

# WEEK 1

## PRESCHOOL LESSON GUIDE



### TEACHING TIME

#### MUSIC | Paradise Praise

- **INSTRUCTIONS:** Play some fun worship songs for the kids to sing and dance along to! You can check out these fun, upbeat songs:
  - ["There are Promises."](#)
  - ["Sin Messed Everything Up."](#)

#### THE BIG IDEA | God promised to fix what was broken.

- Today, we will hear how the first people messed up in the perfect world God had given them. But first, let's see what God promised.
- Let's say today's Big Idea together: **God promised to fix what was broken.**

#### VIDEO | Promise, Episode 1

- **INSTRUCTIONS:** Play this week's preschool [teaching video](#).

#### SCRIPTURE | Genesis 1:26-30, 3:1-15, 21-23

- **INSTRUCTIONS:** Use Play-Doh to make visual props as described as you tell the story.
  - **TODDLER HACK:** Let the younger kids play with Play-Doh as you tell the story.
- Our story starts at the very beginning when the world was first created. God made all the Earth and then made the very first people to exist — Adam and Eve. [Read Genesis 1:26-30 as you make a tree with the Play-Doh.]
- God gave the people everything they needed. But even though they were given a paradise, the first man and woman, like people do sometimes, messed up big time. [Read Genesis 3:1-5 as you make a snake with the Play-Doh.]
- **What do you think the woman will do?** Let's find out. [Read Genesis 3:6-15 as you make fruit with the Play-Doh.]
- The first humans disobeyed God. God had provided a perfect world for them, but they chose to ignore the rule about the tree in the middle of the garden. They broke the trust between themselves and God by disobeying. It made God sad! **But do you know what God did?** [Read Genesis 3:21-23 as you make a heart with the Play-Doh.]
- God showed love even after Adam and Eve chose to disobey by clothing them and giving them a place to live when they could no longer live in the garden.

**MEMORY VERSE** | Joshua 21:45

**PRAYER**

- God, we know that You keep Your promises. Thank You for promising to fix what is broken and for giving us the hope that bad or sad times don't always last. Amen.