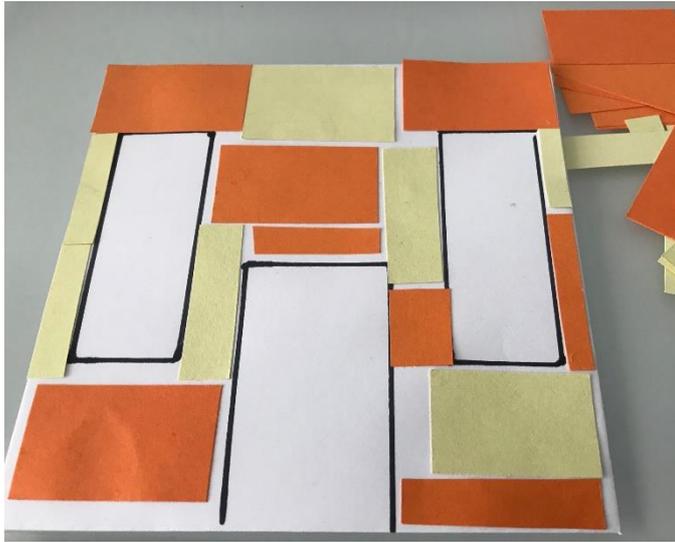
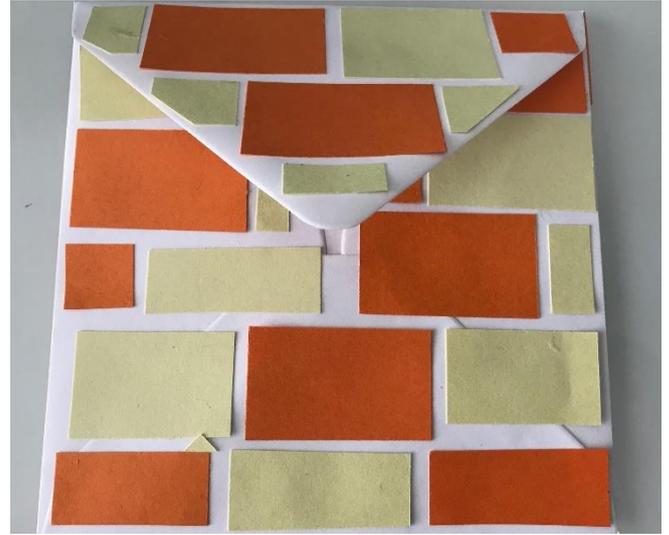


Recreate a scene – Envelope craft



Draw windows and a door on your envelope. Stick on the rectangles of paper to look like bricks.



Now stick some paper on the back as well.



Stick the face stickers all over the window and door to show how crowded the house was.



Colour in the paralysed man and stick him onto card. Stick 2 lengths of string or wool onto the back with sticky tape.

Know the story – Puzzle sheets

Pick up a puzzle sheet or try some colouring. Think about the story as you do the activity.

Can you retell it to someone near you?



Get active with the story

Blow football

Play two against two OR one against one

Use your straw to blow the ping pong ball into your goal of the opposition at the other end of the table.

No touching the ball with your hands whilst in play.

If the ball rolls off the table, the opposition player puts it back into the game setting it down at the place where it fell off.

Talk about

This game is about reaching the goals.

In which stories did the characters have to work out how to reach their goal?

Goals are not always each to reach

What goals do you have?



