

# Zeke's Help

# Craft Activity (Preschool)

## Supplies needed:

- Cardboard or other thick paper cut in rectangle, square and triangle shapes
- Stiff foam paper cut in the shape of a cross
- Craft sticks
- Glue
- Construction paper cut in various shapes such as the Bible, praying hands, sheep, trees or other religious symbols.
- Paint or glitter

### **Preparation:**

Cut cardboard into desired shapes large enough for craft sticks to be glued on it. Prepare enough foam crosses for each student to glue one to the top of their "church" to represent Christ's lordship over the church. Cut construction paper into a variety of shapes for gluing to each student's "church."

#### **Activity:**

In the story, Zeke and Tai-Shan help rebuild Tancho's church. Build your own church using the supplies given.

- 1. Provide each child with cardboard shapes. Ask each child to construct a church by laying craft sticks around the edges of the cardboard shapes.
- 2. Glue craft sticks around the edges of the cardboard cutouts to create your own church. Glue a foam cross to the top of your church. This represents that Jesus is head of the church.
- 3. Decorate your church with items that show God's promises of love for us.
- 4. Add paint or glitter if desired and time permits.

