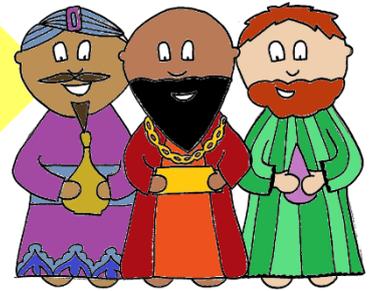


Wise Men Still Seek Him

Scavenger Hunt



Matthew 2 v 10

When the wise men saw the star, they were filled with joy.

The three wise men followed the star they had seen until they found Jesus. We can still seek to know more about Jesus today and to draw closer to him. You can use this scavenger hunt to think about the story of the Wise Men.

Can you find...



Something STAR shaped!

The wise men followed a star to find Jesus.

Ask: Who or what can we follow to help draw us closer to Jesus today?

Wonder: What does it feel like to draw closer to Jesus, how does it change us?



Something GOLD!

One of the gifts of the wise men was gold, it reminds us of Jesus' royalty, He is the King of Kings!

Ask: What does it mean to be royal?

Wonder: God calls us His children so we must be royalty too. How does my royalty change the way I live?



Something that SMELLS GOOD!

One of the gifts of the wise men was frankincense, the precious incense was used in the temple, it was believed to help carry prayers to God.

Ask: What is your favourite smell?

Wonder: In Psalm 141 David hoped that his prayers would be like a pleasant smell to God. What do you think your prayers smell like?

Something that reminds you of EASTER!



One of the gifts of the wise men was myrrh, when Jesus died on the cross myrrh was placed on his body before he was placed in the tomb

Ask: What did Mary find in the tomb in the easter story?

Wonder: Do you think the wise men knew what would happen to Jesus when they chose their gifts?



What gift would you bring?

Go on one last search. Can you find a gift for Jesus? What would you have brought as a present for baby Jesus? Why have you chosen that gift?

Here are some verses about seeking you could look up in your own Bible.

1 Chronicles 16 v 10

Be glad that you are his; let those who seek the Lord be happy.

Jeremiah 29 v 13

You will search for me. And when you search for me with all your heart, you will find me!

Luke 11 v 9

So I tell you, ask, and God will give to you. Search, and you will find. Knock, and the door will open for you.

Acts 17 v 27

God wanted them to look for him and perhaps search all around for him and find him, though he is not far from any of us

Hebrews 11 v 6

Anyone who comes to God must believe that he is real and that he rewards those who truly want to find him.