

# PRESCHOOL SCOPE AND SEQUENCE 2022-2023

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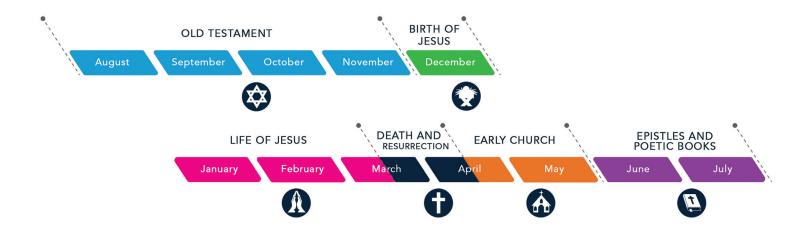
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# **About the GO! Preschool Scope and Sequence:**

The GO! Preschool Scope and Sequence begins in August and takes preschool children on a chronological journey through the entire Bible. Kids will see and experience that God's story of grace and redemption through His Son, Jesus, is

told both to people and through people. Kids will discover that God has invited them to be His people and to share His story with the world. God's plan for salvation is introduced in bite-sized, age-appropriate ways throughout the journey.





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# The Year at a Glance



Aug 7 - Aug 28 UNIT 1

**Old Testament** 



Sept 4 - Oct 2 **UNIT 2** 

**Old Testament** 



UNIT 3

Oct 9 - Oct 30

**Old Testament** 



**UNIT 4** 

Nov 6 - Dec 4

**Old Testament** 



Dec 11 - Jan 1 **UNIT 5** 

**Birth of Jesus** 



**UNIT 6** 

Jan 8 - Jan 29

Life of Jesus



**UNIT 7** 

Feb 5 - Feb 26

Life of Jesus



Mar 5 - Mar 19

Life of Jesus



**UNIT 9** 

Mar 26 - Apr 16

**Death and Resurrection** 



Apr 23 - May 21 **UNIT 10** 

**Early Church** 



**UNIT 11** 

**UNIT8** 

May 30 - June 25

**Biblical Friendships** 



**UNIT 12** 

**July 2 - July 30** 

**Bible Basics** 



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# Unit 1

## IT'S MIME TIME



No invisible box can contain *these* miniature mimes! "It's Mime Time" and the preschoolers are silently on the loose. Throughout the story time, preschool kids will get to act out the Bible story using only gestures and movement, all the while discovering the wonders of God's creation and the earliest accounts from the Book of Genesis.

	1.1	In the Beginning	Key Verse: Psalm 139:14
	Aug 7	Big Idea: God made me special.	Bible Basis: Genesis 1:1-2:3
	1.2	God Made Adam and Eve	Key Verse: Psalm 139:14
A	Aug 14	Big Idea: God made me special.	Bible Basis: Genesis 2:4-25
	1.3	Adam and Eve Disobey	Key Verse: 1 John 1:9
A	Aug 21	Big Idea: God wants me to say, "I'm sorry."	Bible Basis: Genesis 3
	1.4	Jacob Says, "I'm Sorry"	Key Verse: 1 John 1:9
-	Aug 28	Big Idea: God wants me to say, "I'm sorry."	Bible Basis: Genesis 27, 33

# Unit 2

## **TIPPY'S MOUSE HOUSE**



Welcome to Tippy's Mouse House! Just as mice are prone to do, Tippy has tiptoed into the preschool room and scurried off with the Bible story pictures. Together, the preschoolers get to peek into Tippy's Mouse House and search for the pictures amongst all the other doodads Tippy has collected. It's a super sweet search that culminates in the discovery of God's provision and perfect love.

