

Idea Hoarder

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Older Preschool



Art

Making megaphones to share God's plan for people. Purchase small megaphones from a craft store or make megaphones from assorted colors of construction paper. Print today's Bible verse on labels. Provide markers, crayons, and stickers for the children to use to decorate their megaphone. Remind children of the Bible verse as they work. Encourage children to print their name on the outside of the megaphone as well.

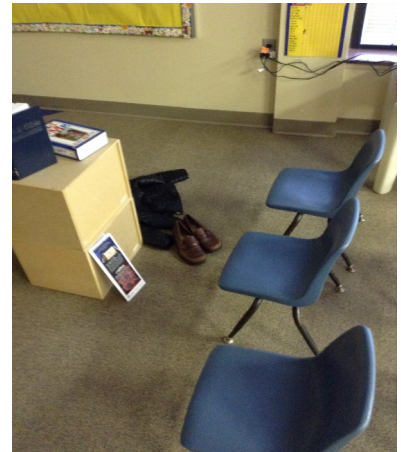
Megaphones



Dramatic Play

Provide dress up clothes that include a tie, dress shoes, and suit coat in a child's size 10. Include a Bible, a hymnal, and church bulletins. Locate a medium size box that will serve as a pulpit. Invite children (boys and girls) to dress up and pretend to be the preacher or song leader for the day using the "pulpit" and other materials provided. Place a couple of rows of chairs or indicate spaces to sit on the floor with carpet squares or masking tape lines to serve as the "congregation".

Preacher for the Day



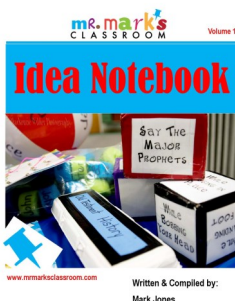
Nature

ALLERGY ALERT, list all ingredients on a sign outside of the room to alert parents of the items the children may touch and smell.

- ⇒ Collect leaves, tall grasses, small pebbles, and sand.
- ⇒ Provide construction paper, scissors, and glue (glue sticks are not recommended). Pour a small amount of glue on a butter dish lid and place cotton swabs nearby to use as paint brushes to apply the glue to the paper.
- ⇒ Place materials in containers on a table near a window.
- ⇒ Print today's Bible verse on the bottom of the paper.

Invite children to select a paper, print their name on the top, and select leaves, grass, pebbles, and sand to create a design using the glue on their paper. As they work, share the Bible story and read the Bible verse and encourage each child to say the verse with you.

Collage



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