



A meal to remember

Day 2 - Holiday Club 2020

The Story (from Exodus 12:15-28)

Moses gathered all the people together - all the men, women and children. "Listen," he said, "tonight is special. God is going to free us from Egypt. We will remember this night for ever."

Moses told them to prepare a special meal of meat and bread. Each family should eat the meal standing up, because they would be leaving very soon.

"If you do this," Moses said, "you will show that you belong to God's family. God will keep you safe. We will soon leave Egypt and go to a land of our own."

That night each Israelite family cooked the special meal of meat and bread. Every man, woman and child ate the meal, just as Moses had told them.

"Remember why we are doing this," the grown-ups told the children. "It's because we belong to God's family."

And the children did all remember that special meal. And that same night, they left Egypt and set out for a land of their own.

The Activity

The Israelites were told to 'remember', not just on the night they were freed but forever. Try having a go at one or more of these memory challenges.

1. Find a picture of something, look at for 30 seconds and then try and draw what you saw from memory.
2. Get someone to make something from blocks, look at it for 30 seconds and then try and recreate it with new blocks.

To make these challenges harder you could do them blindfolded or with your eyes closed!



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Reflection questions

Have you ever helped cook a meal? How'd it go?

Is there a meal that's special to you?

Can you see any connections with Jesus' life in this story?

The Prayer

Dear God, thank you for remembering your people and rescuing them. Please help me to remember all that you've done. Amen