

July week 1 Curriculum



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BIBLE STORY:

what is God's kingdom? The stories of the mustard seed and the yeast -Matthew 13:31-34



BOTTOM LINE:

Jesus shows us God's kingdom



MEMORY VERSE:

"May your kingdom come, May what you want to happen be done on earth as it is done in heaven" - Matthew 6:10



CRAFT: Making God's kingdom grow

WHAT YOU SAY:

"As you work on your 'Making God's Kingdom Grow' craft, we are going to think about a story that Jesus told. It's called a parable. Jesus loved to tell stories to help us learn!

Today, we heard two short parables about God's kingdom. One was about flour and yeast (which is what we use to make bread) and the other was about tiny mustard seeds. Even though a mustard seed is tiny, it grows into a really big tree. That is what God's kingdom is like; it starts out very small, but it grows bigger and bigger every time people choose to follow Him and do what is right, like helping others, being kind, and serving.

Just like the plant in our craft, the Kingdom of God started as a tiny seed. It grows more and more as we follow Him. The leaves on your craft represent all the good things we can do to help the kingdom grow. Every time you do something kind, remember that you are helping God's kingdom grow and making Him very happy!"

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**What you
need:**



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**Stick the smiley
face stickers as it
shows in the
picture**

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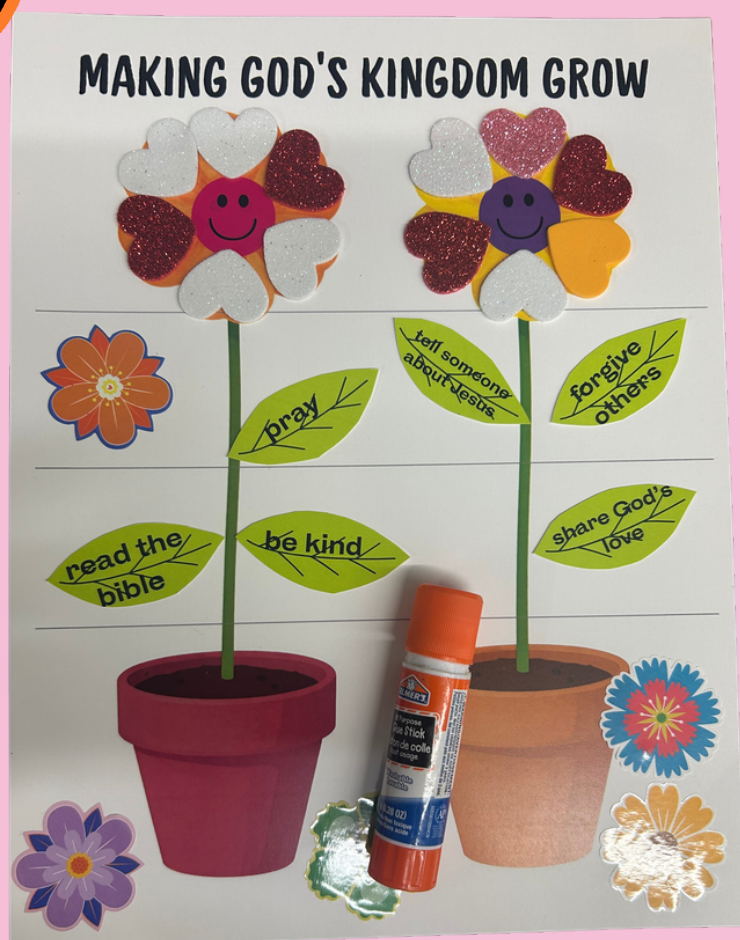
**Stick the heart
stickers as petals**

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**Stick the flower
stickers around
the flower pots**

5



Glue the leaves
to the flower
stem

6



Crumble and glue the
brown tissue paper to
the soil in the flower
pot

7



Fold the paper
along the marked
lines

8

All done! now your small
flowers are growing

