

July Nursery Newsletter

IN OUR NURSERY

At West Lawn UMC, we believe it is never too early for children to hear about God's great love for them. Each week in the nursery, we share a brief Bible story, song, and prayer to help lay the foundation for a lifetime of believing, belonging, and becoming more like Jesus. Each month, we focus on a single Bible story or faith concept, giving our youngest children time to become familiar with God's Word through repetition, rhythm, and loving care. It is an honor and a privilege to be part of your child's faith formation, and we are grateful to partner with your family during these earliest steps of faith.

MONTHLY THEME

ALL MONTH, WE WILL BE LEARNING ABOUT BABY MOSES AND HOW GOD HELPS FAMILIES LOVE, CARE FOR, AND PROTECT ONE ANOTHER.



MONTHLY SONG

BABY MOSES

To the tune of 'Are You Sleeping'

Baby Moses, baby Moses,
Where are you? Where are you?
In a little basket, floating in the river.
Here I am! Here I am!



FINGERPLAY

BABY MOSES WENT FOR A FLOAT

(move hands up and down like waves)

IN HIS LITTLE BASKET BOAT

(cup hands together)

DOWN THE RIVER, THROUGH THE GRASS

(pretend to push aside tall grass)

SISTER MIRIAM WATCHED HIM PASS

(shade eyes with hand)

THEN THE PRINCESS HEARD HIM CRY

(cup hand behind ears)

AND SAID, "WHAT IS THAT, I SPY?"

(point out in front of you)

IT LOOKS LIKE A BABY BOY.

(pretend to hold a baby)

HE WILL BE MY PRIDE AND HOY!

(clasp hands together and smile)

MIRIAM KNEW JUST WHAT TO DO.

(point to head)

SHE SAID, "I'LL FIND SOME HELP FOR YOU."

(nod head)

SO, MIRIAM BROUGHT HER MOTHER 'ROUND

(beckon, as if calling someone to come to you)

AND BABY MOSES WAS SAFFE AND SOUND!

(pretend to hold and rock a baby)

@ HOME ACTIVITIES

Decorate an empty water bottle with a Crayola Window Markers or similar to look like baby Moses in his basket. Then play float and rescue in the bathtub.



SCAN ME



PRAYER

Dear God, thank you for sending Miriam to protect baby Moses and keep him safe. Thank you for helping families protect one another. Thank you for protecting me and giving me my family. Amen.