2.1	A Float Trip for Baby Moses	Key Verse: Philippians 4:19
Sept 4	Big Idea: God gives me everything I need.	Bible Basis: Exodus 1:1-2:10
2.2	Birds and Bread from Heaven	Key Verse: Philippians 4:19
Sept 11	Big Idea: God gives me everything I need.	Bible Basis: Exodus 16
2.3	Clean Water in the Desert	Key Verse: Philippians 4:19
Sept 18	Big Idea: God gives me everything I need.	Bible Basis: Exodus 15:22-27
2.4	The Ten Commandments—Love God	Key Verse: Matthew 22:37
Sept 25	Big Idea: God shows me how to love.	Bible Basis: Exodus 19:1-20:11
2.5	The Ten Commandments—Love People	Key Verse: Matthew 22:39
Oct 2	Big Idea: God shows me how to love.	Bible Basis: Exodus 19:1-20:21; 31: 18-32:19



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## Unit 3

#### THE GREAT SHADOW SHOW



Ladies and gentlemen, kids of all ages—welcome to "The Great Shadow Show." During the "show", preschool kids will see a series of shadows and guess what's going on behind the curtain. With each guess, the Bible story emerges from the dark and sheds light on our great and mighty God. Without a shadow of a doubt, it's the greatest show in church!

3.1	Crossing the Jordan River	Key Verse: Psalm 147:5
Oct 9	Big Idea: God is great and mighty.	Bible Basis: Joshua 3-4
3.2	The Longest Day Ever	Key Verse: Psalm 147:5
Oct 16	Big Idea: God is great and mighty.	Bible Basis: Joshua 10:1-15
3.3	David is Picked to be King	Key Verse: 1 Timothy 4:12
Oct 23	Big Idea: God uses little people to do big things.	Bible Basis: 1 Samuel 16:1-13
3.4	David Fights the Big, Bad Giant	Key Verse: 1 Timothy 4:12
Oct 30	Big Idea: God uses little people to do big things.	Bible Basis: 1 Samuel 17

## Unit 4

#### **UH OH TOPHER**



That mischievous little gopher has done it again! Topher the Gopher has burrowed his way into our room while we weren't looking. He got his paws on the story pictures from the true Bible story and hid them around the room. But the story must go on! It's up to the kids to find the hidden pictures so the story can be told. During the silly search, kids will learn that God takes care of them and His way is the best way.

4.1	God Sends Elijah Food	Key Verse: 1 Peter 5:7
Nov 6	Big Idea: God takes care of me.	Bible Basis: 1 Kings 17:1-16
4.2	God Heals Naaman	Key Verse: 1 Peter 5:7
Nov 13	Big Idea: God takes care of me.	Bible Basis: 2 Kings 5:1-15
4.3	Daniel and Friends Obey God	Key Verse: Psalm 18:30
Nov 20	Big Idea: God's way is the best way.	Bible Basis: Daniel 1
4.4	Daniel in the Lion's Den	Key Verse: Psalm 18:30
Nov 27	Big Idea: God's way is the best way.	Bible Basis: Daniel 6
4.5	Jonah and the Giant Fish	Key Verse: Psalm 18:30
Dec 4	Big Idea: God's way is the best way.	Bible Basis: Jonah 1-3



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## Unit 5

#### MAISY HAS A MESSAGE



Christmas is coming and Maisy the Mailbox has a message for the preschoolers. Whenever Maisy lights up, it means a new Christmas card has arrived. Each card invites the kids to become a part of the Biblical storytelling in wonderfully imaginative ways. Best of all, as the story unfolds, the preschoolers will become recipients of the greatest message ever—today in the town of David a Savior has been born; he is Christ the Lord.

5.1	Zechariah Loses His Voice	Key Verse: John 17:17
Dec 11	Big Idea: God gives us His Son, Jesus.	Bible Basis: Luke 1:5-25
5.2	An Angel Visits Joseph	Key Verse: John 17:17
Dec 18	Big Idea: All of God's words are true.	Bible Basis: Luke 1:26-56; Matt. 1:18-25
5.3	Baby Jesus is Born	Key Verse: 2 Corinthians 9:15
Dec 25	Big Idea: Thank you God for baby Jesus.	Bible Basis: Luke 2:1-20
5.4	Wise Men Worship Jesus	Key Verse: 2 Corinthians 9:15
Jan 1	Big Idea: Thank you God for baby Jesus.	Bible Basis: Matthew 2:1-12

# Unit 6

## **QUICK DRAW**



Quick—grab a marker and a piece of paper! It's time to play a fast-paced picture drawing game. During "Quick Draw," the storyteller will draw a simple picture while the preschoolers guess what it is. As the pictures unfold, so will the Bible story. It's a fun-filled picture guessing game that helps kids picture the love of Jesus and what it means to grow wise and strong.

