

Optional Craft Template and Sample: Ages 2-3/4-5 God of Wonders Part 1: Miracles of Jesus Unit 1, Lesson 1

Jesus' First Miracle

Lesson Aim: To remember Jesus did miracles.

THE WORSHIP

Who God is: Jesus as the God of Wonders

THE WORD

Bible Story: John 2:1-11

What He has done: Jesus did miracles so people would believe.

CRAFT: MIRACLE JAR

Purpose: To remind the children the story of Jesus' first miracle.

Supplies: Craft template, sturdy paper (white, tan, gray, or orange), purple tissue paper, glue or glue sticks,

crayons or markers

Prepare: For each child, print and cut out the jar from sturdy paper. Cut several 2-inch squares of tissue

paper.

Give each child a copy of the jar. Let's say our Bible Memory Verse together.

Directions:

- 1. As you are helping children, you may choose to let them color the jar.
- 2. Tear bits of purple tissue paper and roll them into small balls to look like grapes.
- 3. Glue the tissue balls onto the paper jar.

Ages 2-3 Craft Discussion:

- ➤ Where did Jesus do His first miracle? (At a wedding.)
- > Squeezing grapes makes real grape juice. At the wedding, Jesus didn't squeeze grapes to make grape juice; He did a miracle instead. What was Jesus' first miracle? (He changed six giant jars of water into grape juice.)
- > Keep your jar at home where you can see it to remember Jesus' first miracle.

Ages 4-5 Craft Discussion:

- Where did Jesus do His first miracle? (At a wedding.)
- Squeezing grapes makes real grape juice. At the wedding, Jesus didn't squeeze grapes to make grape juice; He did a miracle instead. What was Jesus' first miracle? (He changed six giant jars of water into grape juice.)
- > Keep your jar at home where you can see it to remember Jesus' first miracle.

CRAFT SAMPLE



