



## LESSON 6: GOD HEARS HANNAH'S PRAYER FOR A SON

### CRAFT: PRAYER JAR

#### Supplies

- 1 Empty clean glass or plastic jar or plastic pail
- Ribbon
- Stickers and anything you want to use to decorate jar
- Tissue paper
- Craft sticks
- Glue
- Scissors
- Markers



#### Make Your Prayer Jar

Grab your jar and decorate it with your stickers, ribbons and any decorations you want to use. Next, write something you want to pray about on your craft stick with a marker. Some examples could be to pray about the well being of a loved one, to pray for your community, pray for your family and anything that is important to you. After you are done writing what you want to pray for, you can decorate your prayer stick with strips of tissue paper or stickers. When your prayer sticks are done, put them in your prayer jar. Whenever you pray, you can look to your prayer jar.

#### Add Prayers

We've been learning that God hears our prayers. Sometimes when we pray about something, we keep on worrying about it. We don't fully trust God to answer our prayer in the best way.

Your prayer jar will be a place you can give your deepest prayers to God.

## Talk About It

Describe your attitude when you pray. Why do you think we sometimes pray for the same thing over and over?

Since having a son was so dear to her heart, Hannah probably prayed about it more than just the one time we read about in today's Bible story. That's great! It's okay to talk to God about the same topic a lot of times.

Actually, it's okay to talk to God about anything and everything! Using your prayer vault shows that you're giving your concerns and desires to God, just as Hannah did. You can trust that God hears our prayers.