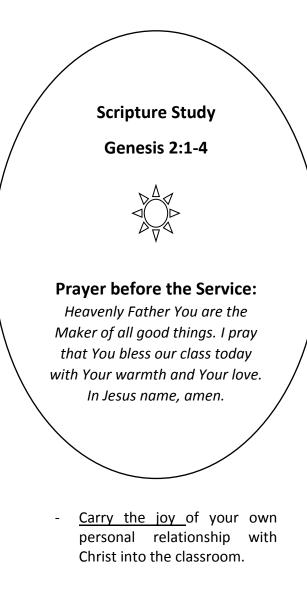
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Lesson: Day 7

Life Point: "God makes all things beautiful"



- Be enthusiastic!
- Keep the group lesson to 15 minutes. You can reinforce the Life Point through play, activities and special one on one time with the child.

Bible Verse Focus

"In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth." Genesis 1:1



Sing to the tune of "Are you Sleeping Brother John?"

Then God rested: Then God rested From His work: From His work. That was on the seventh day: That was on the seventh day All was good: All was good.

Let's sing praises: Let's sing praises To our God: To our God He is everywhere, giving love and care God is good: God is good God is Good.

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Object Lesson

(15 minutes)

Hi children! Can you give a friend a high five? (Wait for children to high five). Would you like to sing a song? Well, my friend here (stuffed animal on lap) loves to sing to Jesus and I do too! Sing with me:

(sing "God Created" two times)

Now we are going to read a story! (From the book *Read Me a Bible Story*, read *God Rests* (page 11)

- Encourage the children to look and touch the pictures on the Creation Board.
- As you are reading to the children be expressive. Encourage them to repeat key phrases after you, such as: God said "That's good!"
- After the story encourage the toddlers to complete the coloring page.
- Think about this: "You may be the only connection a child has with God through the week."
- Your commitment is making a difference in these children's lives.

Teaching Tips

- Share the children's positive interactions with their parents.
- <u>Be creative! Do not be embarrassed to make noises, use strange voices</u> <u>and funny facial expressions.</u> This will help the infants and toddlers make a connection with you and the lesson.
- <u>Lean on your Junior Helpers!</u> They can be of great help by redirecting the children to the lesson while you teach.

Connect with children by carrying through with action words on the text.

This will engage the children and draw them to pay close attention.

-Arrange the children in a circle.

Preparation:

- Days of Creation Board

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Daddy teach me about...

GOD's creation - Day 7 (Genesis 2:1-4)

