

**Theme : God provides manna Exodus 15 :22 - 17:7**

Date	Sunday 12th October 2014
Key Point	Thank you God for meeting my needs.
Objective	When we have a need we should not worry or complain instead we should thank God that he has already met it.
Memory Verse	John 6:35 Jesus said "I am the bread of life."

Time	activity	Content
10.45-11.00	Worship Team game	Choose from TV Library Relay style: kids run and collect pieces of manna and bring back and put in basket.
11.00-11.10	Games	Hide pretend eggs around the room kids have to find. (Ping pong balls) Choose others from file
11.10-11.15	Story / Video	<a href="http://youtu.be/1TJSjwur8h4">http://youtu.be/1TJSjwur8h4</a> or children's bible
11.15-11.25	Memory Verse	Ask the children to write down what they normally eat for breakfast, lunch, dinner and supper. Now ask them to try and work out how many loaves of bread their family would use each week. Now calculate together how much this would be in a year! Can you imagine living without it? Jesus described himself as the bread of life. Why do you think he does this? He knows how much we need him. Without food we would be empty inside, without Jesus our hearts are empty.
11.25-11.30	Prayer	Invite the children to write a thank you prayer for everything that God provides on post it notes. But them on the prayer wall.
11.30-11.40	Juice & Biscuits Circle time	God provided manna for the Israelites, what does He provide for us today? How are we like the Israelites?
11.40-11.45	Quiz	See questions below & word search

Time	activity	Content
11.45-12.00	Activity	Make sandwiches
12.00-12.10	Free Play	

### **Quiz Questions**

Where were the people living? in the wilderness

What food grows in the wilderness? none

How did the people eat? manna

What did the manna look like? - flakes like snow

How much were the people told to gather? - Enough for each day.

Apart from manna what other food did God send down? - Quail.

What day were they not allowed to gather food? - Sunday.

Why did God send the food? - Because the people were grumbling.