

## PRETEEN MONTHLY OVERVIEW

AUGUST 2025

What makes someone truly brave? Is it having all the answers, being the oldest, or never feeling afraid? This month, we're starting a new series called, "Young David", where students will learn that real courage comes from trusting God, especially when you feel small, uncertain, or alone. Before David was a giant-slayer or a king, he was a shepherd boy learning to listen to God's voice and follow His lead. Students will see how God shapes ordinary people into extraordinary leaders. Whether it's showing kindness to someone overlooked, standing up for what's right, or worshiping God in the quiet moments, every choice to obey and trust God is a step toward becoming who He created you to be. You don't have to be famous or fearless, just faithful.

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BIBLE STORY

Young David: Warrior 1 Samuel 17:34-36 BOTTOM LINE

God can give you courageous faith, even in the midst of fear.

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BIBLE STORY

Young David: King 1 Samuel 16 BOTTOM LINE

Being "kingly" isn't about showing authority, but about listening to God.

17th

BIBLE STORY

Young David: Shepherd 1 Samuel 16-17 BOTTOM LINE

Godly courage is doing what is right, even when it's hard.

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BIBLE STORY

Young David: Poet 1 Samuel 23 BOTTOM LINE

God has given you specific gifts to glorify Him.

August 318t BIBLE STORY

Young David: Worshiper 1 Samuel 16:14-23 BOTTOM LINE

You can find God wherever you are.

MEMORY VERSE

"Surely your goodness and love will follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever."

Psalm 23:6, NIV