

# Paul and Silas in Prison

This week we continue to look at Acts and the apostles' adventures as they spread the good news about Jesus throughout the known world, this time through the jailing of Paul and Silas.

## Little Kids' and Kids' Church

**Video:** [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5t\\_3BuseTS0](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5t_3BuseTS0)

**Bible Story:** Paul and Silas Acts 16:22-34

**Big Idea:** Paul and Silas in prison

**Big Verses:** 'Believe in the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved—you and your household.' Acts 16:31

**Activity:** Make Silas and Paul in the prison that cracks open

**Idea 1** - use puppets/duplo /lego characters/toys to retell the story

**Idea 2** - Draw Paul and Silas and put sticks/paddlepop sticks/pipe cleaners over them

**Idea 3** - Use wool or thread to weave a prison around Paul and Silas

**Extra Activity:** build the prison out of lego and duplo and crack it open when the earthquake comes

This week our parent resource is also a resource for ministry to children. There are colouring in pages (free), written out lesson plans in full for a wide range of ages and Bible passages, and activities (some good for small groups). <https://ministry-to-children.com/> provides content for multiple ages and interests.

**"God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble. Therefore we will not fear..."**

**Psalm 46:1-2**

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