6.1	Anna and Simeon	Key Verse: John 3:16
Jan 8	8 Big Idea: Jesus is the special Son of God.	Bible Basis: Luke 2:21-40
6.2	Young Jesus in the Temple	Key Verse: John 3:16
Jan 1	Big Idea: Jesus is the special Son of God.	Bible Basis: Luke 2:41-52
6.3	The Good Samaritan	Key Verse: Mark 12:31
Jan 2	22 Big Idea: Jesus wants me to love everyone.	Bible Basis: Luke 10:25-37
6.4	Dinner with Sinners	Key Verse: Mark 12:31
Jan 2	29 Big Idea: Jesus wants me to love everyone.	Bible Basis: Matthew 9:9-13



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# Unit 7

#### **ISPY**



I spy with my little eye—I spy down low and I spy up high! During "I Spy," preschoolers will need to put on their looking eyes to look high and low for the hidden objects. Once found, each object will help tell a portion of the Bible story. It's an eye-opening experience that teaches kids to follow and obey Jesus, our all-powerful Savior.

7.1	Jairus' Daughter is Alive	Key Verse: Matthew 19:26
Feb 5	Big Idea: Jesus can do anything.	Bible Basis: Luke 8:40-42, 49-56
7.2	Jesus Heals the Sick People	Key Verse: Matthew 19:26
Feb 12	Big Idea: Jesus can do anything.	Bible Basis: Matt. 9:27-31; 12:9-14; John 5:1-15
7.3	The Unforgiving Servant	Key Verse: Colossians 3:13
Feb 19	Big Idea: Jesus wants me to forgive.	Bible Basis: Matthew 18:21-35
7.4	The Lost Son Returns	Key Verse: Colossians 3:13
Feb 26	Big Idea: Jesus wants me to forgive.	Bible Basis: Luke 15:11-24

# Unit 8

#### **PLAYTIME THEATER**



Playtime is "yay" time for preschoolers! Every little kid loves to play and now they get to do it during the storytelling time. During "Playtime Theater," each preschooler will have their own cutout characters from the Bible story. As the story is told, they'll get to move their characters as if they were action figures in an unfolding adventure through the life of Jesus.

8.1	The Leper Who Said, "Thanks!"	Key Verse: Psalm 107:1
Mar 5	Big Idea: I can say, "Thank you, Jesus!"	Bible Basis: Luke 17:11-19
8.2	Jesus Feeds 4,000 People	Key Verse: Psalm 107:1
Mar 12	Big Idea: I can say, "Thank you, Jesus!"	Bible Basis: Matthew 15:29-39
8.3	Mary and Martha	Key Verse: Matthew 19:14
Mar 19	Big Idea: Jesus wants to spend time with me.	Bible Basis: Luke 10:38-42



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# Unit 9

#### TOPHER'S EASTER SEEK AND FIND



That silly little gopher has done it again and now we have an Easter emergency. Topher the Gopher has hidden our Easter story pictures inside the Bible story drawing. No worries, though! The preschool kids are on the hunt. During "Topher's Easter Seek and Find," preschoolers will seek high and low within the drawing to find the hidden pictures. Once found, the pictures will help tell the greatest story ever—the story of a Love that's more powerful than death.

9.1	The Lord's Prayer	Key Verse: Jeremiah 29:12
Mar 26	Big Idea: God hears me when I pray.	Bible Basis: Matthew 6:5-15
9.2	Jesus Prays in the Garden	Key Verse: Jeremiah 29:12
Apr 2	Big Idea: God hears me when I pray.	Bible Basis: Matthew 26:36-56
9.3	Jesus is Alive	Key Verse: Matthew 28:6
Apr 9	Big Idea: I can tell everyone that Jesus is alive.	Bible Basis: Matthew 27:32-28:10
9.4	Jesus Says to Go and Tell	Key Verse: Matthew 28:6
Apr 16	Big Idea: I can tell everyone that Jesus is alive.	Bible Basis: John 20:19-29; Matthew 28:16-20

## Unit 10

# LIGHTS, CAMERA, ACTION!



Quiet on the set—it's movie making time! During "Lights, Camera, Action!" the preschoolers will give the performance of a lifetime as they act out scenes from Bible stories about the early church. When shooting wraps up, they'll have discovered that the church is our supporting cast, but Jesus is the real star of the show!

