



CHRISTMAS

TODDLER CRAFT | LESSON 3

HAPPY BIRTHDAY JESUS PARTY HATS

In this craft, the children will make special party hats to celebrate Jesus' birthday. This will remind them that Christmas is all about Jesus! Jesus is God's Son who was born to be our friend.

DIRECTIONS

PREP BEFORE SERVICE

1. Print out the Party Hat Stickers printables.
2. Cut out one set of the printable per child.
3. Have crayons, glue, DIY party hats, and printables ready for the leaders.

DURING THE SERVICE

1. Give each child a set of party hat stickers and their own DIY party hat to color and decorate.
2. Help them glue the stickers onto their party hat.
3. When they are finished, help each child form their party hats into a cone. Use tape to secure.
4. Help the children put on their party hats.
5. While the kids make their craft, discuss the talking points:
 - *Who was born on Christmas? Jesus.*
 - *What is something you do for a friend on their birthday? Make a cake, have a birthday party, say happy birthday, hang balloons, wear party hats, etc.*
 - *Jesus was born to be your friend. Point to each child and say, God wants to be your friend, [child's name].*



SUPPLIES NEEDED



Party Hat
Stickers
printable



Scissors



Crayons



DIY party
hats



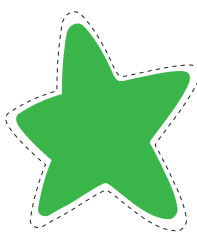
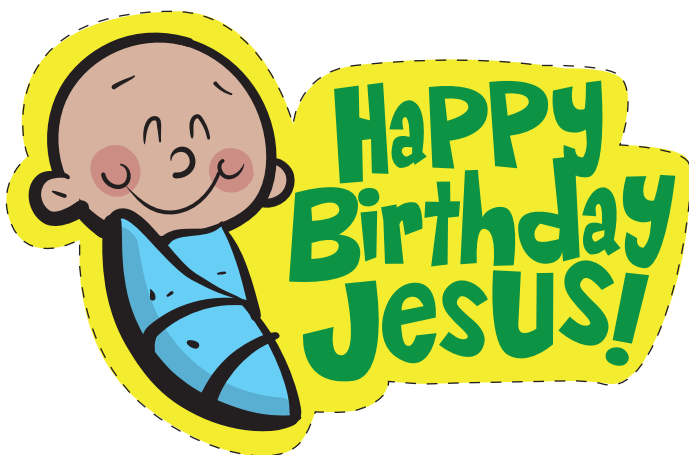
Glue



Tape

BIG IDEA

God wants to be my friend.



**Saddleback
Kids**