

Generations of Grace:

The following lesson was taught in children's church this Sunday, **June 11, 2023**

MESSAGE: God's glory fills the temple

PASSAGE: I Kings 8:1-9:9

PRINCIPLE: God is present to hear His people when they pray.

ASK YOUR CHILD: What did the ark of the covenant represent? What does the cloud of God's glory show us about how we can know God? How did the temple prove God's faithfulness? How could God be present in the temple if the whole world is too small to hold God? What was so special about God's presence in the temple? What can we learn about prayer from Solomon's prayer? How do we know that God heard Solomon's prayer? What did God require of Israel in order to be with them and hear their prayers?

APPLY: How was the temple a gift from God? Why isn't there a temple today? How can you experience God's presence today? What are some things about God that He has clearly revealed to us? What are some things about God that are too great for us to totally understand? When you pray, are you aware of who you are praying to and how glorious He is?

以下是 2023 年 6 月 11 日兒童崇拜 Generations of Grace 的課題：

信息：神的榮耀遍滿殿宇

經文：列王紀上 8:1-9:9

信念：當神的子民禱告時，神在場聆聽

向你子女問：約櫃代表着什麼？神的榮耀的雲，告訴我們怎樣去認識神？殿宇怎樣證明神的信實？如果整個世界不夠大去容納神，神怎可能在殿中？神在殿中，有什麼特別之處？從所羅門的禱告中，我們可以學習到什麼有關禱告的功課？我們怎能知道神是聽了所羅門的禱告？為要與以色列同在並聽他們的禱告，神向以色列要求什麼？

應用：殿宇怎樣是神的禮物？為什麼今天沒有了殿宇？你今天怎樣能體驗神的同在？有什麼神的特性是祂已經向我們顯然？有甚麼神的特性是超乎我們的理解？當你禱告時，你是否意識到你禱告的對象，並意識到祂是那麼的榮耀？