



## **Open with Play Time**

Welcome each Kid-O into the room as they arrive. Help them find a toy or game to encourage engagement during play time.

### **\_\_:20 Music & Worship: Pick a song**

Have Kid-Os use scarves, ribbons, or instruments as you lead them in singing. Encourage the Kid-Os to use their hands, feet, and voices as they worship God!

### **\_\_:25 Group Time**

Follow the Group Time Guide on the next page.

### **\_\_:35 Coloring**

Hand out the Bible story coloring sheets and coloring utensils. Encourage the Kid-Os to color a picture to take home!

## **End with Play Time**

Allow the Kid-Os to play or color until they are picked up. Before each Kid-O leaves match their name tag to the grown-up's security tag.



# Group Time Guide

**Supplies Needed:** Following Jesus book

## 1. Snack

**Circle Up:** Have all Kid-Os sit in one section of the room for story time.

**Do This:** Give kids hand sanitizer, then hand each of them a snack.

## 2. Bible Story: Christmas Story

**Do This:** Read through the Bible Story at least one time. If Kid-Os are engaged, feel free to read it a second time.

## 3. Hands-On Option: Following Jesus

**Do This:** Read the Following Jesus book with the Kid-Os!

**The Point:** Jesus loves every one of us, and wants us to follow him.

## 4. Prayer

**Do This:** Pray! “Dear God, we love you. Thank you for loving us. Help us to remember that Jesus loves us. Amen.”