

# Kidz Corner

Welcome to Kidz Corner! We encourage you to use these resources to involve your children with worship today.

**Here are some things that you can do with children of all ages:**

Our lesson for today is all about how **HOPE!**

Have your children watch the children's message at this link:

[Children's Message](#)

Listen and sing along to [This is the Day](#)

Help your child learn our verse for today: **Psalm 118:24**

***"This is the day the Lord has made; let's rejoice and be glad in it."***

"Joy comes from our belief that, no matter what is happening, God is shaping us more completely into the image of Jesus Christ." With this in mind, ask your children what have been some of the tough things that your family is currently going through and how it will grow you closer to Jesus. Then spend some time praying.


**Other ways you can keep your child engaged with today's lesson:**

- Let's Chat: What are some things you are struggling with that you hope will just go away? Why is it easier to hope the struggles disappear than to grow through them? How can we make the most of each day God's given us, even during times of struggle?
- As a family, sit quietly together for a moment and think about all the blessings God has given you each and every day. Set aside a time this whole week to focus on all the everyday reasons to rejoice. On a piece of paper write Psalms 118:24 at the top. Then have your child draw an everyday blessing that God has given them that they can "rejoice and be glad" about.
- Psalm 118:24 Coloring pages
- Psalm 118:24 Fun pages
- Ecclesiastes 3:1 Fun pages


We know that life is hard, and if we are going to point our kids to the HOPE in Jesus, so they learn to trust Him, we need to prepare them for the reality that there will be struggles. It's hard to understand the painful circumstances in our own lives, but to watch our kids suffer heartache, is one of the hardest jobs as a parent. We want to take them out of it. If we do not use these times when they are young, it will be much harder for them to trust Jesus and put their hope in Him when they face the broken world later in life. Let us learn to rejoice in each day, regardless of our circumstances!

**Today's Prayer Time:** Father- I thank you for this day and for the opportunity to grow closer to you. I ask you to give me the strength to face each day with joy and hope in my heart regardless of what the day brings. Please help me to know you are in each day and that you have never left my side, and you never will. Help me to keep my eyes fixed on Jesus. Amen





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the day  
that the  
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made.

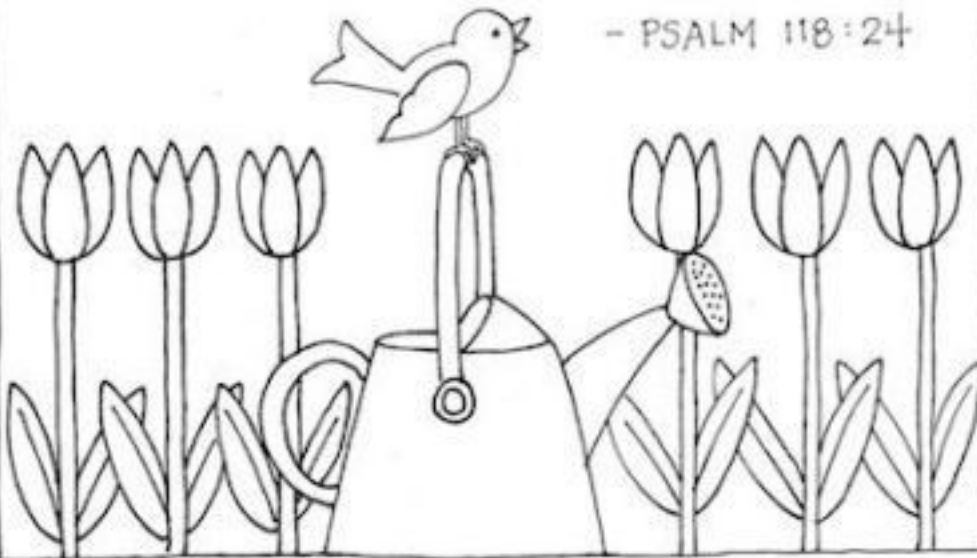


-PSALM 118:24



This is the day  
that the Lord  
hath made, we will  
**REJOICE**  
and be glad in it.

- PSALM 118:24



*List the reasons you can REJOICE!*

# Give Thanks to the Lord

Give thanks to the Lord for He is good.

