

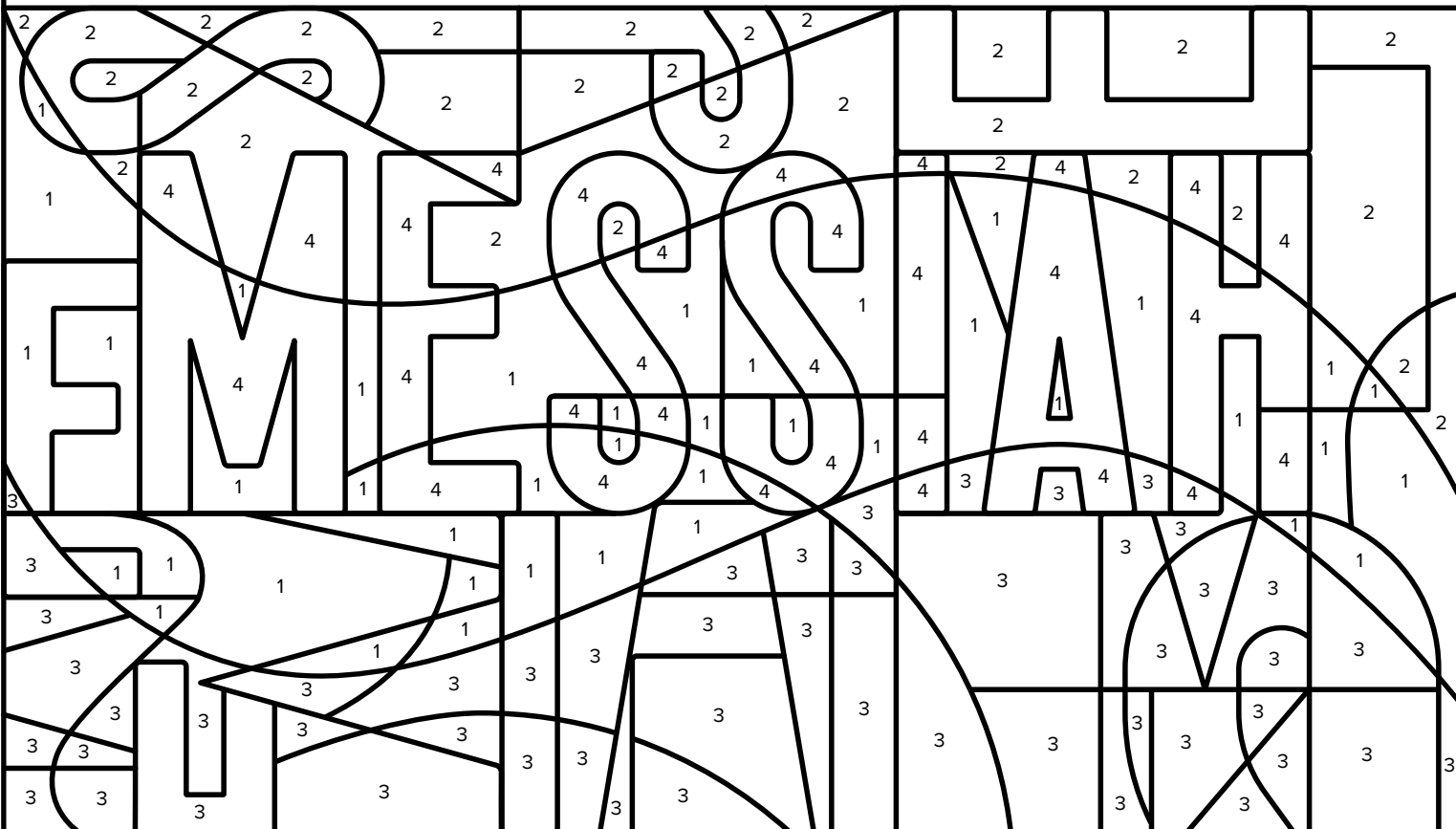
UNIT VERSE

These are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name.

JOHN 20:31 (NIV)

COLOR AND DISCOVER

Use the code to color the picture and discover a name for Jesus.



1 = PURPLE

2 = RED

3 = BLUE

4 = YELLOW

JUST LIKE HE PROMISED

Long before Jesus was born, God made a plan to send Jesus to forgive us of our sin. God told His people how they would know the Messiah by describing what He would be like and what He would do.

Look up the prophecy in Zechariah 9:9. What does it promise the Messiah will ride on?

This prophecy happened just like God promised! Prophecies gave hope to the people in the Old Testament and prove to us that Jesus is the Messiah.



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CONVERSATION

People Praise Jesus

LUKE 19:28-40; JOHN 12:12-18

Jesus told two of His disciples to go into the village ahead of them. He said they would find a colt that they should untie and bring back. If anyone asked them why they were untying it, they should answer, “The Lord needs it.”

The disciples obeyed Jesus and found everything just as He said.

They brought the colt to Jesus, threw their coats on the colt’s back, and put Jesus on it. As He rode along, many people who heard that Jesus was riding toward Jerusalem went out to meet Him and spread their coats on the road.

Some people took branches of palm trees and began to praise Jesus, shouting: “Hosanna! Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord—the King of Israel!”

Some of the religious leaders in the crowd didn’t think the people should praise Jesus as Messiah. They wanted Jesus to tell the crowd to be quiet. But Jesus told the religious leaders that if the people are silent, the stones will cry out praises to Him.



THE BIBLE MEETS LIFE

Today your child heard a Bible story that helped him learn that people can praise Jesus as the Messiah. Jesus entered Jerusalem, riding on a donkey. The people shouted praises, laid their coats on the ground, and used palm branches to honor Jesus.

LIVE IT OUT

Talk about the Bible story your child heard today. Invite your child to lead a praise song during a family worship time. Make large branches from green paper or use green streamers to enhance your praise.

LEVEL OF BIBLICAL LEARNING

God wants people to live every day in ways that please and honor Him.

DAILY BIBLE READING

Sunday: Luke 19:38

Monday: Acts 5:42

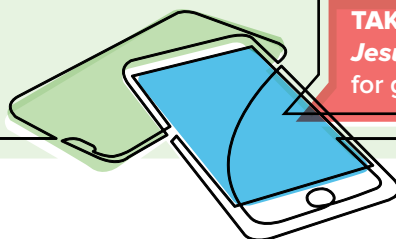
Tuesday: Luke 9:20

Wednesday: Revelation 20:6

Thursday: Psalm 99:1

Friday: Romans 12:2

Saturday: Revelation 4:11



TAKE IT FURTHER: Check out *People Praise Jesus* in Bible Studies for Life: LifeWay Kids App for games and activities for your child.