

Welcome to SPC Kids Corner!

September 11th, 2022



Today we will discuss God's promise to us, via Genesis 9:8 - 17

- Read along with the text, and take a look at the activity pages! (Don't forget your crayons!) For those worshipping in-person, we will meet in the parlor after the Word with Children for crafts, exploration, and engagement.
- Make sure to check out **some** of the lyrics to one of my favorite church songs (pg 3), and take home the fun facts (last page)
- Remember to bring completed **Bingo cards** for a special prize!

- If you're unable to join us, we'd love to see what you're up to at home! Please send any photos you would like to share in the **Church slideshow** to David Kozich at kozichd1@gmail.com

Have Fun, and Happy Sunday!

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Genesis 9:8-17 (NRSV)

God's Promise through a Rainbow

8 Then God said to Noah and to his sons with him, **9** "As for me, I am establishing my covenant with you and your descendants after you **10** and with every living creature that is with you, the birds, the domestic animals, and every animal of the earth with you, as many as came out of the ark.

11 I establish my covenant with you, that never again shall all flesh be cut off by the waters of a flood, and never again shall there be a flood to destroy the earth." **12** God said, "This is the sign of the covenant that I make between me and you and every living creature that is with you, for all future generations:

13 I have set my bow in the clouds, and it shall be a sign of the covenant between me and the earth. **14** When I bring clouds over the earth and the bow is seen in the clouds, **15** I will remember my covenant that is between me and you and every living creature of all flesh, and the waters shall never again become a flood to destroy all flesh. **16** When the bow is in the clouds, I will see it and remember the everlasting covenant between God and every living creature of all flesh that is on the earth." **17** God said to Noah, "This is the sign of the covenant that I have established between me and all flesh that is on the earth."

SINGING THE STORY (PK-2ND; 5 MINUTES)

RISE AND SHINE

Sing a popular children's song about Noah's ark.

Note: The tune to this song, as well as more fun verses, can be found online.

Refrain:

Rise and shine and give God the glory, glory

Rise and shine and give God the glory, glory

Rise and shine and give God the glory, glory, Children of the Lord.

The Lord said to Noah: 'There's gonna' be a floody, floody

The Lord said to Noah: 'There's gonna' be a floody, floody

Get those children out of the muddy, muddy, Children of the Lord.

The Lord said to Noah to build him an arky, arky

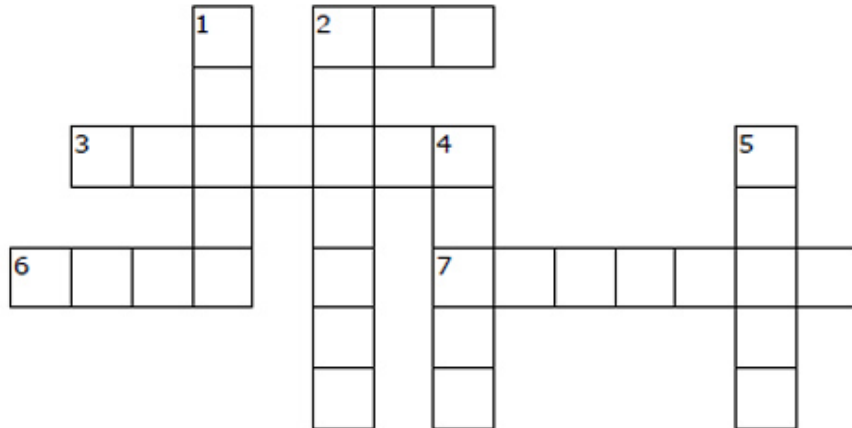
The Lord said to Noah to build him an arky, arky

Build it out of hickory barky, barky, Children of the Lord.

The Rainbow of Promise

"Whenever the rainbow appears in the clouds, I will see it and remember the everlasting covenant between God and all living creatures of every kind on the earth." Genesis 9:16

Puzzle is based on Genesis 9:8-17



ACROSS

2. A large boat in which Noah and his family were saved from the Flood
3. An agreement between two people do do (or not do) something
6. A winged animal covered with feathers
7. A colored arc of light that appears in the sky after it rains

