

# Solomon Builds the Temple

## BIBLE VERSE:

“Love God  
with all your  
heart.”

Deuteronomy  
6:5

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## SCHEDULE

Activity

Prayer

Worship

Bible Story

Craft

### ACTIVITY:

Use building blocks or any safe stackable items to allow your child to build a house and church. Talk about the different parts of a house or church. Tell your child that we are going to learn about a wise king that wanted to do his very best to build a great temple/ church for God.



### PRAYER:

It is so important that you pray with your baby/toddler. Pray for your child's salvation. Demonstrate how to pray, folding your hands, bowing your head. Teaching prayer begins during infancy.

Prayer: "Dear God, thank you for always being with us whether we are at church or away from church. Help us worship and celebrate You wherever we are. In Jesus name we pray, Amen."

## WORSHIP:

Sing "Big House".

Click link below to watch and sing along.

→ <https://youtu.be/Ycr2JMK1MGM> ←

While singing with your baby/toddler, rock them back and forth and interact with them. Let them learn that singing songs about the Lord is a wonderful sweet way to learn about God and bond with you.



## BIBLE STORY:

Hold up the Bible, "This is the Bible. We love our Bible. It is the Word of God. The Bible is truth." Hug the Bible to your chest. "Let's pat our Bible." Take the baby/toddler's hand and have them pat the Bible. Read the story with enthusiasm to capture their attention.

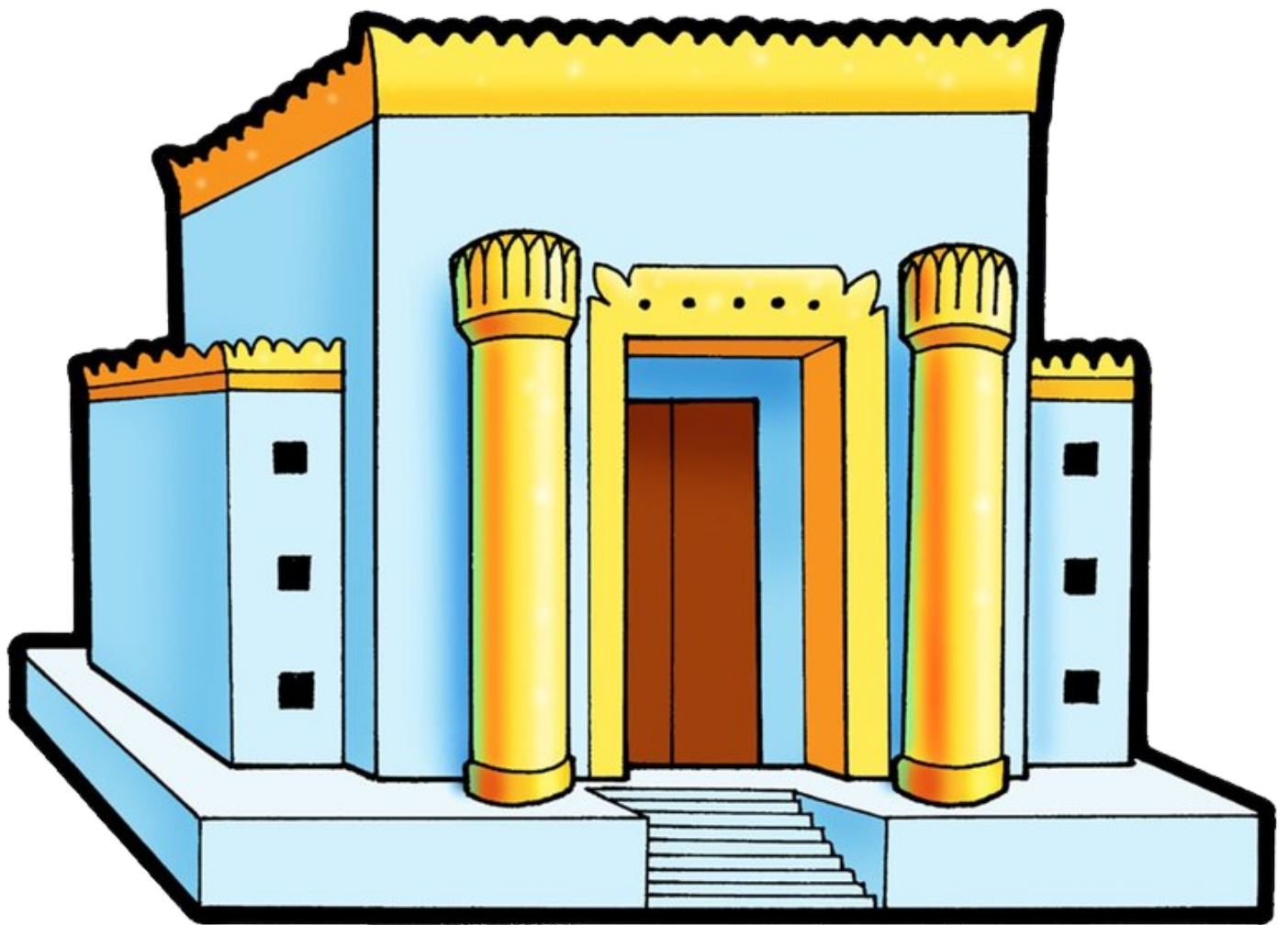
## Babies and Toddlers:

Hold up the teaching picture attached to this lesson or read the story from a Children's Bible. Story comes from 1 Kings 3-4.

"King Solomon asked God for wisdom. Wisdom is knowing right from wrong. God was so happy with him that God gave Solomon wisdom and so much more! King Solomon was wiser than any other person. He also knew many things about plants and animals. People from all over the world came to see him and ask him questions because he was so wise! King Solomon ordered thousands of workers to build a temple for God. When the temple was finished, it was beautiful! King Solomon planned a party and all the people of Israel came to see the temple. They were happy to have a new place to worship God! They all said, 'God is good. His love lasts forever!'

King Solomon built a Temple so they could worship God inside. They needed a reminder of how God is always with them. We have churches today too like the temple where we can worship God.

# TEACHING PICTURE





## CRAFT:

For this craft, talk to your child about how God is with us everywhere and how we can worship Him at church, at home, in the car, anywhere! End in prayer asking God to help us know right from wrong and to love Him with all of our heart!

