Mimi & Lumi

SUNDAY SCHOOL & FAMILY SHEET

Joseph's Dream

Episode 11 · Matthew 1:18–25 · for ages 2 to 6 · 5½ minutes



The Bible story

1:21 And she shall bring forth a son, and thou shalt call his name JESUS: for he shall save his people from their sins.
1:23 Behold, a virgin shall be with child, and shall bring forth a son, and they shall call his name Emmanuel, which being interpreted is, God with us.

Matthew 1:21, 23, King James Version

What we learn

- ✓ Joseph was going to marry Mary. When he found out she was going to have a baby, he didn't understand, and he was sad.
- ✓ God sent an angel to talk to Joseph in a dream: "thou shalt call his name JESUS: for he shall save his people from their sins" (Matthew 1:21).
- ✓ Jesus is Emmanuel, "God with us" (Matthew 1:23). Joseph woke up and did just what God said. And God is with us too, even in the dark.

Memory verse

"God with us."

Matthew 1:23

Watch together

Scan the code to watch the episode free, then talk about it together.

mimiandlumi.com/episodes/josephs-dream/

Talk about it

1. Who talked to Joseph in his dream?
2. What did Joseph do when he woke up?
3. God is with you in the dark, and when you sleep. How does that make you feel?

Try this

Sleep and wake, like Joseph. Your child lies down and pretends to sleep. Whisper, "Joseph, fear not!", and they jump up and do something you ask straight away, like giving a hug. Then say together, "God is with me!", and the memory verse: "God with us" (Matthew 1:23).

Then do the word search together.

Pray together

Dear God, thank You for sending Jesus. Thank You that You are always with me, even in the dark. Help me listen to You, like Joseph. Amen.

Free to copy for homes, churches and schools.

Scripture quotations from The Authorized (King James) Version. Rights in the Authorized Version in the United Kingdom are vested in the Crown. Reproduced by permission of the Crown's patentee, Cambridge University Press.