

Finding Shapes

Play a fun game where you look for different shapes all around. You can do this by looking through a cardboard tube or without one. One person looks around the room and finds something that has a particular shape and says, "I see something square!" (It may be something like a window, a wall or a chair.) The rest of the family must guess what this object is. Hints can be provided if no one gets it soon. Allow about two to three minutes of guessing before providing some excellent hints. Take turns playing this game. You can even play the game while traveling in the car!

It's Pizza Time!

You will need: frozen pizza dough; pizza sauce; mozzarella cheese; and favorite pizza toppings.

Gather the entire family together to make a pizza! See how many shapes you can create and find during your cooking and eating time. For example: the crust may be a circle, square or rectangle; the toppings may include pepperoni circles, rectangle pieces of onion or green pepper, and when you cut the pizza, you can cut it into triangles! Be sure to thank God for the blessings of food and shapes.

God's Amazing Shapes

Teach the children the chorus to BOZ, Drew and Gracie's shape song. Try to identify something in the room that is a circle, square or triangle after each time you sing it:

I see shapes, what do you see? Circles and squares as plain as can be! Triangles, too! Wowiebozowee! I see shapes, what do you see?

Reinforce that all the shapes we see come from God's amazing creations.

Bible verse:

He determines the number of the stars and calls them each by name. Psalm 147:4

Read your children the verse and ask them to repeat it a few words at a time after you. Ask them if they think they can make a star shape with their bodies. Then show them how by telling them to stand up, spread their legs apart and stretch out their arms at each side.

Point out that God made all of the fun shapes we see in the world. Just like BOZ, Drew and Gracie, we should remember to praise God every day for every terrific shape we see!

