

Spend some time thinking about the question below and journal your thoughts or share them with a parent.



Journaling lines for the question: WHAT ARE CREATIVE WAYS TO HONOR GOD?



Day 1

After watching, write one thing that:

Watch this week's episode of The So & So Show by going to: <https://bit.ly/PreteenSundaysatHome>

Even if you already saw it at church, feel free to check it out again!

- 1. You liked:
2. You learned:
3. You'd like to know:

Day 2

Read Exodus 25:8-9; 28:1,3; 31:1-11, 35:21,25,34; 39:42-43

Find a good spot to make a fort out of pillows and blankets. Build the fort—we'll call it a tent today—and get a flashlight. Take this devo, your Bible, and the flashlight into the tent and read the passages. As you read through it, imagine how much work it must have taken to build the tabernacle, and all the creativity that went into bringing it to life.

If possible, leave up your fort the rest of the week.

Day 3

The tabernacle was a place the Israelites could gather and worship God.

Eventually, the people gathered to worship God in a temple. Today, we can go to church and worship God with the songs we sing and stories we hear and learn from. But it gets better—because Jesus is always with us through the Holy Spirit, we can now worship God anywhere and in so many ways—even with our creativity that expresses how God created us!

Use your imagination to honor God today with a prayer, a poem, or a song. For inspiration, make a list of things that make God worthy of being honored. God's love, God's power, God's creativity, God's perfection, God's kindness, etc. Then use that list to write a beautiful prayer, praising God for who God is.

(If you left your tent up, that could be a great place to do this!)



Day 4

Did you know that simply talking about God with others can bring God honor?

Find a couple of friends or family members who also trust in God and play a game of I Spy: Outside Edition. With a parent's permission, sit outside and play "I Spy," specifically looking for things that God created.

(Not sure how to play I Spy? Whoever is "it," says, "I spy with my eye something . . ." and then names either the color of the object ("something that is red") or the first letter of the word ("something that starts with 'l'). Then the other players take turns guessing what that person saw. The first person to get it right is "it" the next round.)

When you're done with the game, take turns naming the parts of God's creation that you enjoy the most.



Day 5

What are creative ways to honor God?

Sometimes we think of creativity in terms of what it does for us, but God created us to be creative. That means we can honor God when we use our creativity to love God and love others. Think back to the things we've learned about creativity this month:

- God created you so you can be creative.
- God created you for a purpose.
- You can use what God gave you to solve problems.
- Use your imagination to honor God.

Use these as inspiration for a way you can use your creativity to honor God this week:

- You can do something to remind others they were created by God.
- You can use your gifts or talents to show others how great God is.
- You can use your creativity to solve a problem and show others how much God loves them.

Write out what you plan to do here, and how you will honor God with your imagination as you live out your creativity.
