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## Go and Tell Bible Truth Concept Craft

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### Listen to God's Word Preached

#### Craft Description

The children will decorate a card reminding them that God's people gather together to learn from God's Word the Bible, especially through preaching.

#### Materials

White paper or cardstock (preferable)  
Markers or crayons  
Glue  
Scissors

#### Preparations

1. Print out the craft pages on two separate pages.
2. Set out markers/crayons.

#### Introducing the Craft:

"Our Big Question is: "Why Do God's People Go to Church? To Worship God and Love One Another...by learning from God's Word, the Bible!" That's something very good to know. But many people don't know that. So, do you know what God wants us to do? He wants us to go and tell others this very important news. So today we are going to make something we can show and tell them, too. Here's what it looks like... (Hold up example of craft)."

#### Directions

1. Show children your finished craft, reading the words to them.
2. Have the children color in the pictures of the front of the church and the inside of the church.
3. Teacher cuts open doors on all edges but one so that doors swing open. You may want to cut even wider than the doors to reveal more of the inside picture. Then glue back piece to front piece, matching opening of church with pastor, etc.
4. Make sure to write each child's name on their craft.
5. If you have time, you can practice saying the words on the card.

#### Discussion

This is an especially good time to re-read the key concepts and discuss them. See the Deep Down Discussion Sheet for possible questions to talk about. Make sure to explain to them how they can become God's people by turning away from their sins and trusting in Jesus as their Savior.

#### Craft Wrap-Up:

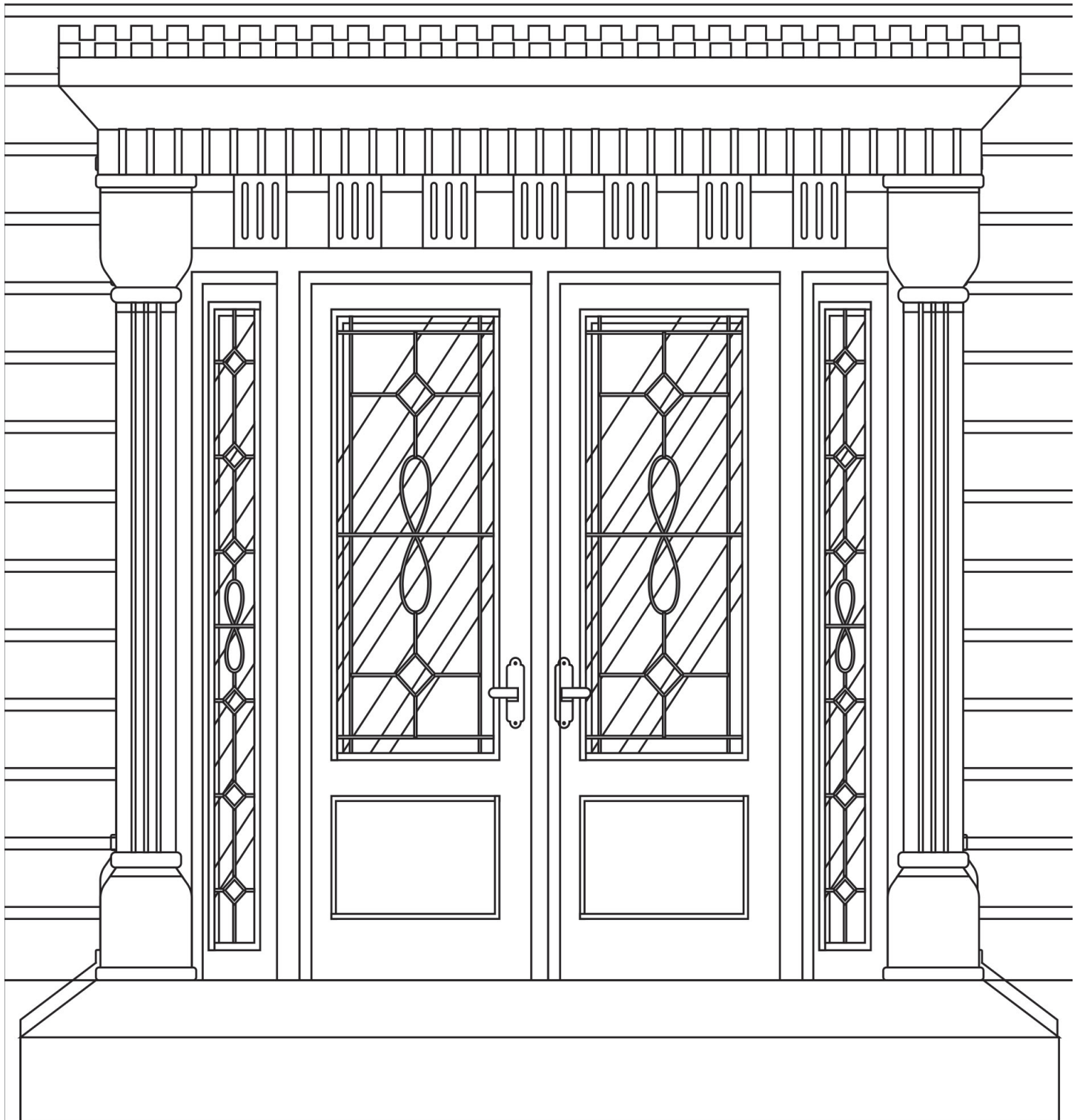
"At the end of our time together today, you get to take home your Go and Tell crafts. And what are you going to do with them? Show and tell someone the important news you've learned today: "Why Do God's People Go to Church? To Worship God and Love One Another...by learning from God's Word, the Bible!"

