

PreK

Gospel Project

Studying God's Word Together!

DEVOTIONAL

WISE MEN VISITED JESUS

STORY POINT:

The wise men worshiped Jesus.

CHRIST CONNECTION:

The wise men came to worship Jesus as King. Jesus is the King who will rule forever, just as God promised. Jesus is the true King who is worthy of all our worship.

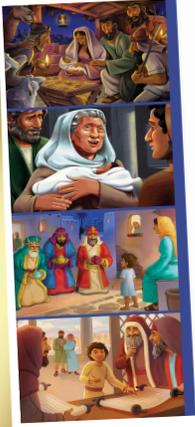


Read: Matthew 2

Bible Story Recap:



- After Jesus was born, wise men came looking for Him. They asked, "Where is the king of the Jews? We want to worship him."
- King Herod told the wise men to find Jesus and to come back and tell him where Jesus was. Herod lied and said he wanted to worship Jesus, but Herod actually wanted to hurt Jesus.
- When the wise men found Jesus, they worshiped Him and gave Him gifts. Then they took a different way home. They did not tell Herod where Jesus was.
- An angel told Joseph to take Mary and Jesus to Egypt where they would be safe. They went away in the middle of the night and stayed in Egypt until King Herod died.



Who is Jesus?

Jesus is the Son of God who came to earth to save us.

Big Question & Answer

Serve:



Work together as a family to make small "blessing bags" for people in need. These could include snacks, hygiene items (like toothbrushes or soap), socks, or encouraging notes. Explain that when we give to others, we're honoring Jesus—just like the wise men did. Encourage kids to decorate gift tags with drawings of stars and write Jesus loves you! or A gift for you because Jesus is our greatest gift!

Name of Child:

Parent Signature:

Make it Fun:



Reenact the journey of the wise men by going on a "treasure hunt" through your home (or backyard), following paper star cutouts that lead to a special surprise representing Jesus. Hide the stars throughout the home, each one leading closer to the treasure. At the final stop, congratulate the kids on finding the "treasure" and read Matthew 2:1–12 together.



For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.

John 3:16

Key Passage

Parents: Please sign and return this devotional for your child to earn a prize from the PreK Treasure Box. You may hand this to Pastor Julie Llewellyn, her assistant Katie Dorsey or hand to their teachers when you drop them off at the classroom. Thank you.