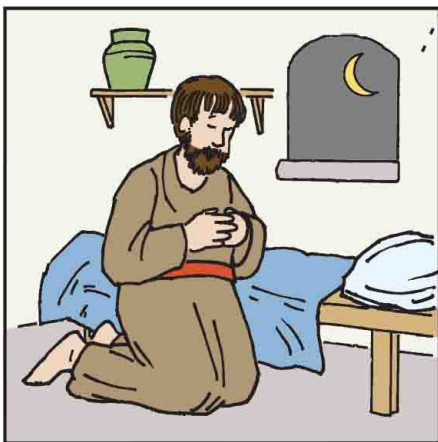
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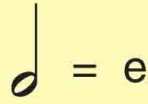
This is the day that the Lord has made.  
Let us be glad.

Match the pictures.







# The Lord is my strength and my song.

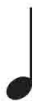


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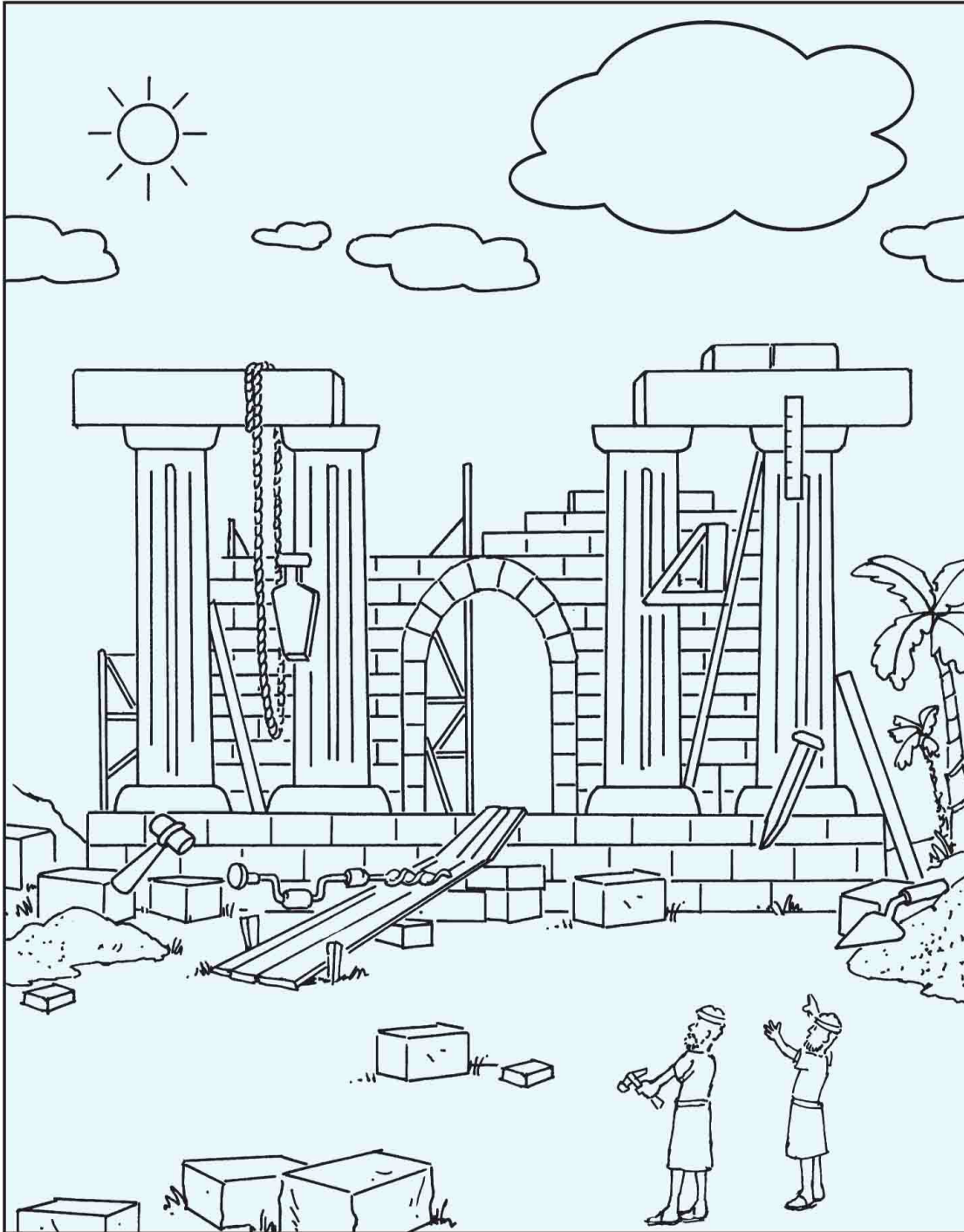
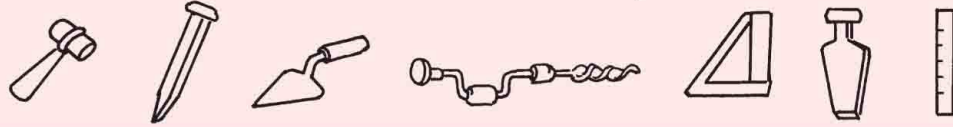
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The psalm tells of  
a special stone.