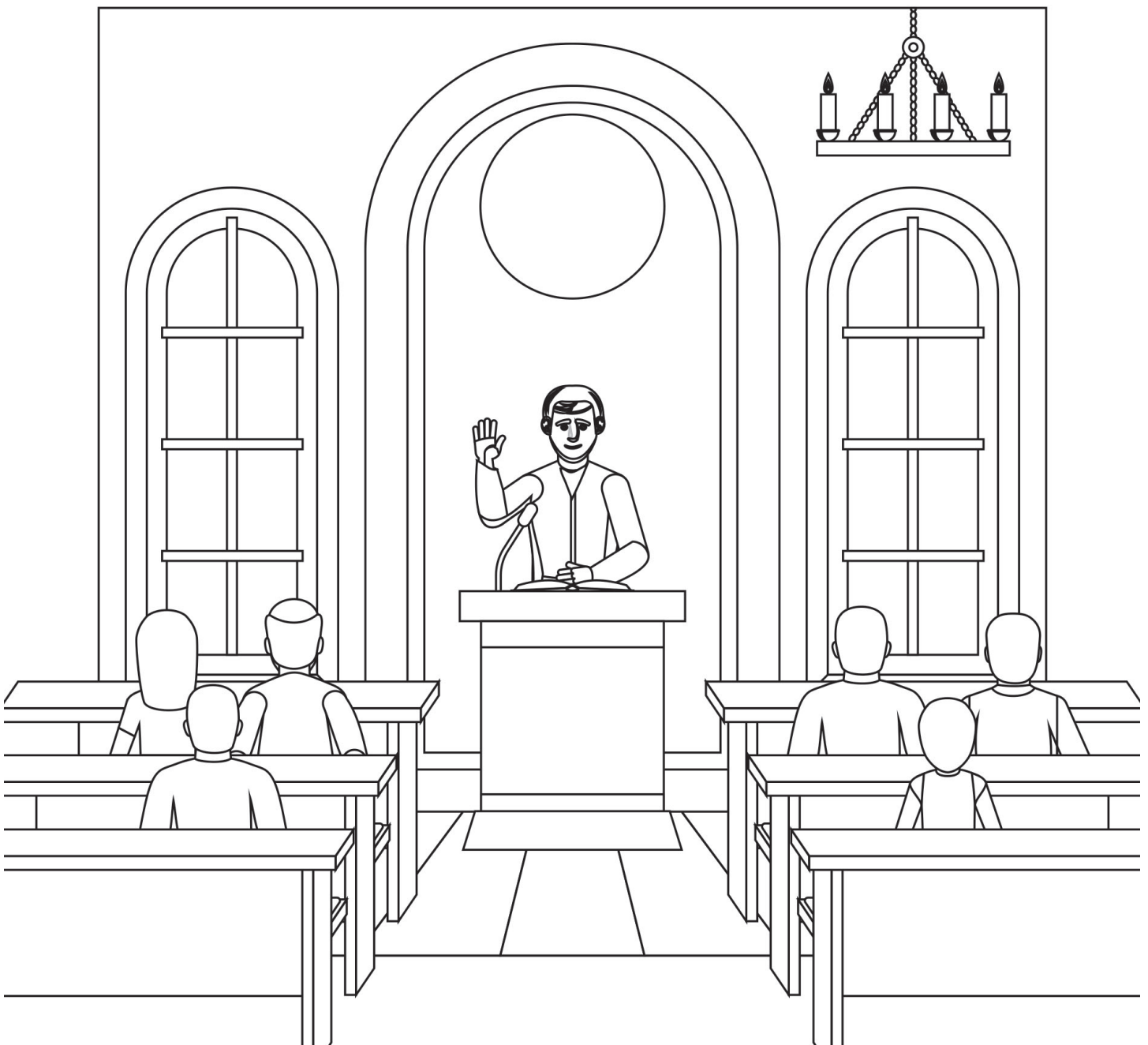
**Other Craft Option:** You can also collect boxes and glue the church front to the front of your box and add the pastor to the inside of the box. Have the children add the congregation with simple paper doll chain people.

