

The Attributes of God: Self-Existent

Toddler Lesson January 19, 2020



Vintage Toddlers

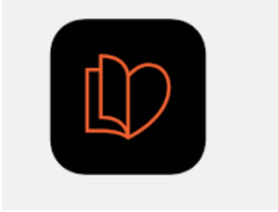
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God is So Creative!

Daniel 4:29-47

Verse to Memorize: Psalm 86:8 There is none like you a, O Lord.

Catechism Question: What is God? God is the creator of everyone and everything.

Session	Activity	Materials Needed
Welcome and Greeting	Greet students and discuss their week. Spend time building relationships.	
Music	<p>Share with students that we will be having music time every week. We will be learning a song that helps us remember and learn our lesson. For the next 8 weeks we will be learning the question What is God? We will be singing a song to help us learn the answer to that question!</p> <p>Using New City Catechism App go to Question 2: What is God? Play Song for Question 2: What is God</p> <p>Lyrics: God is the creator of everyone and everything.</p>	<p>Download APP: New City Catechism</p> 
Memory Verse Game/Activity	Review Memory Verse Psalm 86:8 There is none like you, O Lord. Sing Song that goes along with verse to the tune of "Twinkle Twinkle Little Star"	Memory Verse Song to tune of "Twinkle Twinkle Little Star"
Catechism and Lesson	Review with students that over the next 8 weeks they are going to be learning the answer to the question What is God? Each week we will think about the answer the that	

question: **God is the creator of everyone and everything.** God is the creator of everyone and everything so He has special parts of himself that we do not have. For the next 8 weeks we are going to learn about those parts that make God so special.

Last week we learned about how God never changes!

This week we will be learning a new descriptor of God- that he is So Creative!. (The motion for So creative is clapping your hands together and opening them like a book.) Teach students the motion for So Creative. God is the master creator and doesn't need anything else to create!

Don't take my word for it! Let's learn about how God is so creative (do motion) by reading from His word. We want to hear about how He is so creative!

Open your bible to Daniel 4:29-47 to show students where to find the story of God creating something out of nothing in the story of Daniel and King Nebuchadnezzar. Read the following child friendly version.

There was a king, King Nebuchadnezzar. He was walking on the balcony of the royal palace in Babylon and said, "Look at this, Babylon the great! And I built it **all by myself**, a royal palace adequate to display my honor and glory!"

Pause right here and point the students to take note of what King Nebuchadnezzar said. He says he built the palace all by himself. He was bragging about all he had done, and didn't give God any credit.

	<p>The words were no sooner out of his mouth than a voice out of heaven spoke, "This is the what will happen, King Nebuchadnezzar: Your kingdom is taken from you. You will learn that God is in charge."</p> <p>It happened at once. Nebuchadnezzar was driven out of the kingdom for seven years.</p> <p>"At the end of the seven years, I, Nebuchadnezzar, looked to heaven. I blessed the High God, thanking and glorifying God, who lives forever:</p> <p>d's rule lasts and lasts, his kingdom never falls. God's heavenly army keeps everything going. No one can interrupt his work.</p> <p>A lot happened in that story! Nebuchadnezzar thought he was the creator and he was in charge. But God reminded him that God was So creative! He is the one in charge.</p> <p>Nebuchadnezzar learned that God is the only one who can create something out of nothing and he just allows us to use what he has given us for his glory.</p> <p>Pray and thank God for being the one who gives us what we have. He is So Creative. He helps us make everything we make.</p>	
Activity	<p>Give kids duplos or giant blocks and let them build a castle or tower. Ask them who built the tower? Then ask them who made their creative minds that helped them build the tower!</p> <p>YOU are creative because God made you creative. You are creative because God is so creative. He creates everything!</p>	Large building blocks or duplos
Closing and Pick Up	Allow students to continue working on activities from the day or free play until parents arrive. Give a five minute timer for	

	pickup before the end of service. This is a great time to play the spotify playlist of worship music or catechism song.	
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