

—LifeWay Children's Crafts Overview—

Day 1:

- **Foundation of Love Barricade Door Hanger (craft pack)**
 - You can purchase foam board at the Dollar Tree. Will need to precut the orange pieces.
- **Jesus Loves Me Bag**
 - Use dark colored bags or white but then use colored chalk. Be sure the sack isn't shiny or slick. The chalk will not stick to it. I purchased sacks at dollar tree 2 for a dollar and the chalk. You can order in bulk from Dollar Tree and have it sent to the store with no shipping cost.
- **Washer Bracelet (like)**
 - I used a Hemp Cord, one with a 1 1/4 inch washer and a 1 inch washer. The only issue I had was trying to get the cording through the bead. Be sure the bead you use has a large hole. It is a challenge getting the second set of cord through the bead. I finally taped the ends and cut it diagonally. 1st and 2nd graders may need help.

Day 2:

- **Foundation of Forgiveness Forgiven Backpack Tag (craft pack)**
 - It was a little hard to get started but after getting the first bead on it was good. The cross was very hard to get through. I had to use an awl to open the hole a little. You can order beads on Amazon for 11.99. There are 60 beads per letter of the alphabet.
- **I-Beam Puzzle**
 - I used jumbo craft sticks from Dollar Tree. Using 7 of them wasn't enough for the picture to fit on. I cut the picture down to fit 6 jumbo craft sticks. You will need to have an adult cut the Bible template after it is glued and dried.
- **Glow-in-the-Dark Slime**
 - After the first time, it was a complete failure. I let my granddaughter make it. And of course, it turned out perfectly. We did use an Elmer's Slime Activator. It was much easier. We only had to add water. I purchased a bottle at Hobby Lobby for 12.99 but found the same size bottle on Amazon for half the price. Also, I found an activator at Walmart for half the price of Hobby Lobby. The kids would love this. Be sure to have containers to put it in to be carried home: ones with a tight seal. I ordered some from Amazon.

Day 3:

- **Foundation of Worth Etched in Steel Cross (craft pack)**
 - Craft pack was super easy and quick. Home Depot has the foil tape for \$15.75 for 60 yards. When looking for foil tape it is in the plumbing supply section. You can also find it on Amazon.
- **Prayer Toolbox**
 - Interesting! Took Papa David and I both to figure this one out. We finally got it. I did score the paper with the tracing tool I purchased for the coin purse craft. I purchased scrapbook paper from Hobby Lobby and black cardstock from Walmart. Try making one from a folder!
- **Construct It Yarn Art**
 - Very easy. My granddaughter made this one and had fun with it.

Day 4:

- **Foundation of Promise (craft pack) Galvanized Coin Pouch (craft pack)**
 - This craft was pretty easy. I made one from cardstock. It was hard to fold. I ordered a tracing tool from Amazon for 7.00 to use to perforate the cardstock. It was much easier after scoring paper with a tracing tool. You can get them at Hobby Lobby or JoAnns.
- **Blueprint Maze**
 - Cute and easy. Children will finish early. You may need an additional activity. It was suggested to have the kids use the man to follow the bible verse. Have the bible verse written in a scrambled form and have the kids use construction worker figures to say the bible verse in order.

Day 5:

- **Foundation for Life Wise Builder Photo Frame (craft pack)**
 - I only made one from a craft pack. Pattern is in the back of the craft book. It says to enlarge the pattern 150 percent. It is a little large to me. But you can size it down if you need to.
- **Solid Rock Trivet**
 - I made one from a ceramic 4 x 4 tile using glass flat bottom marble. I, also, made a second one with a wood base with rocks purchased from Dollar Tree. My granddaughter made both of these. We used super glue on the tile one and Craft Tacky glue on the wood one. I also put felt dots on the underside to protect furniture.

- **Concrete & Cranes Tape Measure**
 - I used a Kraft Mac-N-Cheese box. It worked perfectly. Follow the instructions. You would need to pre-cut the boxes and may have to wrap some of them for the younger children: also the measuring tape. You can even have them pre-printed on cardstock. It doesn't take long. You will need an additional activity for the children.
- **Concrete Planter (3-5 Day Craft)**

Resources:

- Pinterest
- www.teacherspayteachers.com
- Bible Fun for Kids
- Bible Kids Fun Zone
- DLTK Bible activities
- <https://vbs.lifeway.com/>
- Mardel (Christian Book Store)
- Arkansas Baptist State Convention (Emily Smith or Leah Jo Wilson)

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