to Move: An activity that uses a preschooler's natural desire to move to help them learn*

**What You Need:** Crown or large glow stick

#### What You Do:

*Before the Activity:* Have the children line up in a single file line behind you. Hold the crown or place it on your head.

*During the Activity:* Ask the children to follow you as the leader. Lead the children around the room.

#### What You Say:

*Before the Activity:* "Follow me! I am your leader! Go where I go!"

*During the Activity:* "Follow me! Great job! Keep following! (*Continue the activity.*) Let's see how far we can go! Follow the leader!"

*After the Activity:* "You are all awesome! You did a great job following the leader. I am wearing a crown because today in our Bible story we are going to hear about a King who was a leader and he was only a CHILD like you!"

**Transition:** Move to Worship and Story by following the leader to the story area.

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## Large group - MAKE IT TRUE (*snack*)

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**What You Need:** You need a music player and this month's worship song, "Perfect."

**LEADER:** "Guess what time it is, friends? (*Pause.*) It's worship time! It's time to sing, dance, and tell God how much we love Him, because **[Bottom Line] God's way is perfect!**"

"We've been learning a new song this month! It's all about our amazing, wonderful, perfect heavenly Father. So, stand up and sing this with me.

*Lead children in singing "Perfect," this month's worship song.*

"Every single day, in every single way, **[Bottom Line] God's way is perfect.** I can go God's way because **[Basic Truth] God made me. Whose way is perfect?"**

**CHILDREN and LEADER:** **[Bottom Line] "God's way is perfect."**

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## Last 20 min- MAKE IT STICK

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### 1. Sticker Verse

#### Hear from God | Memory Verse Review

*Made to Move: An activity that uses a preschooler's natural desire to move to help them learn*

**What You Need:** Jewel stickers

#### What You Do:

*Before the Activity:* Have the children stand in front of you.

*During the Activity:* Challenge the children to say the memory verse as many times as they can. For each time they say the verse, give them a sticker to place on their shirt. Challenge the children to collect as many stickers as they can.

#### What You Say:

*Before the Activity:* "I have stickers that look like jewels on a king's crown! (*Hold up.*) Let's see how many of these stickers we can get!"

*During the Activity:* "Say our memory verse, and you may have a sticker to wear on your shirt. Let's all say the memory verse and see how many stickers we can get!" (*Do activity.*)

*After the Activity:* "Our memory verse tells us that we should all go God's way! **Whose way is perfect? [Bottom Line] God's way is perfect!**"

### 2. Bubbles

#### Live for God | Application Activity

*Made to Move: An activity that uses a preschooler's natural desire to move to help them learn*

**What You Need:** Bubble solution and a large bubble wand or machine

*NOTE: We recommend that you only use a hand operated wand or bubble machine to prevent blowing bubbles with your mouth during the Covid-19 pandemic.*

#### What You Do:

*Before the Activity:* Have the children sit in front of you.

*During the Activity:* Blow the bubbles toward the children. Encourage the children to follow the bubbles wherever they go. Repeat several times.

#### What You Say:

*Before the Activity:* "I am so excited to play with bubbles!"

*During the Activity:* “When I blow the bubbles, you may follow them. Watch super carefully to see where they go and follow them. Are you ready? *(Do activity.)* Great job!”

*After the Activity:* “Great job of following the bubbles! We can follow God wherever He leads us! **[Bottom Line] God’s way is perfect! Whose way is perfect? [Bottom Line] God’s way is perfect!**”

### 3. Young King Crown

#### Live for God | Application Activity

*Made to Create:* An activity that allows preschoolers to review the Bible story, Bottom Line, or memory verse by creating a craft

**What You Need:** “Young King Crown Label” and “Hearts” Activity Pages, Avery® #5294 labels or equivalent, colored cardstock, scissors, glue sticks, sentence strips, stapler, clear tape, and permanent marker

#### What You Do:

*Before the Activity:* Copy “Young King Crown Label” on label paper, one per child. Copy “Hearts” Activity Page on colored cardstock and cut out, three per child. Write child’s name on their sentence strip.

*During the Activity:* Encourage children to glue the hearts on their sentence strips and put the label on the middle heart. Measure the sentence strip around the child’s head and staple to make a headband. Place a piece of tape over the bend of the staple. Have children wear their crowns.

*After the Activity:* Review the Bible story.

#### What You Say:

*Before the Activity:* “Today, we heard a story of a king who was a young boy. What does a king wear on his head? *(Pause.)* A crown! Let’s make our very own crown to wear.”

*During the Activity:* “Glue the hearts to your strip of paper. *(Pause.)* Good job. Now add the circle sticker to the heart in the middle. *(Pause.)* Now to make it into a crown! *(Hold the strip up around the child’s head to measure then staple it together.)* Now you have a crown to wear.”

*After the Activity:* “King Josiah wanted to show people how to go God’s way because God’s way is perfect. God loves us and knows what’s best for us. Even when King Josiah was a child, he told others about God’s way. We can tell others about God’s way, too! No matter if you are young or old, you can go God’s way and tell others because God’s way is perfect. **Whose way is perfect? [Bottom Line] God’s way is perfect.**”