RELIGION PROJECTS

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Text: I Samuel 1; 2:1-11
Subject: The Birth of Samuel
Dole Notes: Volume: 3 Chapter: 57 Page: 1
Age Group: Junior: 9-11

basic supplies: 

materials:
- pencil and paper
- simple instruments (i.e. autoharp, guitar, columbo, triangle, dulcimer...) (optional)

teacher preparation:
- find a number of prayers, both from the WORD and not, especially by children (of course include Hannah's)
- write a few sample poems

procedure:
- explain the format of haiku
  5 syllables
  7 syllables
  5 syllables
- have the children write their own prayers in haiku form
- you may want to set the mood with quiet music, or accompany the children as they read their poems aloud

The LORD is my GOD
He protects me all the time
I love to thank Him.

Halleluyah, LORD!
I praise you with my whole heart.
I need you with me.

He made every star,
All the sunshine, each raindrop
and the breath in me!

I am sorry, LORD,
For hurting people you love
I will try not to.

notes: They may want to write out their favorite poem nicely with decorations

music: first songs: p. 1
Lori's tape: Kathy's Prayer (Lori's Tape 3)
Liturgy: