

**LE1 & 2 WEEKLY FOCUS:**

Bible Story: Jesus rides into Jerusalem on Palm Sunday

Key Point: Jesus is the Best!

Bottom Line: Jesus loves you and me!

Memory Verse: We can trust God. He does what is right! 1 John 1:9

Learning Objectives: After this week, the children will demonstrate an understanding of the story and some will be able to retell or reenact it.

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Number: 4 (legs)

Colour: Green (palm leaf)

Letter: 'Dd' for Donkey

**SATURDAY**

**28.03.20**

Morning Moments: when you wake your child up in the morning say to them 'Good morning I can see someone I love very much'. Ask; 'Who else loves you? That's right Jesus!'

LE1 & 2 - Scripture Reference: *John 12:12-16 Easy-to-Read Version (ERV)*

**Jesus Enters Jerusalem Like a King**

*The next day the people in Jerusalem heard that Jesus was coming there. These were the crowds of people who had come to the Passover festival. They took branches of palm trees and went out to meet Jesus. They shouted, "Praise Him! 'Welcome! God bless the one who comes in the name of the Lord! God bless the King of Bethlehem"*

*Jesus found a donkey and rode on it, as the Scriptures say, "Do not be afraid, people of Zion! Look! Your king is coming. He is riding on a young donkey."*

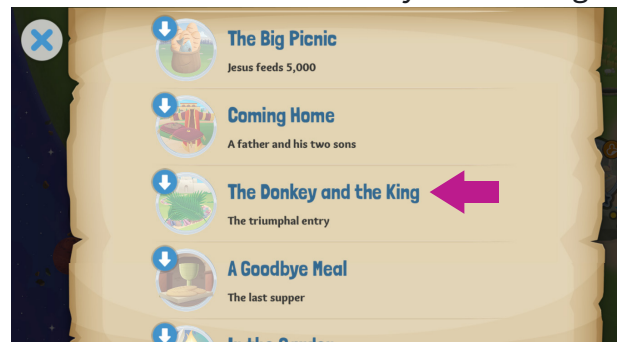
*The followers of Jesus did not understand at that time what was happening. But after he was raised to glory, they understood that this was written about him. Then they remembered that they had done these things for him.*

Alternative: download the Bible App for Kids | <https://www.bible.com/kids>

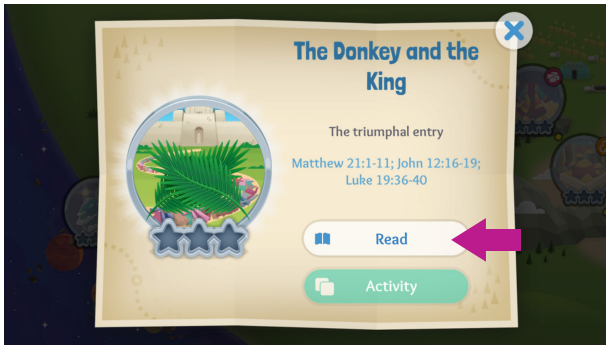
1. click on the menu (top left of screen)



2. scroll and select 'The Donkey and the King'



3. your child will be able to click and listen to the story unaided



4. your child will be asked a question that they will be able to do independently



5. your child will be able to click on the game and reach the level independently



## SONG TIME TOGETHER

Good morning time | <https://youtu.be/c74B3Lz6afA>

Everybody Praise Him! | <https://youtu.be/zTxKEQImMjw>

Good, Good Father | <https://youtu.be/BH0y2HfZpy0>

No matter what God Loves Me | <https://youtu.be/enWUPTH3wBs>

LE1 - Additional links:

Days of Creation Number Train | <https://youtu.be/Nv2y25HBniw>

Mixed-Up Chameleon by Eric Carle to reinforce colours | <https://youtu.be/FrmZeXf7ScU>

Sounds | <https://youtu.be/j6UXofes5xg>

Shapes group 1: Circle, diamond, square, heart | <https://youtu.be/TJhfl5vdxp4>

Goodbye song | <https://youtu.be/B86DTjW5b8M>



## MEMORY VERSE

[https://youtu.be/UCTur\\_kJbQA](https://youtu.be/UCTur_kJbQA) (your child/children will copy your actions)

We (Point with both thumbs towards yourself)

Can trust God (Cross your hands over each under your neck)

He does (Point two index fingers to the sky)

What is right (Show two thumbs up)

1 John 1:19 (Put your hands together and cup your hands open)

LE2 parents for fun, say the Memory Verse with your child at a fast pace while jogging on the spot.

## THROUGHOUT THE WEEK

### Sunday

Video Time: Crowds of people welcomed Jesus as he arrived for the Festival.

<https://youtu.be/ITmbTuutBgg>

### Monday

Art Time:

Cursive letter options 'Dd' worksheets.

Number 4 worksheets.

Colouring page - Jesus riding on a donkey.

### Tuesday

Play Time: Ask your child to choose four favourite toys and recreate the story of Jesus riding on a donkey through the crowds of people.

For older children ask them to retell the Bible story they have heard.

### Wednesday

Messy Time: Using a shallow tray add some shaving cream. Early writing - using your finger write out the number '4' and ask them to copy. Repeat with the capital letter 'D' and lowercase 'd'.

For older children ask them to write words starting with the letter 'D'.

### Thursday

Bath Time: Children love bubbles, using a whisk let them create lots of them in the bath.

For younger children add some small bath toys and ask your child to find four toys, say 'well done' when they have found them, or if not say 'good try let's try one more time'. Point to the toys and count them out together.

### Friday

Drive Time: As you drive in the car talk with your child(ren) about the people that Jesus loves! Does Jesus love that lady with the green sweater on? That's correct yes, He does. Etc. Repeat.

For older children ask them to count how many people they see wearing green.



## TO USE ANYTIME DURING THE WEEK

### *Song*

Jesus Loves Me  
Jesus Love me! This I know,  
For the Bible tells me so,  
Little ones to Him belong.  
They are weak but He is strong.  
Yes, Jesus loves me!  
Yes, Jesus loves me!  
Yes, Jesus loves me!  
The Bible tells me so.

### *ABC Song - sing to the tune of the ABC song*

A-B-C-D-E-F-G,  
Jesus died for you and me  
H-I-J-K-L-M-N,  
Jesus died for sinful men, AMEN!  
O-P-Q-R-S-T-U,  
I believe God's word is true,  
V-W,  
God has promised you  
X-Y-Z,  
A home eternally.

### **QUESTION TIME:**

Who were the crowd of people waiting for?  
What was the name of the festival that the people had come to?  
What branches did people take from?  
What animal did Jesus ride on?

*Jesus*  
*Passover Festival*  
*Palm Trees*  
*Donkey*

### **CUDDLE AND PRAYER TIME:**

(Ask your child to repeat one line at a time after you).  
Dear God, Thank You!  
Thank You!  
We Thank You for sending Jesus to be our friend forever!  
Thank You that He loves me!  
He is the Best!  
Amen!

