## Carpenter

- **1.** Explain what a carpenter does.
- **2.** Recite what the carpenter built in the following Bible texts:
  - **a.** Genesis 6:14-16
  - **b.** Exodus 30:1-3
  - c. II Samuel 5:11
- **3.** Identify the basic tools required for simple woodworking and explain how to take care of them.
- **4.** Name three things a carpenter builds.
- **5.** Visit one of the places listed below:
  - a. lumber yard
  - **b.** hardware store
  - c. woodworking shop
  - **d.** sawmill
- **6.** Using carpenter tools, make one of the following:
  - **a.** bird house or feeder
  - **b.** key holder
  - c. napkin holder
- **7.** Discuss Jesus the Carpenter and things He may have made.

## Helps

- **1.** A carpenter is a person who builds or repairs wooden structures and other articles of wood.
- 2. Help the children look up each Bible text: a. the ark, b. the temple, c. an altar.
- 3. Hammer, hand saw, measuring tape, screw driver, chisel, boring tools, and planes. Clean and put away tools after each use. You may wish to have a carpenter come to demonstrate the use and care of these tools.
- **4.** Buildings, furniture, toys, etc.
- **5.** This may be done as a group, with parents, or you may have a carpenter visit your group and show them types of wood, etc.
- 6. Make a birdhouse or feeder, using a simple design. Hang for use after projects have been completed. Or make a key rack or napkin holder. Help the children safely handle nails, wood and tools.
- 7. Mark 6:3 speaks of Christ as a carpenter. Discuss items He may have helped his earthly father make, such as: tables, benches, cabinets, stairs, door and window frames, etc.



