

Sunday School at Home - 21st June 2020

Our activity today is based on the theme of trusting in Jesus and not being afraid.

Share with your child that the reason we can trust God is that He has proven His faithfulness. A story that demonstrates this trait well is Daniel and the Lions' Den. It is found in Daniel 6 and you can read it together with your child. The story talks of Daniel who is thrown into the lions' den for refusing to pray to the king and only praying to God. Daniel demonstrates his faithfulness to God by not bowing to the king's commands and continuing to worship what he knew as true. After being thrown in the lions' den, God demonstrated His faithfulness by closing the lions' mouths and keeping Daniel safe.

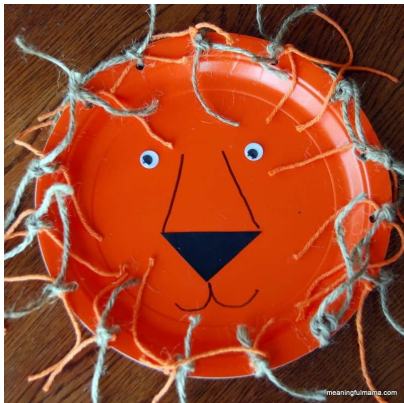
Watch and sing along to the song: [When I am Afraid](#)

Here is an object lesson on fear that you can watch with your child (and maybe try at home!): [Fear Object Lesson](#)

Verse discovery: When I am afraid, I will trust in you. Psalm 56:3

Additional activities

1. Daniel and the Lion's Den Paper Plate Lion with String Hair: After reading the story of Daniel in the lion's den, try making this cute lion. You'll need: A paper plate (preferably orange or you can paint/colour it orange), a hole puncher, yarn or twine, black paper, googly eyes, glue, black marker. Take an orange paper plate and punch holes around the edge. Cut yarn and twine and tie it in the holes. Cut out a black paper triangle for the nose. Draw on the mouth and the rest of the nose. Glue on the eyes.



2. Handprint Lion: You'll need: brown washable paint, yellow, pink, white and blue construction paper, black marker, glue, scissors. Make a ring of handprints with brown paint for a mane. Then cut out some simple shapes from construction paper to make

the rest of the lion's face and glue them on. On the top, write "When I am afraid, I will trust in you." Psalm 56:3



3. Paper Globe Craft: Older kids can try making this paper globe craft with Bible verses to help remind them to look to God and not to fear. [Click here for instructions.](#) [Click here to download the paper globe template.](#)



4. Printables: [Click here for a Daniel in the Lion's Den colouring page.](#) [Click here to download a Daniel in the Lion's Den maze.](#)

Thank you and we hope you have a great week!