

# GOD IS ALL-POWERFUL

UPVPC KIDS ONLINE: 1 Kings 18:16-39

## HERE'S WHAT HAPPENS...

Elijah challenges the prophets of the idol Baal to a duel. Each will build an altar and ask their god to light the sacrifice on fire. The prophets of Baal dance and cry out, but their idol doesn't respond. Elijah douses his altar with water and still God shows his mighty power by licking up the water with flames.



## WHAT YOU'LL NEED THIS WEEK...

- Bible
- Sticky Notes
- Bucket
- Paper
- Pens
- Flashlight
- Cheap, Plastic Cups
- Permanent Markers
- String
- Hole Punch

## THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES:

**Feet of Strength Olympics:** Students will do different activities with their feet to explore God's power.

**God is All-Powerful Sun catcher:** Students will create sun catchers by decorating and baking clear plastic cups.

**Shine the Light:** Families will remember that God is all-powerful and hears their prayers by shining a light on their prayer requests.

## FEET OF STRENGTH OLYMPICS

**\*Some activities may be easier if participants are not wearing socks. For extra fun, play upbeat music and have an opening and closing ceremony.**

- 1) Leapin' Lizards:** Kids leap to place a sticky note as high on a wall as possible.
- 2) Hippity-Hop:** Kids cross the room in as few leaps as possible.
- 3) Toe Golf:** Kids start against one wall and use their toes to throw small paper wads at a bucket against the far wall. They toe-toss their paper wads from wherever the paper wads land until they get the paper wads into the bucket.
- 4) Digit Discus:** Kids throw paper wads as far as possible using only their feet.



## GOD IS ALL-POWERFUL SUN CATCHER CRAFT:

- Step 1:** Preheat Oven to 250 degrees.
- Step 2:** Using permanent markers, color the cup as desired noting that the bottom of the cup will be the center of the sun catcher.
- Step 3:** Put decorated cup upside down (bottom up) on a cookie tray and heat until melted down. Probably about 5 minutes.
- Step 4:** Once melted and cooled, whole punch the top of sun catcher and use string to hang up.

**Note:** Please use only the cheaper, clear plastic disposable cups as Solo cups may not melt down as desired.



## SHINE THE LIGHT:

- 1) Using Index Cards or Sticky Notes,** have kids write down prayer requests. For younger children, who cannot write yet have older siblings help them.
- 2)Tape finished index cards or place sticky notes to a wall.**
- 3) Hold up the flashlight and tell kids that the light symbolizes God's power.**
- 4) Have kids take turn holding the flashlight, shining it at a prayer request.**
- 5) Pray - God, you are all-powerful. We know you hear our prayers and can bring healing, peace, provision, and safety. In Jesus' name, Amen.**