10.1	Saul Sees the Light	Key Verse: Galatians 6:2
Apr 23	Big Idea: My church helps me and I help my church.	Bible Basis: Acts 9:1-19
10.2	Saul's Great Basket Escape	Key Verse: Galatians 6:2
Apr 30	Big Idea: My church helps me and I help my church.	Bible Basis: Acts 9:19-25
10.3	Barnabas the Encourager	Key Verse: Galatians 6:2
May 7	Big Idea: My church helps me and I help my church.	Bible Basis: Acts 4:36-37; 13:1-3; 15:36-41
10.4	Peter and the Prison Break	Key Verse: 1 Thessalonians 5:17
May 14	Big Idea: I can pray to Jesus anytime, anywhere, and about anything.	Bible Basis: Acts 12:1-19
10.5	Paul and Silas' Big Quake	Key Verse: 1 Thessalonians 5:17
May 21	Big Idea: I can pray to Jesus anytime, anywhere, and about anything.	Bible Basis: Acts 16:16-40



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#### Unit 11

#### SUPER DUPER STICKER PARTY



A sticker for you, a sticker for me, what's more fun than a sticker party! During the "Super Duper Sticker Party," each preschooler gets their own set of stickers to stick to their Bible story picture. The story unfolds one sticker at a time to reveal the Bible's best friendships. Through it all, the preschoolers will discover the beauty of a friend who sticks closer than a brother and the forever friendship we can have when we stick with Jesus.

11.1	Moses and Aaron	Key Verse: Proverbs 18:24
May 30	Big Idea: God gives me friends who help.	Bible Basis: Exodus 7:1-13
11.2	Ruth and Naomi	Key Verse: Proverbs 18:24
June 4	Big Idea: God gives me friends who stick close.	Bible Basis: Ruth 1:1-18
11.3	David and Jonathan	Key Verse: Proverbs 18:24
June 11	Big Idea: God gives me friends who love.	Bible Basis: 1 Samuel 20
11.4	Jesus and Zacchaeus	Key Verse: John 15:14
June 18	Big Idea: Jesus wants to be my forever friend.	Bible Basis: Luke 19:1-10
11.5	Breakfast with Jesus	Key Verse: John 15:15
June 25	Big Idea: God gives me helpers. I'm a helper too!	Big Idea: Jesus wants to be my forever friend.

## Unit 12

## **FACE TIME WITH FELIX**



Happy or sad, scared or mad, our faces say it all! During "Face Time with Felix," preschool kids will get to make faces with their new friend, Felix the Fox. Together, Felix and the kids will put a face to the many emotions found in the Bible. One face at a time, the Bible story will come alive as the children learn that God is with them no matter how they feel and He helps them show kindness.

12.1	Lazarus and the Very Sad Day	Key Verse: Matthew 28:20
July 2	Big Idea: God is with me when I'm sad.	Bible Basis: John 11:1-44
12.2	David Gets Mad	Key Verse: Matthew 28:20
July 9	Big Idea: God is with me when I'm mad.	Bible Basis: 1 Samuel 25:1-35
12.3	David and Mephibosheth	Key Verse: Ephesians 4:32
July 16	Big Idea: God wants me to be kind.	Bible Basis: 2 Sam. 4:4; 2 Sam. 9
12.4	Ruth and Boaz	Key Verse: Ephesians 4:32
July 23	Big Idea: God wants me to be kind.	Bible Basis: Ruth 2
12.5	Elisah's Servant Feels Afraid	Key Verse: Matthew 28:20
July 30	God is with me when I'm scared.	Bible Basis: 2 Kings 6:8-23