

Family Activities and Crafts 20th June 2021

Hello, everyone.

I hope you've had a good week. This week we're looking at the story about Jesus calming the storm. You can find it in Mark 4:35-41. Enjoy using the videos, crafts and prayer ideas to explore the story.

As you colour the attached sheet together, talk about things that make you worried or scared. Jesus is always with us, even when it feels tough or scary. You might like to get your child a holding cross (like these <https://www.pilgrimgifts.co.uk/collections/holding-crosses>) to keep by their bed or in their pocket as a reminder that Jesus is always with them.

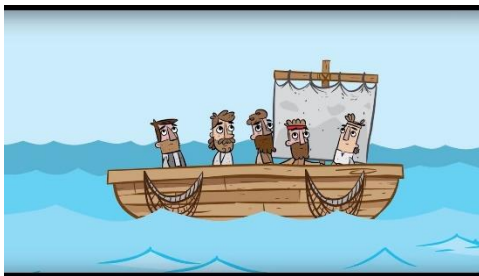
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[Holding Crosses — Pilgrim Gifts](https://www.pilgrimgifts.co.uk/collections/holding-crosses)

Olive Wood & Walnut Holding Crosses. All our Olive Wood Holding Crosses come from the Holy Land. They are made by a small company based in Bethlehem. Each cross has a unique pattern formed by the natural grain of the Olive Tree. The darker wooden holding crosses are also hand carved and made from Walnut wood. Holdi

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<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uYLHqdSO9OY&t=8s>



[Jesus Calms the Storm - YouTube](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uYLHqdSO9OY&t=8s)

This story is based on Mark 4:35-41, Luke 8:22-25, and Matthew 8:23-27

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<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uPSKrI3vTiU>



[LEGO Bible Lesson: Jesus Calms the Storm](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uPSKrI3vTiU)

More fun with LEGOs! This Bible lesson is from Mark 4:35-41 when Jesus and his disciples tried to cross a lake in a boat after teaching to crowds on the shore. It was one more miraculous sign that Jesus did during his ministry on earth. We had a lot of fun making this one with some waterproof film equipment. I'll link the lens and extra camera ...

www.youtube.com

<http://flamecreativekids.blogspot.com/2013/07/jesus-calms-storm-story-bag.html>

[Flame: Creative Children's Ministry: Jesus calms the storm story bag](http://flamecreativekids.blogspot.com/2013/07/jesus-calms-storm-story-bag.html)

We are gradually resourcing the stories that we use with our 3-5s over the course of the year and here is one of our latest story bags: Jesus calms the storm!

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<http://flamecreativekids.blogspot.com/2017/09/chalkboard-story-spoons-for-bible.html>



[Flame: Creative Children's Ministry: Chalkboard story spoons for Bible storytelling](http://flamecreativekids.blogspot.com/2017/09/chalkboard-story-spoons-for-bible.html)

Using wooden spoons painted as story characters is a great way of helping to tell stories to younger children. Unfortunately, it means that you need a lot of spoons if you want to tell lots of different stories!

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<http://flamecreativekids.blogspot.com/2013/07/bubblewrap-worry-prayers.html>

[Flame: Creative Children's Ministry: Bubblewrap Worry Prayers!](http://flamecreativekids.blogspot.com/2013/07/bubblewrap-worry-prayers.html)

This Sunday our 5-11s will be looking at what Jesus teaches about worry in Matthew 6. As part of our teaching, I wanted to emphasize the fact that we have to trust God to take care of our worries and that sometimes that means that we intentionally have to give them to Him and ask him to help us.

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<http://flamecreativekids.blogspot.com/2012/02/god-is-close-to-us-safety-pins.html>

Flame: Creative Children's Ministry: God is close to us safety pins

I am always aware of the Lord's presence; he is near and nothing can shake me. Psalm 16:8 Here's an idea to help emphasise God's closeness to us, wherever we are and whatever we're doing.

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https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nZBhKp5_HwE



Every Step (Official Lyric Video) - Nick & Becky Drake

Every Step (Lyric Video) - NICK & BECKY DRAKE Brand New Single Released Oct 26

2018: <http://itunes.apple.com/album/id1438906209?ls=1\u0026app=itunes> Sheet music available free at: www.worshipforeveryone.com Producer: Jonny Bird // Video: Thirteen Creative. (p)(c) 2018 Worship For Everyone // Admin by Song Solutions ...

www.youtube.com

If you would like structure, try this:

- Read the story in a Bible story book or watch one of the videos together. I wonder why the disciples felt scared?
- As you colour the attached sheet, chat about the things that are scary or which worry us.
- As you listen to Every Step, make a God is Close to Us pin.
- Use the Bubble wrap Worry Prayers idea.
- Finish by saying The Lord's Prayer Together.

