

# Bible Studies & Activities

## Bible Studies



*Sunday school students in Botswana sing God's praises.*

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Having God's Word in English is a gift that few people think about. As your congregation celebrates LBT Sunday, these Bible studies are designed to not only explore the Bible itself, but to understand how blessed we are to be able to read the Words of our Lord.

In this section you will also find activities for children that are designed to help reinforce the ideas of missions and Bible translation. We encourage you to use these materials during LBT Sunday so that children and parents share their learning experiences.

## Bible Studies in Botswana

In Botswana, Melody Knight, who serves as a Scripture Use Advisor, uses her skills to help Sunday School teachers by creating materials for their classes in their languages—either Setswana or Kalanga. After choosing a Bible verse or theme, Melody looks for materials (games, songs, art projects) that will illustrate the main point of the lesson. When no materials are available, she makes her own.

At the same time, it is important that the Bible messages used in these lessons are accurate translations. So, Melody works from the already translated Scriptures, where she copies the verses out exactly.

If Scripture in Setswana and Kalanga did not exist, these Bible lessons could not be created. The missionaries and translators who worked so diligently on the translation have blessed these people groups, because now God's Word is available not just for reading, but for studying as well!

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