

# Worship for the Road

## A Parent's Guide from Church to Home

*"Commit yourselves wholeheartedly to these commands I am giving you today. Repeat them again and again to your children. Talk about them when you are at home and when you are away on a journey, when you are lying down and when you are getting up again."*

*Deuteronomy 6:6-7*

# David



**Central Truth:**

**God is Near**



**Heart Response:**

**Love Him**

### Main Ideas:

- **God takes care of us and loves us. He is near.**
- **Because God loves us, God wants us to love Him.**

### Memory Verse:

*Tips for Bible Memory:*

1. Repetition
2. Have Fun With It
3. Sing the Verse
4. Give Out Rewards
5. Use Motions

***"The Lord is my shepherd; I have all that I need"***  
***Psalms 23:1***

## Summary of Lessons

### Lesson 1:

Today your child learned about a shepherd named David. David took care of his father's sheep. He loved his sheep and took very good care of them. Sometimes he would have to protect them from lions or bears. God was always near David and protected him. God also loves us and protects us.

#### Songs for the week:

- He's a Big, Big God
- I am Sure
- Dance, Shout, Sing

#### Take Home Craft

For the craft today in class your child made a "Sheep or Lion Paper Mask". This is to help them remember that David took care of the sheep and protected them from the lions.

### Lesson 2:

Today your child learned about David and how he fought Goliath during a battle between the Philistines and the Israelites. Goliath was a warrior for the Philistines and was saying bad things about God. David went to King Saul and told he would fight against Goliath. David knew that God was near and would protect him. David fought against Goliath and won. God is always near us and will protect us!

#### Songs for the week:

- He Can Do
- Wait on the Lord
- Every Move I make

#### Take Home Craft

For the craft today in class your child made "David's Stones". This is to remind them about the story of David & Goliath, along with how God can give them the power to surmount any challenges they may face in life.

### Lesson 3:

Today your child learned about how God was near David. King Saul was so impressed with David after killing Goliath, that he put David over the army. King Saul became very jealous of David after people started saying David was better than him. King Saul was so mad that he tried to kill David. But God was near David and allowed David to escape.

#### Songs for the week:

- Our Love is Loud
- Stand on the Rock
- He Can Do

#### Take Home Craft

For the craft today in class your child made "Friendship Dolls". This is to help them remember that God was near and how He wants us to be near each other.

### Lesson 4:

Today your child learned about David and how he was kind to King Saul. David knew God was near him and He helped David be kind to Saul. God loves us and wants us to love Him and to love others.

#### Songs for the week:

- Lovely Noise
- He Can Do
- Wait on the Lord

#### Take Home Craft

For the craft today in class your child made "Bowl Harps". This is to help remind them about David and how he was kind to Saul.