

## At-Home Sunday School: Passover

October 25, 2020

At-Home Sunday School relates to the same story we hear in worship. Use whatever parts work for your family. Do it all at once or over the coming week. Questions or feedback? Talk to Pastor Betsy

### Introduction

Last week's story was about a woman named Hannah who would really like to have a child. She had a son named Samuel and he served God. Today we fast forward to the time that David is now the king of God's people.

### Story

This fall we are walking through the Old Testament and that would be a great time to read through the Spark Story Bible! You could start at the beginning with Creation or jump in with today's story.

**Last week we read:** Hannah Prays for a Child p. 118

#### Since last week:

God Calls Samuel p. 122

David is Chosen p. 126

David and Goliath p. 130

**Today's Story:** Is about how King David lives in a fancy house while God lives in a tent. David wants to build God a house. This story is not in the Spark Story Bible, but you can watch the story here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yImbRHFPSHk>

**In the Bible:** 2 Samuel 7:1-17

**The big question** is then does God ever get a house? Read Solomon Builds the Temple p. 136 to learn the answer!

### Create Your Own Story Bible

Don't forget to print and color the color page for this week! It is found on the PoP website. Then punch and add to your 3-ring binder to Create Your Own Story Bible.

### Music

Today is what we call Reformation Sunday. It is when we remember Martin Luther who founded the Lutheran Church. The hymn we sing in worship that is used on Reformation Sunday was written by Martin Luther. Listen to a family singing A Mighty is Our God. If you have a hymnal at home, you can follow along at ELW 504.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=crkmS21gUt4>

**Activity: We Are God's House**

Where does God live? Does God live in a house? David wanted to build a house for God, but really we are God's house. God lives in our hearts!

Have family members lie down on the floor in a way that makes a house. - you could do a basic square with a triangle on top or any other design you can think of! When complete, take a picture of it.

**Highs and Lows** - share highs and lows with your family

**Prayer**

Dear God,

We have big ideas

but your ideas

are so much bigger!

We think we have

the best plans

but your plans

are so much better!

Help us trust

in your plans

in our lives

and in the world

Amen."