



GOOD OF WONDERS

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VBS CHECKLIST

OVERVIEW



God of Wonders is an epic 5-day Vacation Bible School adventure where your kids will explore the exciting story of Moses and discover the God of Wonders along the way! This all-in-one VBS is presented in 3 easy steps. Combine these simple steps with our out-of-this-world resources and let the wonder begin! God of Wonders VBS is volunteer-friendly, kid-focused, and Gospel-centered.

In this checklist you'll discover that your perfect Vacation Bible School is as easy as 1 - 2 - 3: **Recruit, Promote and Deliver.**

Let's get started!



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RECRUIT

1) RECRUIT: To provide your children with the best possible VBS experience, we recommend filling the following positions for your volunteer team.

Host/MC: This role will be filled by someone with a warm, outgoing personality. This person will handle opening/closing announcements, facilitate Q&A discussions, and communicate transitions.

Worship Leader: Each day will open with a time of worship led by the Worship Leader. A list of suggested songs is provided. The worship leader will also teach about the heart of worship.

Teachers: Each day of the God of Wonders VBS has two teaching times. This is another role ideally suited for those who are outgoing and love sharing God's Word.

Game Leaders: Each day includes two all-group games. The Game Leaders are responsible for running each game and making any necessary modifications based on your VBS location.

Skit Leader: All groups will participate in a daily skit. The Skit Leader's job is to provide each skit overview, give creative examples and then oversee the final skit presentation.

Small-Group Leaders: These volunteers will lead a small group of children during teachings, small-group discussions, games and activities.

Media Director: God of Wonders VBS is packed with digital Bible videos and quizzes, lesson slideshows, and announcement slides. The Media Director ensures that all digital content is displayed/presented as needed. This is a great behind-the-scenes role for the tech-savvy.



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PROMOTE

2) PROMOTE: If you want a successful VBS, then you'll need to get the word out! It's a good thing God of Wonders VBS comes jam-packed with promotional resources.

Bulletin Inserts: Customizable printouts inform your congregation about what the God of Wonders VBS is all about, when it's happening, and how they can sign up. These eye-catching designs are sure to make it home and not into the trash.

Promotional Posters: Create a buzz with the families of your church by handing these beautifully designed promotional posters around your church. These posters will help make sure families put VBS on their calendars.

Announcement Slides: Use these vibrant announcement slides to help your church family catch the VBS vision, share key information and recruit volunteers. This amazing package of graphics are sure to take your VBS announcements to the next level!

Social Media: If you share it they will come! This graphic pack is designed to get the word out on Facebook, Pinterest, Instagram and Twitter.



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DELIVER

3) DELIVER: Setting aside time to prepare your VBS is key. Save countless hours of last-minute stress and frustration by completing this VBS checklist in advance:

Environment: With a few simple steps, you can transform any space into a wonder-filled world of VBS.

- **Graphics:** Center your room around a large screen that can display the amazing graphics and videos included in the God of Wonders VBS bundle.
- **Decoration:** Cover your walls with God of Wonders VBS posters and wall banners. Then let your imagination run wild, and make the room your own with any other decorations you dream up!

Printouts: God of Wonders comes with a wealth of printouts, so make sure that these are ready to go when you need them.

- **Promotional:** Bulletin inserts, promotional posters, banners, registration packets, volunteer checklist and thank you cards.
- **In-Class:** Service outlines, name tags, award badges, skit transcripts, small-group discussion guides and activity printouts.

Prize Packs: At the conclusion of every day, a drawing will be held to award students who earned hero award badges for displaying good character. These packs can include God of Wonders VBS posters, collectable cards, and stickers; they can also be stuffed with candy, dollar-store trinkets, and anything else you'd like. Assemble as many prize packs as you decide to give away.



Skit Stations: Each day, your groups will put on a short skit based on the day's lesson video. Assemble a collection of costumes and props to help them really get into character.

Games: Your kids will participate in daily games. Review the supply lists for each game, and make sure everything is prepped and ready to go.

Projection/Presentation: God of Wonders VBS comes with an amazing assortment of digital videos and slideshows. Review these resources, and customize the presentation!

Volunteer Checklist: We've provided you with a list of every volunteer you'll need to host an incredible God of Wonders summer VBS. Use our volunteer checklist to keep track of those joining your team and what roles you still need during weekend announcements.

Group Assignments: God of Wonders is designed to build relationships between students and their leaders. As children sign up, assemble them a group and a leaders. Make these groups diverse so that students get to know some new friends!

Snacks: If you feed them, they will come! Each day, the God of Wonders VBS has two 15-minute snack times build it, so plan accordingly. Get a handle of on any food allergies or dietary restrictions by sending parents a list of all the snacks you are planning on serving.

Thank You Cards: Volunteers are the backbone of any vibrant VBS. Fill out these thank you postcards in advance, and hand-deliver them to each leader as your week ends. Also consider printing out a card for each child to give to their leader on Day 5 as a way to show their appreciation.



GO TIME!

A FINAL OVERVIEW OF YOUR VBS

Service Outline & Script: Each day of God of Wonders VBS comes with an outline of the day's events. This outline is a great resource to see your service at a glance and make sure your team stays on schedule. Additionally, each daily lesson includes a service script that gives you clear instructions on how best to present your VBS with excellence!

The Big Picture: Over the 5 days, your kids will embark on an epic adventure where they discover the power and purposes of God! They'll learn an essential Bible truth that will transform them from the inside out as they get to know the living God. Here's a summary of each day:

- **Day 1: A Deliverer is Born** - We can trust God's plan for our lives.
- **Day 2: Escape from Egypt** - We can look forward to an eternal reward.
- **Day 3: The Burning Bush** - We can really know the living God.
- **Day 4: The 10 Plagues** - We can expect God to fight our battles.
- **Day 5: The Exodus** - We can hope in God for salvation.

Modifying Your VBS for Stations: The God of Wonders VBS is designed for a full group to move through daily events together; however, if you would like to run a station-based VBS, we recommend the following:

1. Keep the opening and closing hours of each day the same. This will ensure a strong beginning and end of each day while providing consistency.
2. Break your room into the following four stations with 30-minute rotation intervals. The four stations include: Skits, Games, Activities, and Small-Group Discussions. And over overview of each station in provided in your daily VBS curriculum.

