



Collective worship overview

Focus - God's Story, Our Story - Autumn 1 (7 Weeks)

Whole-term focus: We are travelling through the Bible as one big story of God's love for His people. It is also *our story* because we are part of God's people today.

Ribbon timeline in each classroom and possibly the hall. Each week add a symbol (globe, broken heart, star, coat, staff, crown, scroll) to show where we are in God's story.

Week beginning	Theme	Acts of worship	Information/resources etc
Mon 8 th Sept	Creation (Genesis 1-2) God made the world good, and we are part of it. Ribbon Symbol:  Globe	Mon - Intro and singing	The Bible is one big story — God's story, our story. Peg globe. <i>Message:</i> God made the world good. (Genesis 1:1-31) Hymns: All things bright and beautiful, From the tiny ant, Creator God (you tube.)
		Tues -	God made everything and saw it was very good. (Genesis 1:1-31)
		Wed -	People are made in God's image and loved by Him. (Genesis 1:26-27)
		Thurs - Church	God asks His people to care for creation. (Genesis 2:15)
		Fri -	Celebration Collective Worship (include recap of the theme - "We are part of God's good creation.")
Mon 15 th Sept	The Fall (Genesis 3; Psalm 51) People turned away, but God still loves and forgives. Ribbon Symbol:  Broken heart	Mon - Intro and singing	Recap ribbon, peg broken heart. <i>Message:</i> People turn away, but God still loves them. (Genesis 3:1-24) Hymns: Bind us together, Kum by yah, Give thanks with a grateful heart.
		Tues	Adam and Eve choose their own way. (Genesis 3:1-7)
		Wed	God comes looking for His people. (Genesis 3:8-13)
		Thurs - Church	God forgives when we say sorry. (Psalm 51)

		Fri	Celebration Collective Worship (include recap of the theme: "Even when we go wrong, God still loves us.")
Mon 22 nd Sept	Abraham & Sarah (Genesis 12; 15; 18; 21) God makes promises that last. Ribbon Symbol: ★ Star	Mon - intro and singing	Recap ribbon, peg star. <i>Message:</i> God promises to bless His people. (Genesis 12:1-3) Hymns: Autumn days, Harvest Song, Morning has broken.
		Tues	Abraham and Sarah set out in faith. (Genesis 12:1-9)
		Wed -	God keeps His promise with Isaac's birth. (Genesis 21:1-7)
		Thurs - Church	God's promises include us too. (Galatians 3:29)
		Fri	Celebration Collective Worship (include recap of the theme - "God always keeps His promises of love.")
Mon 29 th Sept	Week 4 - Joseph (Genesis 37; 39; 45) Theme: God is with His people in every situation. Ribbon Symbol: 🧥 Coat	Mon - Intro and singing	Recap ribbon, peg coat. <i>Message:</i> God is with His people, even in hard times. (Genesis 37:1-11) Hymns: All things bright and beautiful, Harvest hymns
		Tues -	Joseph's brothers sell him, but God is with him. (Genesis 37:12-28)
		Wed -	People are made in God's image and loved by Him. (Genesis 1:26-27)
		Thurs - Church	HARVEST
		Fri	Celebration Collective Worship (include recap of the theme - "God is with His people in good times and bad.")
Mon 6 th Oct	Week 5 - Moses & the Exodus (Exodus 3-20) Theme: God rescues and guides His people.	Mon - Intro and singing	Recap ribbon, peg staff. <i>Message:</i> God rescues His people in love. (Exodus 3:1-12) Hymns: Abba Father, Our God is a great big God, Make me a channel of your peace
		Tues -	God calls Moses at the burning bush. (Exodus 3:1-12)
		Wed -	God rescues His people through the Red Sea. (Exodus 14:21-29)
		Thurs - Church	God guides His people with His commandments. (Exodus 20:1-17)

	Ribbon Symbol: ✨ Staff	Fri	Celebration Collective Worship (include recap of the theme - "God rescues and guides His people in love.")
Mon 13 th Oct	Kingship (David) (1 Samuel 16-17; 2 Samuel 5) Theme: God looks at the heart. Ribbon Symbol: 👑 Crown	Mon - Intro and singing	Recap ribbon, peg crown. <i>Message:</i> God chooses leaders in surprising ways. (1 Samuel 16:1-13) Hymns: Here I am Lord, We are marching, Jesus' love is very wonderful
		Tues -	God chooses David, the youngest son. (1 Samuel 16:1-13)
		Wed -	God gives David courage to face Goliath. (1 Samuel 17:32-50)
		Thurs - Church	God makes David king and promises a lasting kingdom. (2 Samuel 5:1-4; 7:16)
		Fri	Celebration Collective Worship (include recap of the theme - "God looks at the heart and loves us as we are.")
Mon 20 th Oct	Week 7 - Prophets (1 Kings 19; Isaiah 9; Micah 6) Theme: God speaks through His prophets to call His people back. Ribbon Symbol: 📜 Scroll	Mon - Intro and singing	Recap ribbon, peg scroll. <i>Message:</i> God speaks through prophets to guide His people. (overview) Hymns: Be still for the presence of the Lord, Bind us together, here I am Lord.
		Tues -	Elijah hears God in a gentle whisper. (1 Kings 19:9-13)
		Wed -	Isaiah promises God's light and peace. (Isaiah 9:2-7)
		Thurs - Church	Micah calls God's people to act justly, love mercy, walk humbly. (Micah 6:8)
		Fri	Celebration Collective Worship (include recap of the theme - "We can listen for God's loving voice.")