



TOGETHER @ HOME

Explorers

Sunday

School

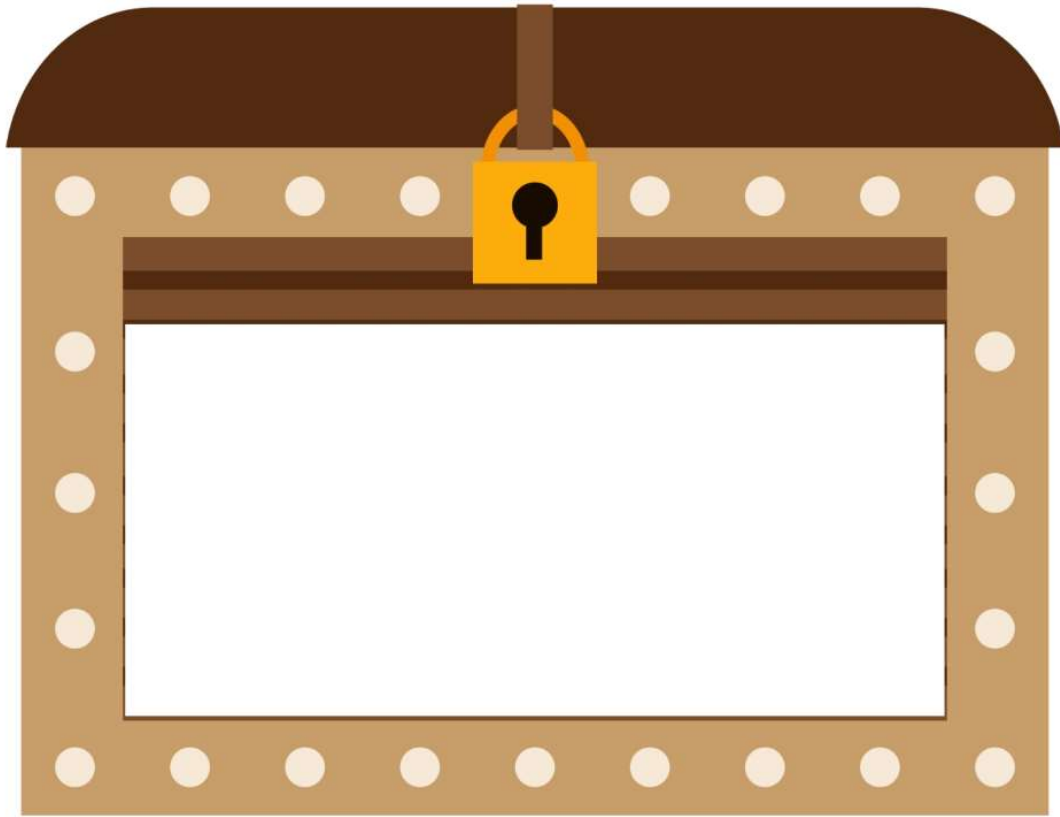
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God's Kingdom is like treasure!



Intro	<p>To introduce the idea of treasure, hide the diamonds around the room and ask your young person to find them.</p> <p>Then use the "4 things I treasure" template to have them think about what they count as treasure, what is the most important to thing to them?</p>
Re-cap	<p>Last week we looked at Jesus being the Good Shepherd. This week we are looking at a parable (a story) that Jesus told to help us understand what the Kingdom of God is like.</p>
Story time	<p>You may have your own Bible version or can use the "Jesus Storybook Bible" to read Matthew 13 verse 44</p> <p>"The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field, which a man found and covered up. Then in his joy he goes and sells all that he has and buys that field.</p>
Questions	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What did the man find the field? <i>Treasure</i> 2. What does the man do to have the treasure? <i>Sells everything he has. It's really important to him!</i> 3. What did Jesus say is like finding treasure? <i>Coming home to God</i> 4. What did Jesus say is the real treasure? <i>God!</i> 5. Who did Jesus say is God's treasure? <i>His children</i>
Memory verse	<p><i>Proverbs 7:1 Follow my advice, my son; always treasure my commands. (NLT)</i></p>
Craft	<p>Paint an egg box to make it into your very own treasure chest! Or use the treasure chest template (can be downloaded free from https://www.gluedtomycraftsblog.com/2018/04/treasure-chest-kid-craft.html). Using your diamonds, write on them what is the most important thing according to this Bible passage and stick it onto or into your treasure chest.</p>



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4 Things I Treasure...



Write or draw four things that you are really important to you.

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