

Discussion Questions

- 1) Can you make a timeline of events of what happened in Mary's story?
- 2) What did Mary do to help her cope with everything she had to do?
- 3) What can we do in our lives to help us when things get tough?
- 4) Mary suggested we worship and give thanks to God. How can we do that?
- 5) Mary even wrote her own song praising God! I wonder if you could do that at home!

Going deeper - for older children

You can find Mary's story (the birth of Jesus) in Luke chapters 1 and 2.

- 1) How did Mary react at first when the angel visited her? (Luke 1:29)
- 2) Mary was only a young girl and she had just been told she was going to be pregnant with the baby that would be the 'Son of God'. What amazing way did she react to this news and this task? (Luke 1:38)
- 3) Why do you think Mary was chosen to do this task?
- 4) Read Mary's song in Luke 1: 46-55. How do you think this song helped Mary to trust God?
- 5) Look at Luke 2: 19. How did Mary react to everything that had happened?
- 6) How can you put some of Mary's story into action in your life? How can you find ways to praise God and trust him, even when the circumstances you are going through might be tough? Mary is such a great example to us; pray about how you can learn from her and say with faith and certainty as Mary did, 'I am the Lord's servant.'