



FIND PICTURES OF JESUS

3'S & 4'S

THE CROWD WELCOMES JESUS

—Based on Matthew 21:1-11

- Jesus and His disciples (helpers) were on their way to Jerusalem.
- Jesus sent two of His disciples to the next town. He told them that they would find a young donkey and its mother. He said, “Untie them and bring them to Me.”
- The disciples brought the donkeys to Jesus just as He said. The disciples placed their coats on the young donkey’s back. Jesus sat on the donkey and rode into Jerusalem.
- Along the way, many people saw Jesus. When they saw Him coming, some people spread their coats on the road. Others cut branches from trees and spread them across the road. The people knew Jesus was special. As they walked with Jesus, the people shouted, “Hosanna! Hosanna!”
- Some people asked, “Who is this?” The crowds replied, “This is Jesus from Nazareth.” Many people were happy to see Jesus.
- **Pray. Thank God for sending His Son, Jesus. Thank God that you can learn more about Jesus at church.**

WHAT YOU WILL NEED:

- KIDS ACTIVITY PAGE
- LONG PIECE OF CRAFT PAPER
- MARKER
- CRAYONS
- STICKERS
- TEMPERA PAINTS
- PAINTING SHIRT
- *On a long piece of craft paper, print the word Hosanna. Guide children to wear smocks if using paint.*
- **Guide children to complete the Kids Activity Pages.**
- **Point to the word spelled out on the banner and invite children to say it with you. Remind children that when people welcomed Jesus, they shouted Hosanna!**
- **Invite children to decorate the banner using the provided art supplies. They may want to print other welcome words or draw pictures and designs. Say the Life Point: “God sent Jesus because He loves us.” Open the Bible to 1 John 4:10 and read “God loved us and sent His Son.”**
- **Hang the completed banner in your room and email a picture of it to shannon.porter@rslcs.org**

UNIT VERSE
 God loved us and
 sent His Son.
 —1 JOHN 4:10

What Doesn't Belong?

The people were happy to see Jesus entering Jerusalem!
 Circle the objects that don't belong in this Bible story.



**Match the
 Animals**
 Draw lines to match
 the animal babies to
 their parents. Circle
 the animal that is in
 our Bible story.

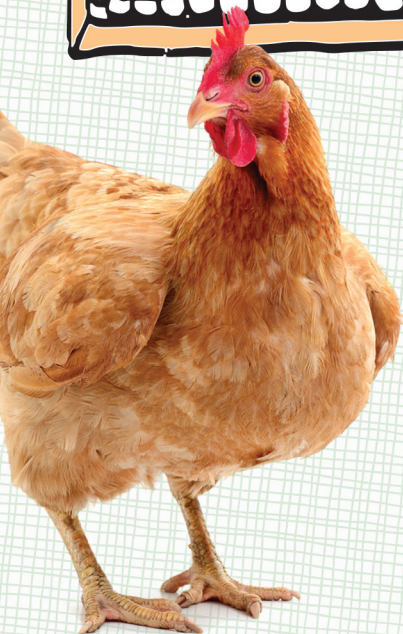
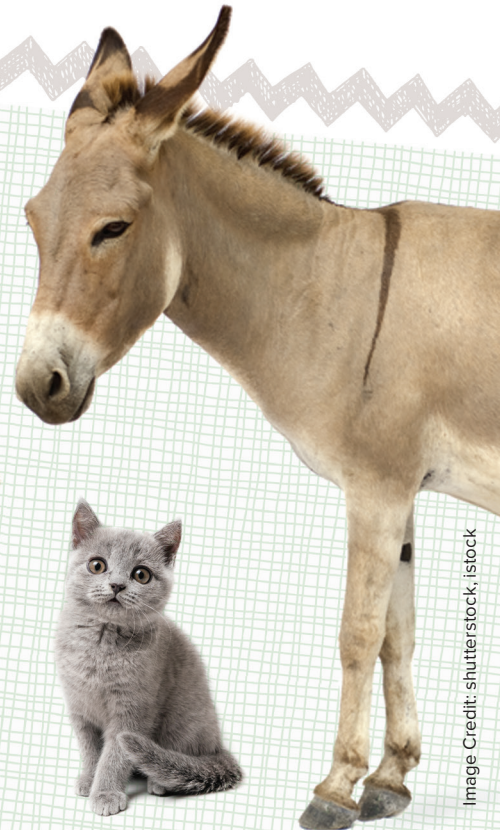


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CONVERSATION

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WEEKLY VERSE: God loved us and sent His Son. *1 John 4:10*

LIFE POINT: God sent Jesus because He loves us.



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THE BIBLE MEETS LIFE

Parents, today your child learned that God sent Jesus because He loves us. When the people saw Jesus riding into Jerusalem on a donkey, they welcomed Him as a king and called Him blessed by God.



LIVE IT OUT

Review the Bible story with your preschooler. Use the tune of “London Bridge” to sing the words to the verse: *God loved us and sent His Son, sent His Son, sent His Son. God loved us and sent His Son. 1 John 4:10.*



LEVEL OF BIBLICAL LEARNING

God sent Jesus because He loves us.



DAILY BIBLE READING

Sunday: John 14:6

Monday: Zechariah 9:9

Tuesday: Isaiah 61:1

Wednesday: Isaiah 11:1

Thursday: Jeremiah 23:5

Friday: Isaiah 53:3

Saturday: Malachi 3:1

TAKE IT FURTHER: Check out *The Crowd Welcomed Jesus* section of the Bible Studies for Life: Kids Family App.