Find the hidden objects.



## A Time for Everything

There is a time for everything.  
There is a time for planting and a time to uproot.

Circle 6 differences in the second picture.



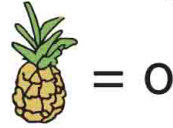
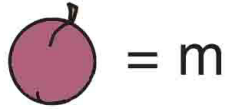
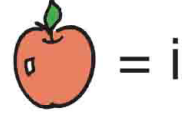
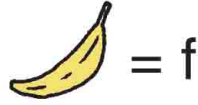
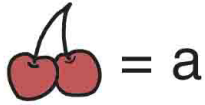
Ecclesiastes FUN pages!

Read Ecclesiastes 3:1-13

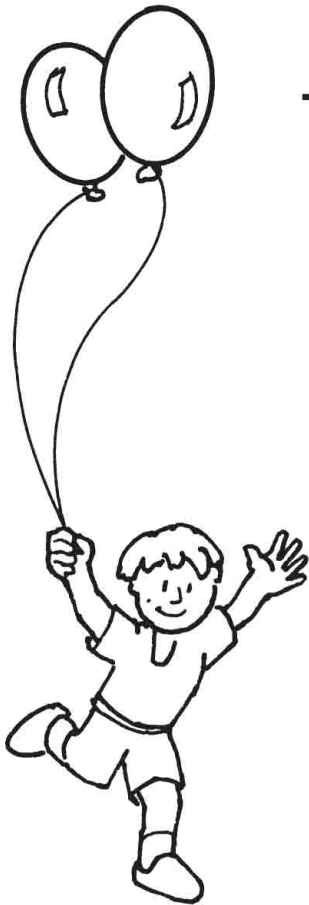


God gives us life.

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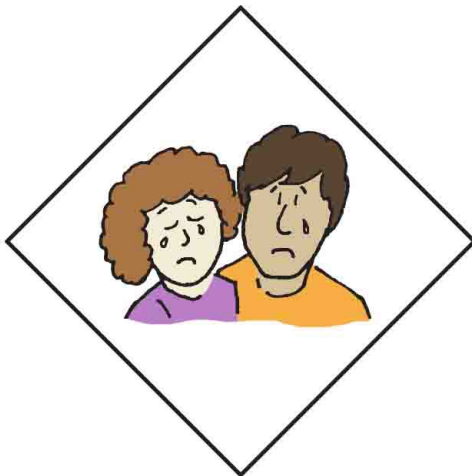
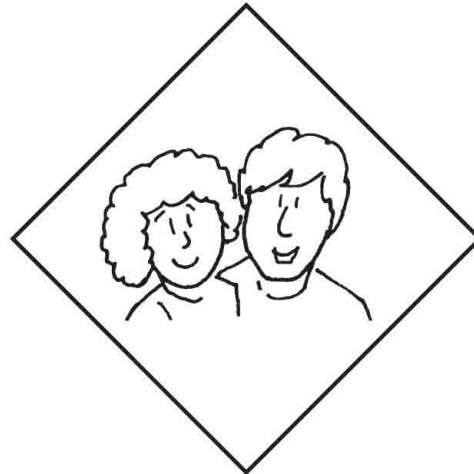
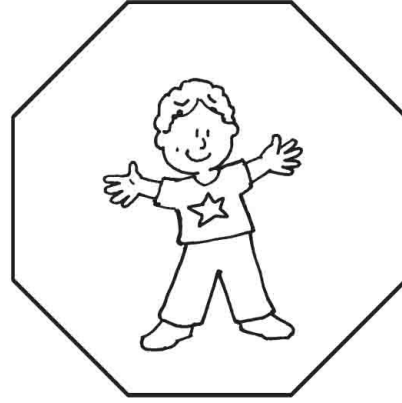


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There is a time to weep  
and a time to laugh, a time to mourn  
and a time to dance.

Match the opposites.



It is good to be happy  
and do good things.

Finish the picture. Complete the dashed lines.  
Draw smiles 😊 on the faces of the people.

