



CRAFT | JESUS IS ANOINTED AT BETHANY

# EASTER FLIP BOOK

This week, the kids are learning about Jesus' anointing at Bethany, where a woman helped prepare Jesus for burial by anointing Him with expensive perfume. With this special Easter flip book, you and your child can remember the real-life characters from the Easter story!

#### DIRECTIONS

- 1. If you have a printer, print out the provided character printables and book cover printable.
- 2. Fold pages in half "hamburger style" with the book cover on the outside.
- 3. If you're using plain paper to draw your own booklet, gather 3 pieces to fold in half "hamburger style."
- 4. Along the left cover fold with all papers together, use 3 staples to staple all pages together to create your booklet.
- 5. Allow the kids to start coloring.

  Drawing your own If you're using blank pages instead of printables:
  - Title the booklet, "My Easter Flipbook."
  - Have the kids draw a character from the Easter story on each page (Jesus, donkey, Roman soldier, angel, etc.), taking up the full page.
  - Help the kids come up with a word or sentence about each character to write on the bottom of each page.
  - View the printables for inspiration and guidance.
- 6. Once they finish coloring the pictures, cut each image into thirds, separating the head, body, and legs of the image. If they can, allow the kids to cut their own images.
- 7. Flip through the booklet together, creating fun and silly character combinations as a way of remembering the Easter story!
- 8. Talk about each of the characters and what their part is in the Easter story.



### SUPPLIES NEEDED



## TALKING POINTS

Crayons

or Markers

- Who is your favorite person in the Easter story? Why?
- Who is Easter really all about?

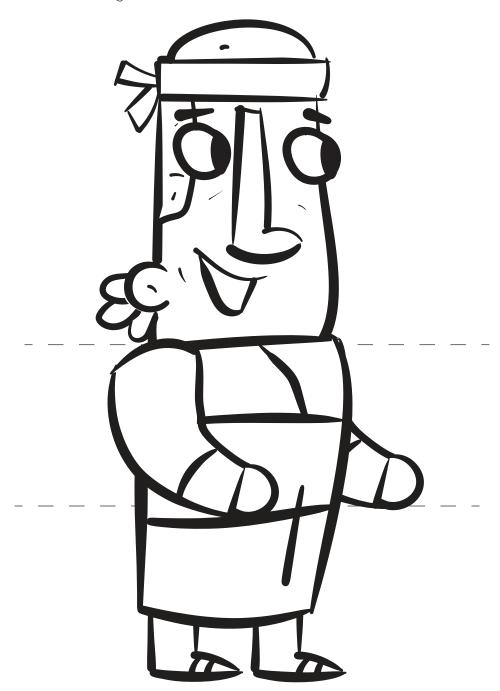


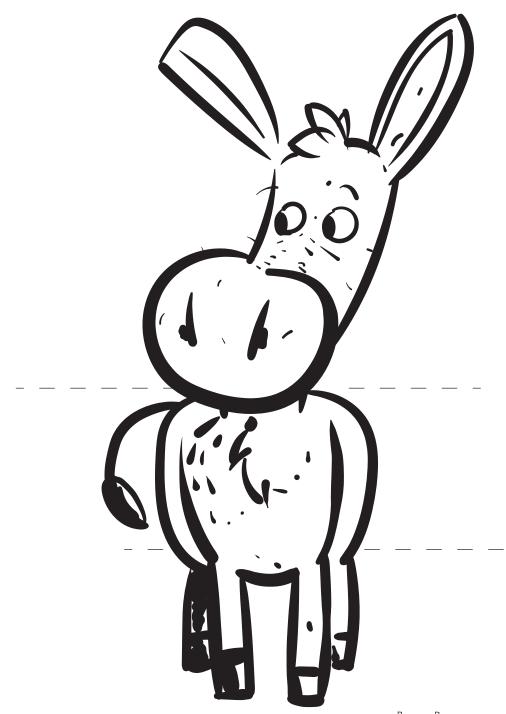
Let's get ready for Easter by learning about the characters from the Easter story!



Easter is all about Jesus!

The  $\mathbb{A}$ nge $\mathbb{I}$  said that Jesus was risen! He is alive!





Jesus came into Jerusalem riding on a donkey

The Roman Soldier said that Jesus was the Son of God

