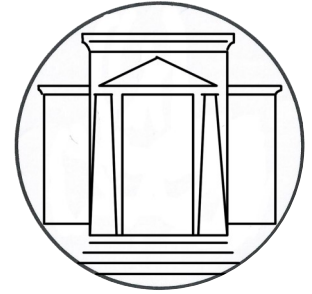


Lesson #3-7***God's Promise to David***

2 Samuel 7:1-17

**Key Verse:**

“Your house and your kingdom shall be made sure forever before me; your throne shall be established forever.”

2 Samuel 7:16

The Point:

We can never out-give God, no matter how hard we try.

Unit Theme (September 13—October 25)

Promises Made, Promises Broken

Space for Worship

Create a special space at home or church.

Supplies:

- › Prayer space items
- › Paper
- › Pens or pencils
- › Optional: small tent; blanket, chairs, or similar

Preparation:

1. Prepare as much or as little as you desire: select one or more options for a worship space. This can be temporary or permanent.
2. Gather or list various items available that can be used to set this space apart.
3. If you are using a small tent or “blanket fort,” have those items set up or ready.

Instructions:

1. **We know that God is not limited by space. The whole earth belongs to God, and God**

can be worshipped anywhere. The Israelites learned this in the wilderness when they worshipped God in a tent that they could put up and take down as they traveled from place to place. We can remind ourselves of God's presence with a special space like that tent. We can visit this space to pray and reflect.

2. Work together to create and decorate this worship space. If there are items that you do not have but would like to obtain, write a list and make a plan to obtain them.
3. If you will use this activity in person, create a safe space for the whole congregation to use, complying with all local health guidelines. This would likely be outdoors.