

“**Idol.**” Have you ever heard that word? **What’s an idol?** When we read our Old Testaments, we hear God warning his people **a lot** about idols. His famous **10 Commandments** begin with...

“You shall have no other \_\_\_\_\_ before me.

“You shall not make for yourself a carved \_\_\_\_\_, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. You shall not bow down to them or serve them...” (Exo 20:3-5)



...but is idolatry still a thing, or is it just something people a long time ago had to worry about? As long as I don’t have a golden calf in my living room or an altar in my backyard, do I really need to worry about idolatry?

In the New Testament book of **1 Corinthians**, the apostle Paul reminds us of some Old Testament stories—good choices and bad choices that the children of Israel made. But in **1 Corinthians 10:7**, he gives a warning ... to us.

Do not be \_\_\_\_\_ as some of them were...

Just a few verses later, in **1 Corinthians 10:14**, he says again,

Therefore, my beloved, \_\_\_\_\_ from idolatry.

It sure does sound like idolatry wasn’t just something people a long time ago needed to worry about. So what is idolatry?

An **idol** is anything more important to me than \_\_\_\_\_.

Can you think of some things people (maybe even kids your age) treat as more important than God?

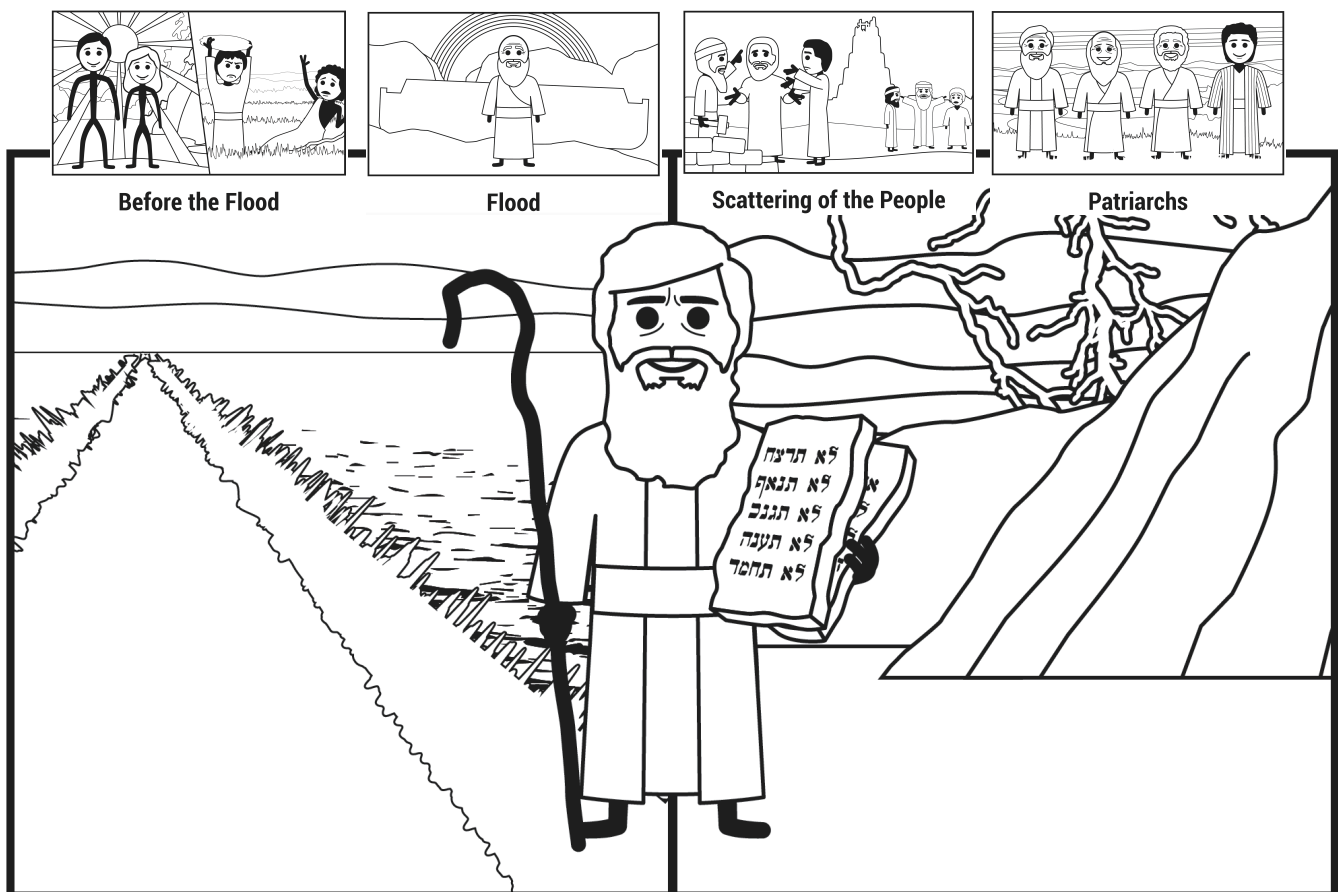
# FOUNDATION STONES



This month, we're working on:

- ✓ **TIMELINE Building Blocks:** The first nine periods of the Creation to Revelation timeline
- ✓ **BIBLE Building Blocks:** Our Old & New Testament books of the Bible
- ✓ **CHARACTER Building Blocks:** The Israelite family tree
- ✓ **LIST Building Blocks:** The 10 Commandments
- ✓ **KEY WORD Building Blocks:** What's a priest? A high priest? A king? A prophet?

## TIMELINE Building Blocks: Creation to Revelation (Period 1-5)



# Exodus From Egypt

## LIST Building Blocks

Do you know **The 10 Commandments**? Let's work on listing those together...