

A vibrant graphic featuring a large, stylized splash of blue water in the center. Above the splash, the words "STARFISH & DOLPHINS" are written in a bold, white, sans-serif font with a blue outline. The background is a mix of orange and blue with abstract shapes and bubbles. A small pink starfish is visible on the left side of the splash.

STARFISH & DOLPHINS

WEEK 4 | September 27, 2026

Today's Bible Story: Creation Day 6 • Genesis 1:24-31

Key Question: Who makes good things?

Big Idea: God makes good things.

Memory Verse: "God saw all that he had made, and it was very good." • Genesis 1:31

SOCIAL: Time for fun!

ACTIVITY: Roll A Face

What You Need: "Roll a Face" Activity Pages (cut apart), 3 Small cubes (3" x 3"), glue stick or tape

What You Do: Glue the pictures from each set of Activity Pages to the sides of the cubes. One cube should be eyes on every side, one cube noses, and one cube mouths. Help them stack the cubes to see the silly face they rolled.

What You Say: Look around at each of your friends. Some of us have blue eyes, some of us have brown eyes, and some of us have green eyes. Everyone, smile. (Pause.) Look at how amazing you all look when you smile! Can you make some silly faces together? (Pause.) I love those silly faces. Today we are going to create some silly faces with these cubes. We have three cubes. They have pictures of eyes, noses, and mouths on them. We are going to roll them and stack them up to make a super silly face. (Demonstrate.) This is fun! Let's roll again! (Continue rolling and stacking the cubes to make silly faces.) We made so many silly faces of people with these cubes! Today we are going to learn something amazing about people.

MEMORY VERSE: Practice the Verse

What You Need: Bible, Fun stickers

What You Do: Open the Bible to remind the children that our verse comes from the Bible.

What You Say: Are you ready to practice our Bible verse? (Let children respond.) Okay, let's all say it together. "God (point up) saw all that he had made (spread arms out), and it was very good (thumbs up)" Genesis 1:31. (Open hands like a book.) Now, who wants to try saying it by yourself? (Reward each child with a sticker for saying the verse.)

LARGE GROUP: Time to Praise & Worship God

Worship: Inviting people to respond to God. **Story:** Communicating God's truth



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SMALL GROUP: Time to connect with the children! *PRAY:* Praise God, Thank God!

CRAFT: Creation Celebration

What You Need: "Creation Celebration"

Activity Page (1 per child, printed on white cardstock), Crayons, Tissue Paper Confetti, Glue sticks

What You Do: Give each child an Activity Page. Allow them to color their poster. Have them glue tissue paper confetti around the border of their page.

What You Say: We've been learning all month that there are so many AMAZING things that God has made! To help us remember and celebrate all the good things God made, let's make a fun poster! First, you can color your poster. Then, you can add some fun confetti around the edges. Our Bible verse is on the poster too! It says, "God saw all that he had made, and it was very good" Genesis 1:31. Can you say the Bible verse with me? (Let children respond.) "God saw all that he had made, and it was very good" Genesis 1:31. These posters look awesome! Great job decorating. Let's take them home to help us remember that [Big Idea] God makes good things!

ACTIVITY: Animal Parachute

What You Need: Plush animals, Parachute

What You Do: Have the children stand in a circle and hold onto the edge of the parachute. Toss the animals onto the parachute and wave the parachute while saying, [Big Idea] "God makes good things!"

What You Say: Today we learned that [Big Idea] God makes good things! I'm so thankful that he made everything for us to enjoy! Let's stand in a circle and hold on to the edge of this parachute. We are going to play a fun game to help us remember all the amazing things God made! I'm going to toss some different animals onto the parachute, and when you see them, shout out what they are. (Toss animals and encourage the children to shout what they see.) Look at all these amazing things God made! Now let's shake the parachute and say, [Big Idea] "God makes good things!"