

# Toddlers | W3

Today's Suggested Schedule—March 2026, Week 3

**Monthly Bible Story:** Palm Sunday. • *Matthew 21:1-11; John 12:12-15*  
**Bible Words:** "We have seen amazing things today!" (Luke 5:26 NLT)  
**Bottom Line:** Jesus is amazing.

*The toddler curriculum provides one monthly Bible Story because we understand that toddlers learn best through repetition. The toddler curriculum provides older toddlers with the story and craft element that some are ready to experience before they enter the twos. We hope that by sending home a simple toddler craft, you are cueing families to begin having conversations at home with their children.*

## Story Time

- Draw It

## Craft Time

- Amazing Jesus Door Hanger



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## Bottom Line

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5 min

# Story Time

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### What You Need

-  Preschool Bible 1
-  Butcher paper 1
-  Washable markers 1

Gather children on a rug or in a specific area of the classroom to tell the story. Some children (especially the younger ones) may wander. That's okay. They're still listening and learning!

**LEADER:** "Hello, friends! I'm so glad to see you today. Come join me on the floor. Today's true story from the Bible (*hold up the Bible*) begins with Jesus and His friends, the disciples. (*Draw a stick figure Jesus and several other stick figures next to Him.*) They were walking to the city of Jerusalem. But this day, Jesus rode on a little donkey into Jerusalem. (*Draw a simple picture of Jesus riding a donkey and stick figure disciples next to Him.*)

"The people in Jerusalem were so excited that Jesus was coming to their town, they made a special path on the road with coats and palm branches. (*Draw a road with coat and simple leaf outlines on the path.*) They lined up next to the path, some holding palm branches. (*Draw simple stick figures along the path holding palm branches.*) When Jesus rode the donkey on the path, (*draw a simple picture of Jesus riding the donkey.*) people waved palm branches in the air and shouted: 'Hosanna! Hosanna! Yay, Jesus!' They were celebrating Jesus because they knew that **[Bottom Line] Jesus is amazing.** We can celebrate Jesus, too!"

5 min

## Craft Time

5 min

### Amazing Jesus Door Hanger

#### What You Need

-  "Amazing Jesus Door Hanger" Activity Page 1
-  Cardstock 1
-  Self-inking stamps 1
-  Baby wipes Several
-  Scissors 1
-  Permanent marker 1

Gather small groups of children around you at a table for toddler craft time. Depending on the size of your group, you may lead the craft two or three times. Not every child may want to participate in craft time. That's okay. Feel free to send home the craft materials for them to complete with their grown-up.

#### What You Do:

*Before the Activity:* Copy the "Amazing Jesus Door Hanger" onto cardstock and cut out one per child. Write each child's name on their paper.

*During the Activity:* Encourage children to decorate their door hanger with the stamps. Clean hands as needed.

#### What You Say:

*During the Activity:* "Decorate your paper with all these fun stamps because **[Bottom Line] Jesus is amazing!** (*Pause.*) Jesus rode into Jerusalem on a donkey and the people were so excited! They made a path of coats and palm branches for Jesus to ride on. Some people waved palm branches and shouted 'Hosanna, Hosanna! Yay, Jesus!' The people celebrated Jesus, and you can too because **[Bottom Line] Jesus is amazing!**"

# Supplies

Story Time	Quantity
1. Preschool Bible	1
2. Butcher paper	1
3. Washable markers	1

Amazing Jesus Door Hanger	Quantity
1. "Amazing Jesus Door Hanger" Activity Page	1
2. Cardstock	1
3. Self-inking stamps	1
4. Baby wipes	Several
5. Scissors	1
6. Permanent marker	1