

The Story at Home

Timeless Truth: Paul served God with his whole life. God wants me to serve him too.

Key Passages: Acts 20:22–28, 36–38; 22:22–29; 27:1, 9–41; 28:1–10

Resources: *The Story for Little Ones* Ch. 30: "God's Servant"



Ages 2–4

Preschool

- How did Paul serve God?
- Paul traveled to Rome on a boat. How do you go places?
- How can you serve God?

Memory Verse

Look! (*point out in front*)

He is coming (*hands on heart*)

With the clouds. (*point up*)

Every eye (*point to eyes*)

Will see him! (*point out*)

Revelation 1:7 (*open hands like a book*)

During bath time this week, let your child play with boats. If you don't have any boats, you can make a simple boat from a clean meat tray.

Paul served God with his whole life. Help make serving a habit for your family by choosing simple ideas you can do each week or monthly. One way you can serve God as a whole family is by greeting others who come to your church. Ask your church or other local organizations for ways your entire family can help serve.

We use different parts of our bodies to help serve God. Read books about how God made our bodies and sing the song "Head and Shoulders, Knees and Toes."

Paul served God with his whole life. Sometimes, he traveled by boat to serve God. Make edible taco boats for a meal this week. Make a tortilla boat by pressing a small tortilla into an oven-safe bowl or into a bowl shape on an upside down muffin tin. Cover the tortillas with cooking spray and bake at 375° for 5–7 min or until the tortillas are crispy and golden brown. You can also make small taco boats by using tortilla chips that are made for scooping dip. Fill the boat with ground taco meat, beans, cheese, and your favorite taco toppings. Use a strip of baked tortilla for the mast and a slice of cheese for a sail.



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