

Net Full of Fish Craft

Supplies needed:

- Paper plate
- construction paper in various colors
- clear plastic wrap
- blue washable paint or crayons
- Scissors
- Sharpie, black permanent marker

What to do:

- First put some globs of paint on the plate and have your child use their fingers to cover the plate with the paint or let them color the plate blue to look like water.
- As they work on painting/coloring the plate, stack different colored construction paper, draw some fish on them for your child to cut out. Depending their skill level, you may need to help.
- Once the paint is dry or if colored, have your child put the fish into the water! Remind them who made the fish, who made everything.
- After all the fish are on the plate, place the clear plastic wrap over the plate, secure it to the back with tape. Then let your child draw the net on top. Draw diagonal lines from one direction then from the opposite direction to crisscross each other.

As you finish out the craft, revisit the story of how Peter and a few of the disciples went fishing but couldn't catch any fish. Then Jesus told them to throw their nets on the right side of their boat. It seemed silly, but they trusted in Jesus. And because they did, they were rewarded with SO MANY fish in their nets that the boat started to be pulled under. Talk about how we can trust God always, even when it doesn't seem like it will help.





Supplies needed:

- blue construction
- paper in different colors
- yarn
- crayons
- Scissors

What to do:

- First, print the 'Fishes' activity page on different colored paper or let kids color the fish different colors.
- When fish are read, glue them all around the blue construction paper to fill it up.

Remind kids who made the fish, who made everything.

• After all the fish are on the plate, let child measure, cut & tape pieces of yarn across the fish to make the net. Start yarn pieces going diagonal from one direction across the page and when finished crisscross the yarn from the opposite diagonal direction. (Secure yarn to the back of the construction paper with tape.)

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Coffee Filter Fish



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Color coffee filter with washable markers.





Use squirt bottle or flick wet hands to wet filter.



Use cut out triangle for fish tail and draw an eye.

Let filter dry, then cut out small triangle for mouth



Place fish in window to catch the sun!

While making your 'Filter Fish', think and talk about how Jesus continued to show the disciples he cared about them and would always be there for them.