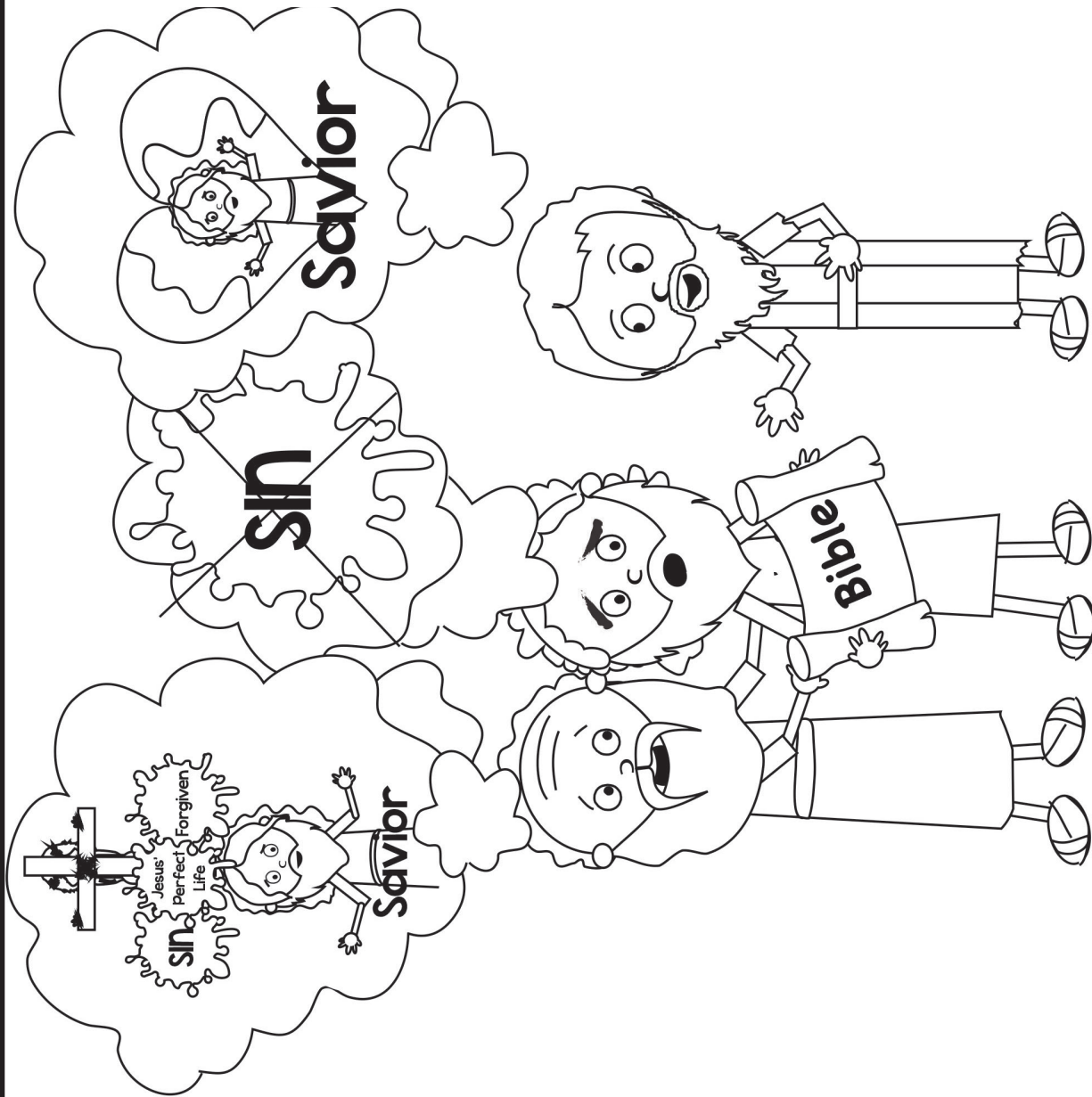


**Why Do God's People Go to Church?  
To Worship God and Love One Another...  
by learning from God's Word, the Bible  
To Worship God and Love One Another...**

**"Devote yourself to the public reading of Scripture,  
to preaching and to teaching."  
1 Timothy 4:13**







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### The Case of the Faithful Leader Jigsaw Puzzle Page Acts 16:1; 1 & 2 Timothy

Make copies of picture and cut out into an appropriate number of pieces for your children.  
Or, you can print out color versions of this puzzle by downloading it from [praisefactory.org](http://praisefactory.org).

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