DOWN

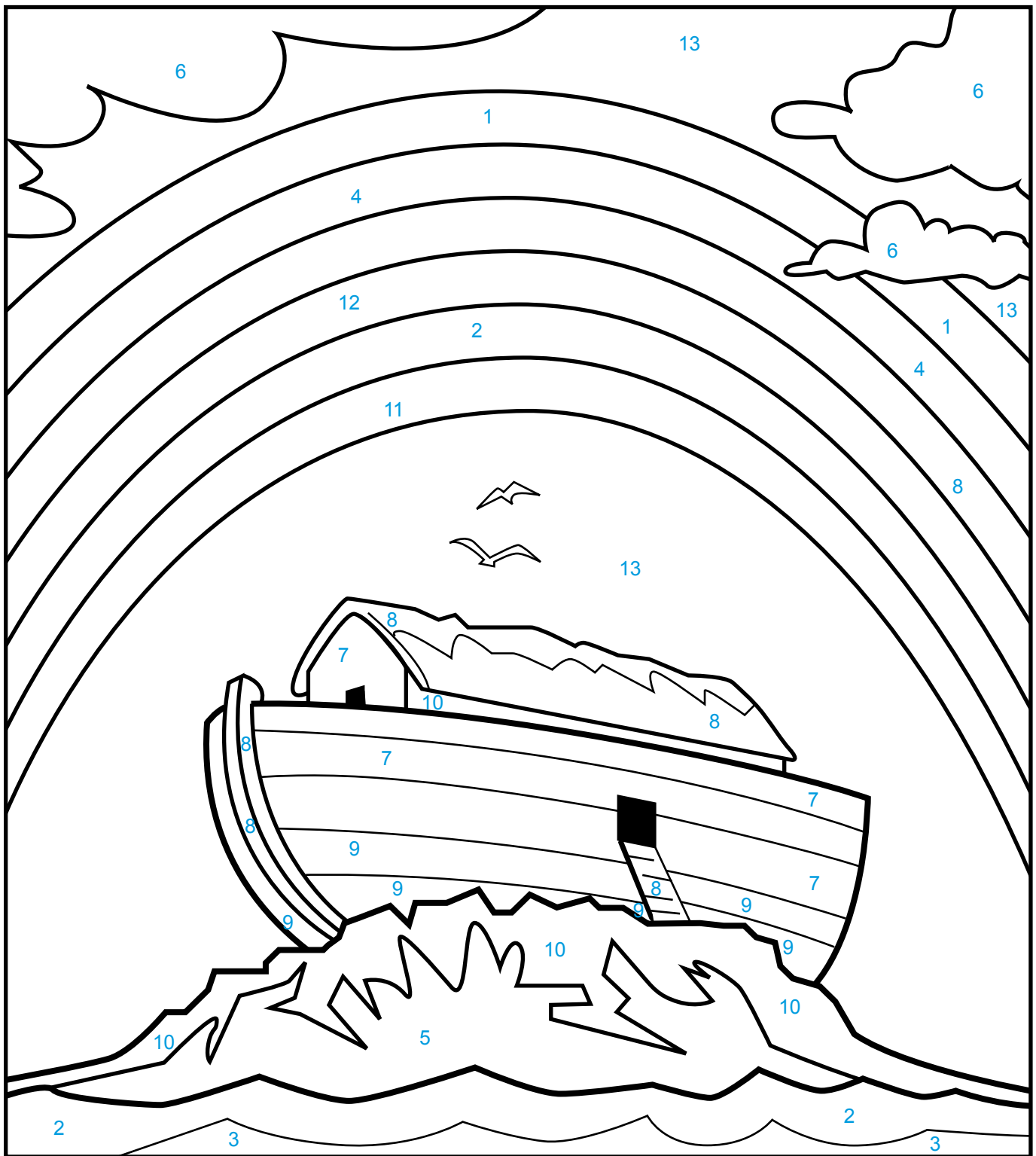
1. A great amount of water that rises and spreads over the land
2. Dogs, cats, lions, and tigers for example.
4. The planet where you and I live
5. A light puffy mass of water vapor floating in the sky

BIRD ARK	RAINBOW CLOUD	EARTH ANIMALS	PROMISE FLOOD
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God Made a Promise to Noah Color by Number

Color each section by the colors shown in the list at the bottom of the page. If you don't have all of the colors listed or find an area that's not numbered, make your best color choice.



1. Red
2. Dark Blue
3. Blue
4. Orange
5. Dark Green
6. Light Gray
7. Tan
8. Yellow
9. Brown
10. Dark Gray
11. Violet
12. Light Green
13. Sky Blue

Noah's Ark

The ark God told Noah to build was 300 cubits long, 50 cubits wide, and 30 cubits high.

Was there really room for all those animals?



A cubit is the distance from a man's elbow to the tip of his longest finger. (Today's "standard cubit" is 18 inches.) So how big was the ark in feet?*

Consider this: Noah's ark was about the size of one and one-half football fields or two Boeing 747s. It held about as much as 569 railroad stock cars.

That's BIG!



The ark was waterproofed by filling in every crack with pitch (a tar-like substance) both inside and out.

You bet it floated!

The ark held Noah, his family, and every kind of animal that couldn't survive in the water.

*450 feet long, 75 feet wide, and 45 feet high.