



God is like ... – three pictures of God

THE SERIES AT A GLANCE

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 3 meetings of 3 minutes

 Discovering through simple pictures what God is like for us

 Preparation: 5 min

 **How to use the series:** Use one part in each of three meetings in a row. At the start, briefly recall the previous part.

1 Part 1: Like a mother bird

Bible: Psalm 91:4

When it rains or there is danger, a mother bird spreads her wings and the chicks snuggle underneath. The Bible says: "He will cover you with his feathers, and under his wings you will find refuge." Spread out a big cloth and all snuggle under it.

 **Question:** Where do you feel really safe and snug?

 **Prayer:** *Dear God, with you I am safe like a chick under its mother's wings. Thank you! Amen.*



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2 Part 2: Like a strong rock

Bible: Psalm 18:2

A big rock does not wobble, even when the wind blows hard. In the Bible someone says: "God is my rock." You can rely on God. Stand on a big stone or a tree stump – or hold on to something solid. Can you feel how it holds?

💬 **Question:** Who holds you tight when you wobble?

🙏 **Prayer:** *Dear God, you are as strong as a rock. I can rely on you. Amen.*

3 Part 3: Like a bright light

Bible: Psalm 27:1

In the dark you cannot see anything. But when someone switches on a lamp, everything is bright and you are not afraid any more. The Bible says: "God is my light." Turn off the light – and then switch on a torch. How does the room change?

💬 **Question:** When do you need light?

🙏 **Prayer:** *Dear God, you are my light. When it is dark, I do not have to be afraid. Amen.*



For leaders

- Keep it short: little children listen well for three to four minutes.
- Pass the object around – touching it helps understanding.