

MAIN POINT:

God Takes Care of Me

BIBLE VERSE:

"Lord, no one is like you. You are great. You are mighty and powerful." Jeremiah 10:6a

BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

Elijah loved God and followed Him. One time when God was speaking to Elijah, He told him that there wasn't going to be rain for a long time. In contrast, the king of Israel at that time, Ahab, did not love nor follow God. King Ahab got mad at Elijah for telling him that God said it wasn't going to rain for a long time. Elijah had to hide from the angry King. While Elijah was hiding, he didn't have food or water. God provided for Elijah by sending him ravens with bread and meat and told Elijah to go to the river for water. God took care of Elijah and He takes care of us.

WATCH IT

Find the lesson video on our website: www.cschurch.ca/children-faith-at-home

DO IT → PLACEMAT

Sign up to receive a Ministry Box each month that includes supplies for our activities.

<https://www.cschurch.ca/childrens-ministries-ministry-box-sign-up/>

Supplies:

- Placemat template (1 per child, see last pages)
- Food templates (1 set per child, see last pages)
- Colouring markers or crayons
- Glue stick
- Scissors

Activity Instructions:

- Print the templates.
- Cut out the food and drink templates.
- Have your child colour and decorate their food and placemat pieces.
- Glue the food onto the plate on the placemat and the drink over the circle.
- Use it at your next meal to remember all the things God has given you to eat.

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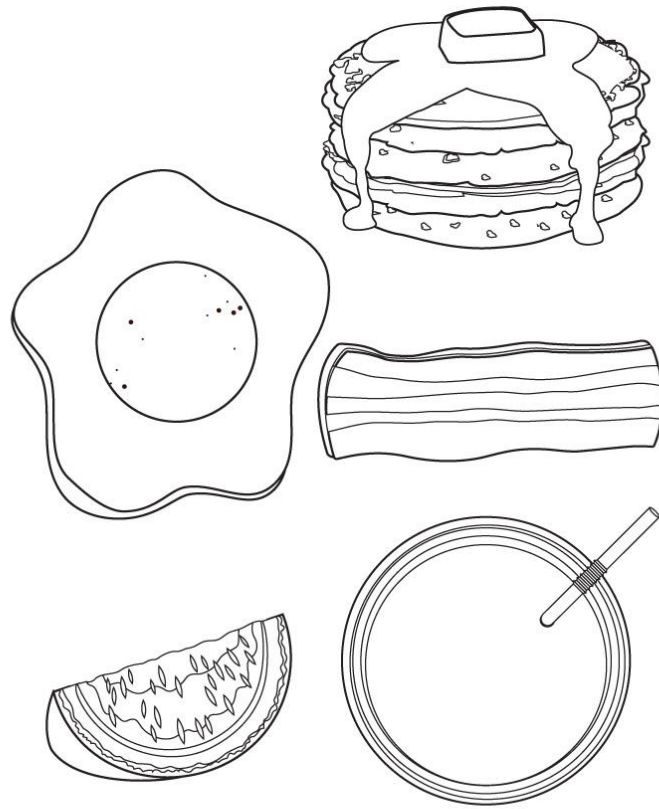
TALK ABOUT IT:

1. **When God cared for Elijah he gave him water from a river and sent ravens to bring him bread. What kinds of food do you like to eat?** (Allow your child to share their favourites.)
2. **God loves you and cares for you. God cares for you so much that He gives you everything you need. He has given you a family, clothes, and a place to live. He gives you the food you eat too. Let's look around our house (or go for a walk!) and find all the things God has given us and say Thank you to God.** (Beds to sleep in, Thank you God! Clothes to wear, Thank you God. Sunshine to warm our faces, Thank you God! Puppies to cuddle, Thank you God. Grandparents to snuggle, Thank you God!)

