



## Moses: The Burning Bush

**BIG IDEA:** God is always with me, so I can have the courage to do what He asks.

**BIBLE BASIS:** Exodus 3:1–7:13

**KEY VERSE:** “Here is what I am commanding you to do. Be strong and brave. Do not be terrified. Do not lose hope. I am the Lord your God. I will be with you everywhere you go.” Joshua 1:9 (NirV)

### ★ STORY TIME

#### MOSES – THE BURNING BUSH

Watch the “Journey Today Show” on JAM Family Church. Have your Bible ready to look up the story!

### ★ APPLICATION ACTIVITIES

#### A PICTURE OF COURAGE (Application Activity)

In today’s story, God asked Moses to do something really hard and scary, but Moses lacked the courage to do it. This activity that will help us think about some of the really hard things that God wants us to do, and then we’re going to talk about why we can have the courage to do those things.

**Directions:** Everyone gets a piece of paper. Ask everyone to think about and then write or draw something difficult that God might want them to do. It could be something like standing up to a friend who wants them to do something they know is wrong. It may be working through a difficult family situation. Tell everyone to keep it a secret until all are finished. Reveal pictures one at a time and see if others can guess what the difficult thing is on each picture. Brainstorm what they could say or do to give them the courage to follow God in that situation.

Sometimes God asks us to do some things that can make us nervous and take a lot of courage. We just need to remember that God is always with us. Our all-powerful, all-knowing, and all-loving God can help us do what He asks.

#### PLAY DOH PRAYERS (Family Thanksgiving Prayer Activity)

Use play doh to shape things that you are thankful for. When facing difficult things, it is always good to remember God’s goodness. Allow each artist to reveal their thankfulness sculpture and explain why they’re thankful for that thing. Take turns thanking God for each item.

