

# October 24/25 God's Care is Wonderful

Exodus 16

# **EXPLORE-Wonder Dough**

During Explore, your kids engage in fun, creative activities designed to pique their curiosity about the day's portion of The Big God Story.

#### **SUPPLIES**

Playdough or Kinetic Sand

Ask your children, What do you see in the container? How does it feel? What do you think we could make with it?

Give your children a portion of the Wonder Dough (playdough or kinetic sand) to play with, roll, flatten, shape, and create in their own special way. Ask your children open-ended questions while playing with the dough. How does the Wonder Dough feel? Smell? Tell me about what you're doing or making with your Wonder Dough.

Ask them to make a favorite food item with their Wonder Dough. If you could only eat one thing every single day, what would it be? How would you feel if you couldn't eat your favorite food again? I wonder what Wonder Dough has to do with our Big God Story today.

## WATCH THE KIDSWORLD ONLINE VIDEO

Read the story of Moses from an appropriate children's Bible, or show your child where it can be found in your Bible, so they can see the Bible is interesting and true!

## RESPOND

During respond time, kids reflect on what the Holy Spirit is teaching them and respond through creative activities and games.

- How do you think the people felt when they saw the food from heaven that God gave them?
- What do you think that God wanted the Israelites to know and remember about Him?
- What are some ways God cares for us?
- What do you think that God wants us to know and remember about Him?

## **CREATE: Thank You Tree**

#### **SUPPLIES:**

- Paper
- Leaves- either real leaves or leaf shapes cut out of paper
- Crayons, Markers, or Stickers

In the Big God Story today, we learned that God cared for His people in wonderful ways. Do you remember what He give the Israelites each morning?

That's right-Manna! What are some of the ways God takes care of you?

Let's work together to make a Thank You Tree for God. In the center of the table, there are blank leaves. On each leaf, we will draw something that we're thankful for. Then, we'll glue it on our paper, to make a tree. When we're done, we'll hang our thank you tree up and be reminded of the wonderful ways that God cares for us.