FAMILY PRAYER:

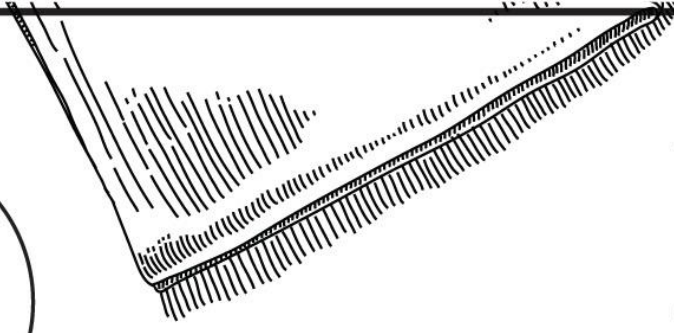
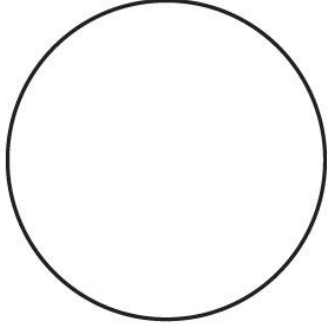
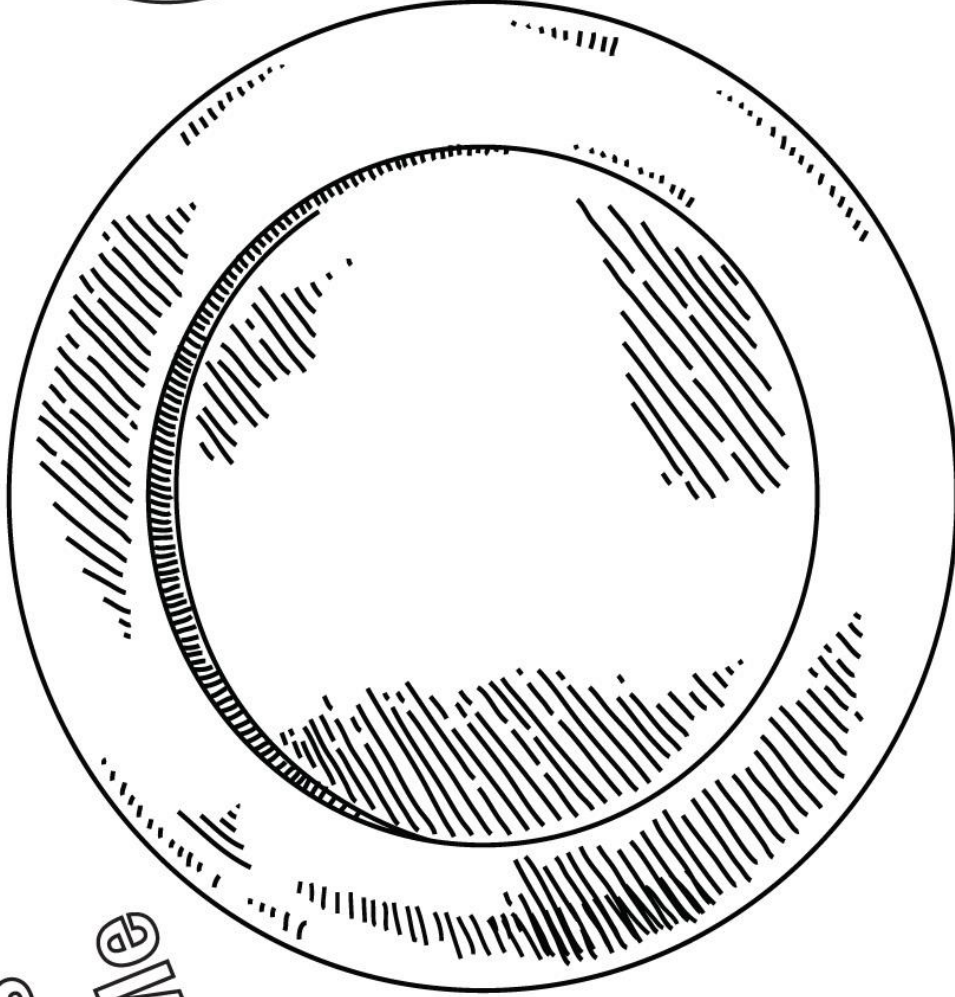
Dear Jesus, All around us are the things you have given to us because you care for us. Thank you for giving us what we need. In your name, Amen

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