

EARTHKEEPERS VBS • Creation Care Kids • Caring for Our Common Home

	① God Made Everything	② God Asks Us to Be Caretakers	③ We Use Just What We Need	④ God Teaches Us to Heal Creation	⑤ We Live More Simply and Joyfully!
Opening 20 min	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 📖 Genesis 1:31 🎵 Can You See? 🗣️ Pope Francis & his letter 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 📖 Psalm 24:1 🎵 God's Green Earth 🗣️ Being Caretakers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 📖 Exodus 16:18 🎵 The Manna Song 🗣️ Selfishness & waste 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 📖 1 John 3:17 🎵 One for You and One... 🗣️ Creation has been hurt 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 📖 Luke 12:15 🎵 Dream God's Dream 🗣️ Less is more
Bible Story 20 min	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 📖 Creation Story 🗣️ Origins in creation 👉 Silent animal pairs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 📖 The Fig Tree 🗣️ Stewardship 🌞 Grandma's Sweater 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 📖 Manna in the Desert 👉 Manna egg hunt 🎵 Worms in the bread 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 📖 Sabbath & Jubilee 🗣️ Understanding Sabbath 🎵 Jubilee! 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 📖 The Greedy Farmer 🗣️ Understanding the story 👉 Ecological footprint
Snacks 20 min	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Planet kabobs ● Spider eggs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Watermelon-cicles ● Fig snacks 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Worms in the bread ● Make-your-own trail mix 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Snack wraps ● Baked earthworms & fruit 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Ants on a log ● Fruit flowers
Games 30 min	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Earth ball ● Love your neighbor ● Shoe scramble 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Elbow tag ● Have you ever? ● Bottoms-up ball 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Multitask Race ● Feeding experiment ● Floor volleyball 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Endangered species tag ● St. Francis' animals ● See Speak Do 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Stepping stones ● Kidhunt ● Team cleanup
Go Deeper 20 min	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 👉 Favorites 🗣️ Creation Is for Us 📌 Respecting creation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 👉 One paper towel 🗣️ Renewable resources 📌 Reduce, Reuse, Recycle 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 👉 Wasting food 🗣️ Wasting less 📌 Refuse 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 🗣️ Saint Francis & the pope 🗣️ Canticle of Creatures 📌 Rest & Restore 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 👉 "Too much" relay race 🗣️ A better way 📌 Remember
Crafts & Activities 40 min	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 👉 Bubble-wrap beehives 🌞 Bee story / Papal bees ✂️ What needs bees? 👉 Terrific trees 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 👉 Creation collages 🌞 St. Kateri Tekakwitha ✂️ Creation works together ✂️ Reduce, reuse, recycle 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 👉 Upcycled shopping bags 🌞 Squirrel story 🌞 St. Martin de Porres ✂️ Food choices 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 👉 Sabbath mobiles ✂️ Sabbath choices 🌞 St. Francis 👉 Breakfast puzzles 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 👉 Dream God's Dream 👉 Planting seeds 🌞 Less is more stories ✂️ Needs vs. wants
Closing 20 min	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 🎵 Can You See? 🗣️ Outside prayer 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 🎵 God's Green Earth 🗣️ Reduce, reuse, recycle 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 🎵 Manna Song / Worms... 🗣️ Wasting less food 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 🎵 One for You... / Jubilee! 🗣️ Reusable replacement 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 🎵 Dream God's Dream 🗣️ Give away