

MAIN POINT:

Jesus is the One and Only God

MEMORY VERSE:

"I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me." John 14:6

BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

In the book of John, Jesus made seven "I Am..." statements. Each of these statements points to the fact that Jesus the One and Only God. He is the Only way that we can be in relationship with God. He is the One sent by God to pay for our sins. When Jesus rode into Jerusalem on a donkey, the people wanted Him to be their king. They thought He would be their earthly king, and they praised Him. But Jesus was so much more than that. Jesus is the One and Only person who could make a way for us to be forgiven, and then make it possible for us to have a relationship with Him. And that's why we praise Him today!

WATCH IT

Find the lesson video on our website: <https://cchurch.ca/childrens-online>

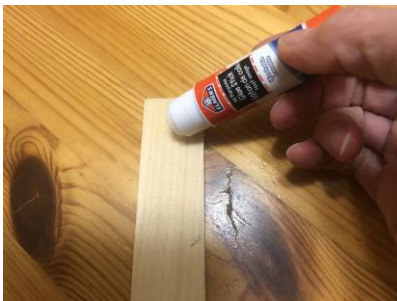
DO IT → JESUS IS THE ONE AND ONLY GOD PALM BRANCH

Supplies:

- Palm leaf with I AM statements (1 set of 7 per child)
- Palm leaf with Jesus is the One and Only God (1 per child)
- Blank palm leaf (cut the same size as the other leaves, 5 per child)
- Paint stick (1 per child)
- Glue sticks
- Scissors

Activity Instructions:

Rub the glue stick on the top part of the paint stick.



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Place the blank palm leaves at the top of the paint stick.



Continuing gluing the rest of the leaves in this fashion (glue on paint stick, then place down leaves).



TALK ABOUT IT:

Do this section with your child while they are assembling their craft.

1. **What part of today's story would you most like to be a part of?** (Seeing the disciples borrow the colt, being with Jesus when He started toward Jerusalem, walking beside Jesus along the road, in the crowd shouting praises to Jesus.)
2. **Jesus is the One and Only God—God in the flesh. What sort of things can Jesus do that you can't, but you're glad He can?** (Make the sun rise each morning, listen to and answer prayers, forgive our sins.)
3. **The people laid down cloaks and palm branches, and shouted Hosanna. What does it mean for you to worship Jesus as the One and Only God?** (Obey what He asks of me, speak/sing words of worship, live as an example of His love to my friends.)

THE POINT:

Your fruit craft can help you remember that Jesus is the Vine and we are the branches. We must stay connected to Him if we want to bear fruit.

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FAMILY PRAYER:

Dear God,

Thank You for sending Jesus, who is God! Thank You that He has paid the price for our sins so that we can be saved from them and have a relationship with You. We love You, God. In Jesus' name we pray, amen.

OFFERING:

Our Children's Ministries offering from January to March will be going to our Compassion Kids! Lluvia and Ulises live in Mexico, and our offering will help provide them with clothes, school supplies, and other important items.

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I Am the Bread of Life

I Am the Light of the World

I Am the Door

I Am the Good Shepherd

I Am the Resurrection and the Life

I Am the Way the Truth and the Life

I Am the Vine

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