

The Center of Our Lives

2 Samuel 6

When David became king he wanted the Ark and the Ten Commandments inside it to be at the center of Israel. He worked hard for that to happen.

We no longer have the Ark, but we have the Lord's Word, which we can take to the center of our lives. Make a spiral that illustrates bringing the Word to the center of your life. When you reverse the spin, it is like taking the Lord's Word out into everything you do.

Supplies needed

Whirligig Templates

a piece of stiff cardboard

scissors

sharp needle (large size)

length of string approx. 36" (45cm)

Directions

1. Choose a whirligig pattern.
2. Cut out the two spirals.
3. Trim the stiff cardboard to the size of the spiral.
4. Glue the spirals to the front and back of the cardboard, being careful to line them up.
5. Using a large sewing needle, poke through both center holes on the white dots.
6. Cut string and insert through the holes from the same side then tie the ends together tightly on other side to make a large loop of string.
7. Hold one end of the loop of string in each hand. Wind up the whirligig by flipping repeatedly turning the string at one end as if you were turning a skipping rope, and then suddenly pull it tight. Your card will revolve very rapidly.
8. Watch the spiral move towards the center and reflect on how you can bring the Lord's Word to the center of your life.

Whirligig Template



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