

2. Creation: Days 4-7

The Word of the Lord: The Old Testament for Young Children

Notes for Parents & Teachers

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- a. Maybe take children out after the worship to look at the stars and the moon.
- b. They will certainly enjoy naming all the animals, fish and birds.
- c. They can list the people they love whom the Lord made, including themselves.



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The Lord Makes Everything: Days 4-7

Then God said, “Let there be lights in the heavens for the day and the night, and let them give light upon the earth.” And it was so. And God made two great lights, the greater light for the day and the lesser light for the night and also the stars. And God set them in the heavens to give light upon the earth, and God saw that it was good.

So the evening and the morning were the fourth day.

And God said, “Let there be many fish and living creatures in the waters and let birds fly in the skies.” Then God made the great whales and every living creature in the water and all the birds. And God saw that it was good. And God blessed them and said, “Fill the seas with fish and the earth with birds.”

So the evening and the morning were the fifth day.

And God said, “Let the land bring forth living creatures.” Then God made the wild animals on the earth, and the cattle, and all things that creep on the ground, and it was so. And God saw that it was good. And God said, “Let us make people, and let them rule over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the heavens, and over the cattle and all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth.” And God made people, a man and a woman. Then God blessed them so that there would be many more people to fill the earth. And God saw everything He had made and behold it was very good.

So the evening and the morning were the sixth day.

So the heavens and the earth were finished. And God rested on the seventh day from all His work, and God blessed the seventh day and made it holy.

Genesis 1

