

Solomon's Scramble

Unscramble the words from the Bible story.

Let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another.

HEBREWS 10:24-25 (ESV)

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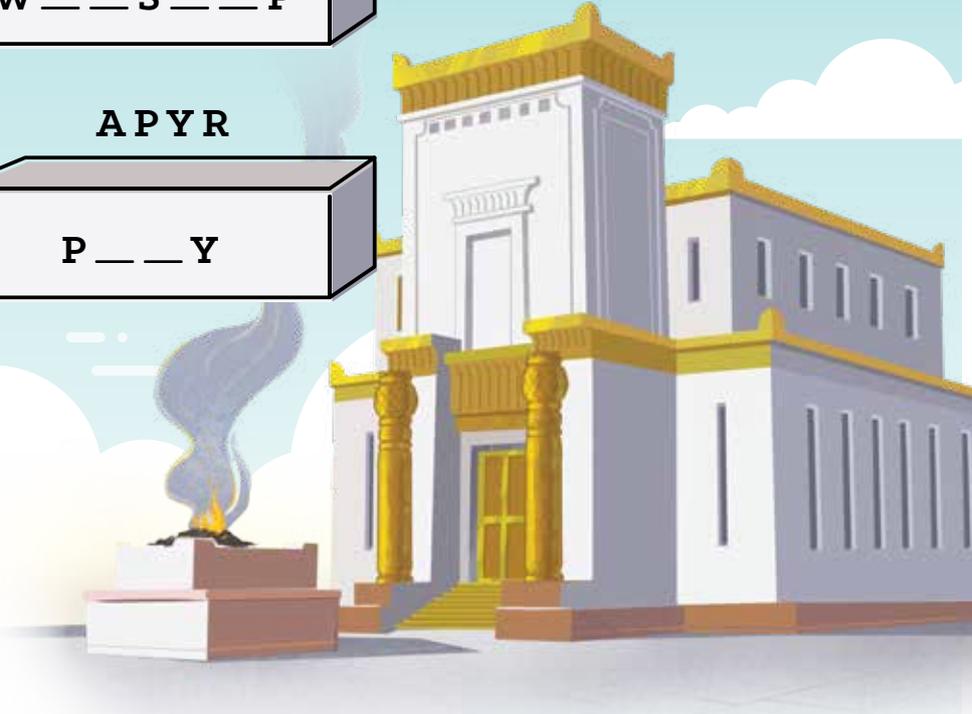
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A MOMENT OF WORSHIP

Name something you can do at church to worship God. Thank God for who He is and all He has done.



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CONVERSATION

Solomon Built the Temple

1 KINGS 6; 8

King David wanted to build a temple for God. God told David someone else would be the one to build this special place of worship. When David died, his son Solomon became king. God told Solomon he would build a temple for the Lord just as He had promised David.

It had been 480 years since the people of Israel had come out of slavery in Egypt. King Solomon's workers began to build the temple for the Lord. They built the temple with very specific instructions, just as God requested.

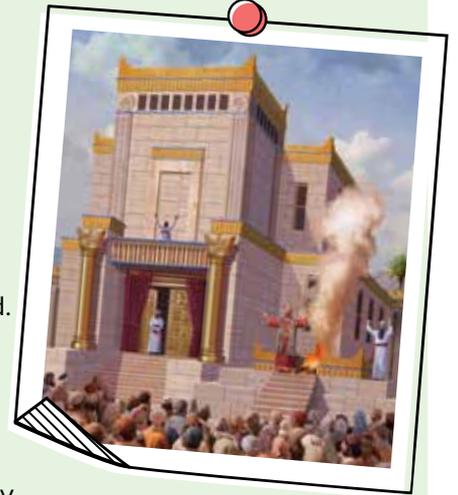
God promised if King Solomon would follow God's commands and obey Him, God would always live among the Israelites and never leave His people.

King Solomon built the temple to be a very special place. He used cedar, bronze, gold, and stone, giving special attention to every detail. The king wanted the Israelites to have a permanent place to worship God. It took thousands of workers seven years to build the temple.

When the temple was completed, King Solomon brought the ark of the covenant and placed it in the most holy place in the temple. After the priests had placed the ark of the covenant in the temple, and came out of the holy place, a cloud filled the temple. The glory of the Lord was with them. Solomon prayed, thanking God for His faithfulness and praising Him for all He had done for the people of Israel.

WEEKLY BIBLE VERSE: 1 Chronicles 16:9

LIFE POINT: Worshiping God is an important part of what the church does.



THE BIBLE MEETS LIFE

Today your child heard that worshiping God is an important part of what the church does. After Solomon had completed the temple, a new place of worship, the people gathered to worship, praise, and thank God.

LIVE IT OUT

Help your child understand that the church is the people who worship together. Think about some churches in your community who meet in different kinds of buildings. Pray with your child for these believers.

LEVEL OF BIBLICAL LEARNING

God wants people to gather to worship Him.

DAILY BIBLE READING

Sunday: 1 Chronicles 16:9

Monday: Psalm 111:1

Tuesday: 1 Samuel 15:22

Wednesday: Nehemiah 9:6

Thursday: Habakkuk 3:17-18

Friday: Psalm 86:9

Saturday: Revelation 14:7

TAKE IT FURTHER: Check out *Solomon Built the Temple* in Bible Studies for Life: LifeWay Kids App for games and activities for your child.