

# MESSY CHURCH AT HOME



Hi everyone.

Have you ever seen a mustard seed? The mustard seed is one of the smallest of all seeds. It is so small that if you were holding one in your hand and you dropped it you would have a very hard time finding it because it is so hard to see. Even though the mustard seed is so small when it is planted in the ground, it grows into a tree large enough for birds to stand on its branches and to make their nests in it.

If you looked at a mustard seed before planting it in the ground it would be about big as this dot .

You might think it would be impossible for a seed so tiny to grow into a tree. But our God turns that tiny seed into a wonderful place for birds to come and rest and sing.

When Jesus told this parable, he compared it to loving God. When children, like you, or adults begin to love Jesus, their love is like a tiny mustard seed before it is planted in the ground. It starts out very small at first. Then when you keep on listening to what Jesus says and obeying Him, then the love grows bigger and bigger. Soon it will grow like the big mustard tree.

**You can also find this parable in Mark 4:30-32; and Luke 13:18-19**

## **MEMORY VERSE**

**"I tell you the truth, if you have faith as small as a mustard seed, you can say to this mountain, 'Move from here to there' and it will move. Nothing will be impossible for you" Matthew 17:20**

We hope you enjoy some of the activities this month and if school is open again for you we hope you have a great last term.

*The Messy Church Team.*

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### ***From little things BIG things grow***

[Click here](#) to check out these amazing things to do and grow!

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### **Growing a Cress Head**

[Click here](#) for the instructions how to grow weird and wacky cress heads.

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### **Faith like a Mustard seed**

[Click here](#) to listen to this fun song, and [click here](#) for a short video clip,

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### **The End - See you next month!**

Hope you've had fun. Looking forward to more fun activities next month.

Please send Andy a picture of the things you've drawn or made.

You can [click here](#) to send Andy an email or text Andy on 0476 880 394.

**Hope you've enjoyed Messy Church at home!**