

Jesus calms the storm

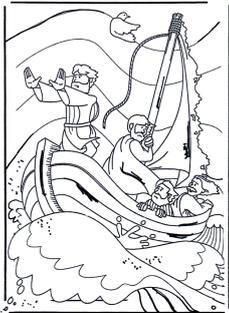
Have you ever been on a roller coaster in a theme park—Its fun isn't it. You feel out of control but if you are strapped in properly then its OK. Sometimes though when you feel that things are out of control it's frightening - in a bad way. The disciples of Jesus were once sailing across the Sea of Galilee. Some of them were fishermen and felt in control until a big storm came up and threatened to capsize the boat. Our story today is about how they had to learn to trust in Jesus, and not just in their own abilities. To have faith means to trust in God at all times, not just when things seem to be 'out of control'.



Craft: Rain Maker

Follow the instructions on the attached sheet to make a this for use later.

Story: [Jesus calms the storm](#) Kids hub tv



Prayer time: Look closely at the picture of Jesus and the disciples in the boat. Imagine what the disciples might be thinking. Are they worried? Are they afraid? They asked Jesus for help.

Are you worried or afraid about anything at the moment? Ask Jesus for his help to deal with it and to help you to feel more calm. You might like to colour in the picture as you pray.

Song time: [My God is able](#) - Vinesong
and [My Lighthouse](#) - Rend Collective

Activity: Paper boat making - details are on attached activity sheet.



Rain Maker

Using either a plastic bottle or a cardboard tube as your container and dried rice or pulses make a rainmaker instrument. Its can be easier to fill the bottle with rice if you use a funnel.

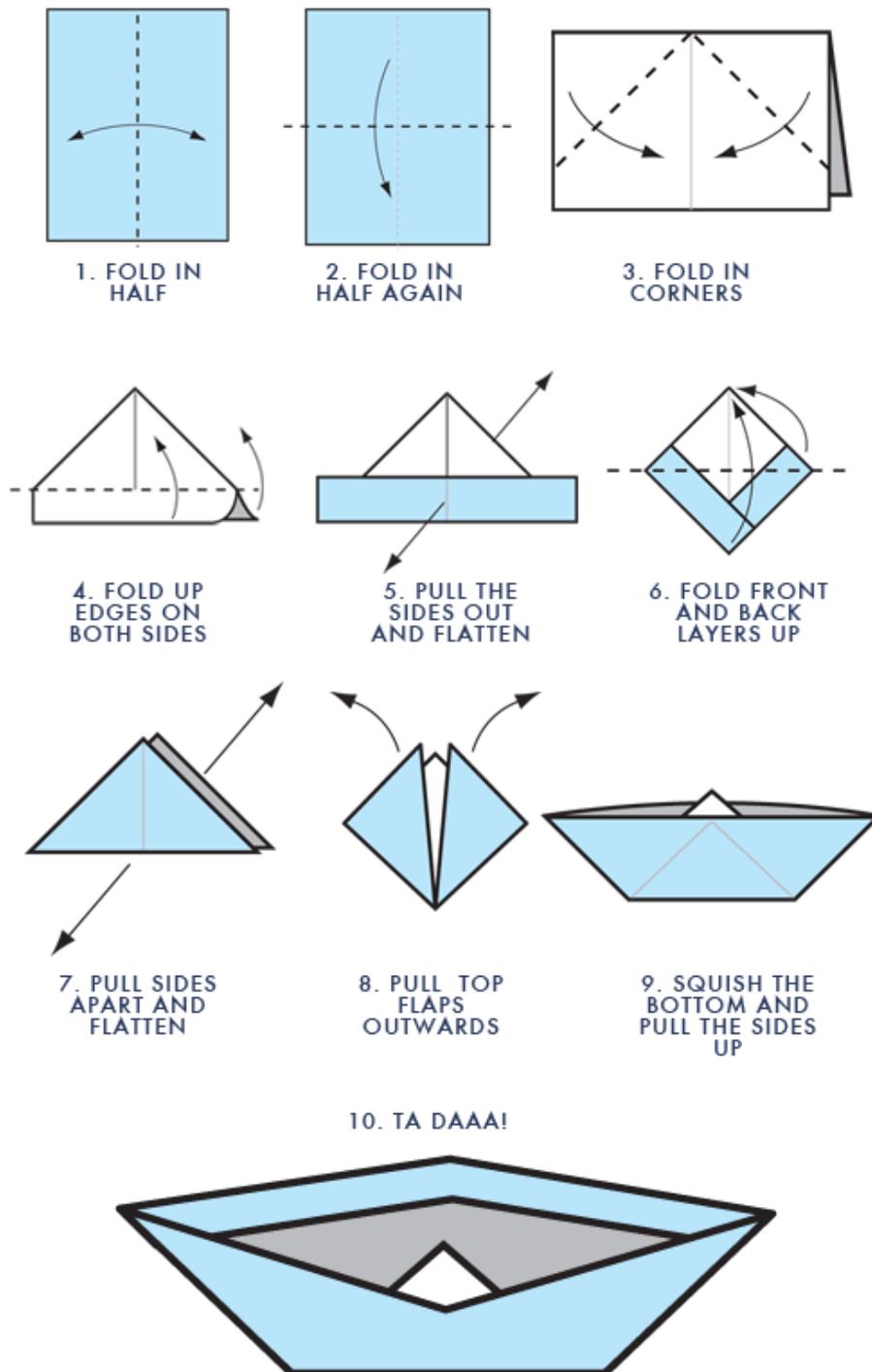
Make sure the cap is replaced nice and tight or cover the end of the tube with paper and stick it around the edge very carefully.

You can decorate the outside with stickers, tape or felt tip pens.

You can use it to make the noise of the rain in todays story and to accompany your singing.



Make a paper boat using these instructions.



You could put in some lego characters and act out today's story,

How about trying your boat out in a sink of water. How well does it float. What happens when you make waves?