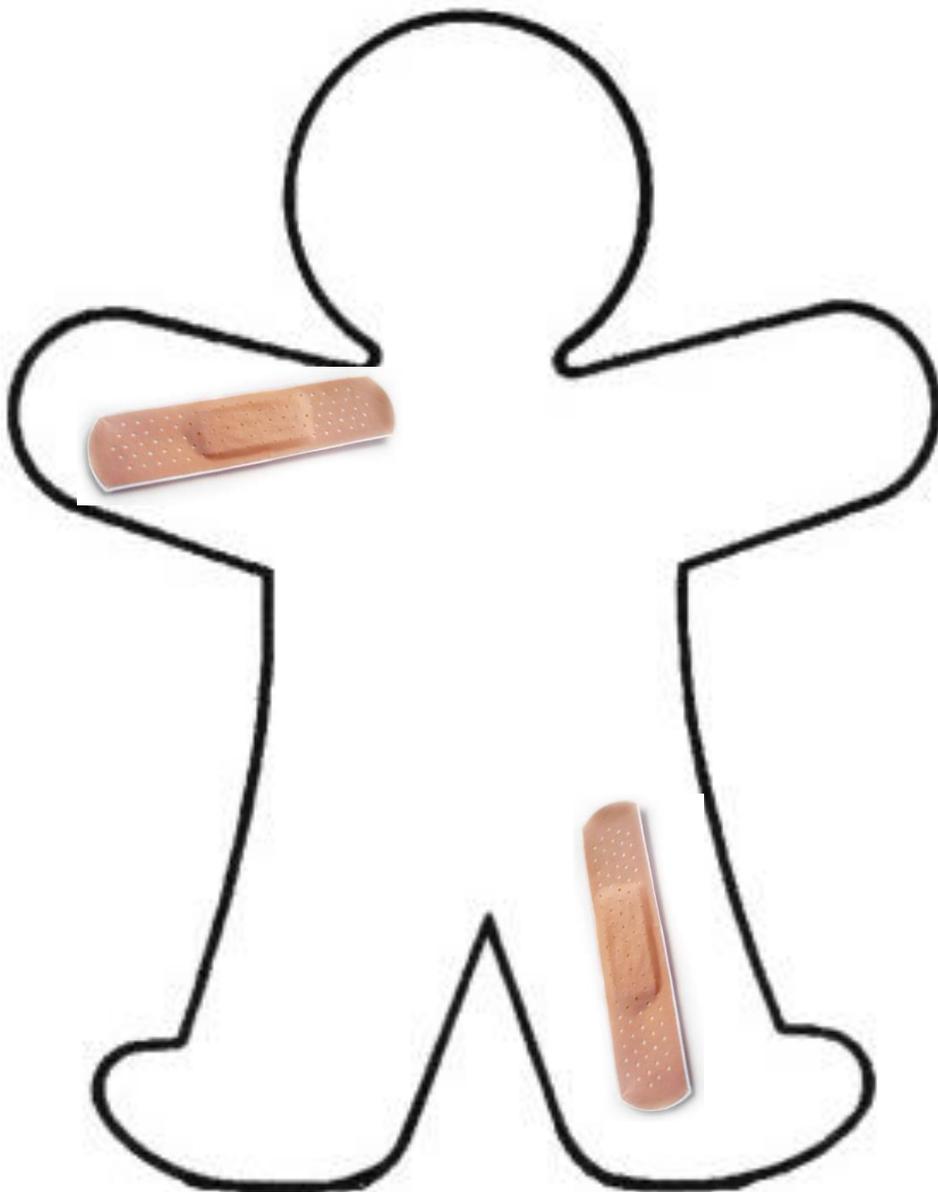
Prayer response to the story

Mark Chapter 5 v 41-42 Jesus heals Jairus's daughter

⁴¹ He took her by the hand and said to her, "*Talitha koum!*" (which means "Little girl, I say to you, get up!"). ⁴² Immediately the girl stood up and began to walk around (she was twelve years old).

Pray for someone you know who is sick

Take a plaster and write the name of someone you know who is sick or suffering in some way. Stick the plaster onto the person outline and as you do pray for that person that God will heal them and help them.

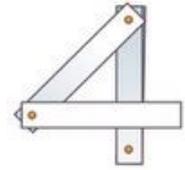


Retell the story -Down through the roof

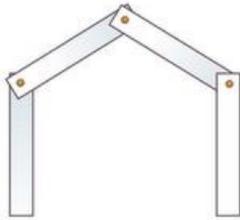
Once there was a man who could not move his legs and had to lie on his bed all day long. One day he heard that Jesus was in town.



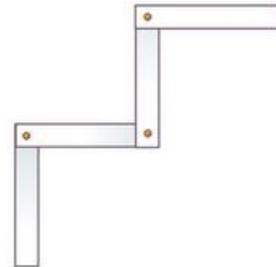
Four of his friends carried him on his bed mat to the house where Jesus was teaching.



But when they got to the house there was such a large crowd they could not get into the building.



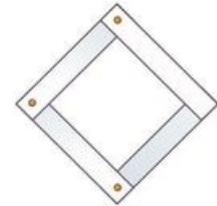
So, the four friends carried their paralysed friend up the outside steps.



The steps led up to the flat roof of the house.



Then the 4 friends started to make a hole in the mud plaster roof. When the hole in the roof was large enough, they started lowering their friend into the room below.



Everyone in the room was surprised to see the man being lowered on his bed mat in front of Jesus.



When Jesus saw how much the man believed in Him he said, 'All the wrong things you have done are forgiven.' Some of the people in the room were angry saying that only God could forgive people. Was Jesus saying He was God? So Jesus said to the man who could not move his legs, 'Get up, pick up your mat and walk home.' The man's legs became strong and he stood up for the first time in his life.



The man rolled up his mat and walked for the first time.



He met his kind friends outside and they all walked home together praising God.



Make the story – Dolly peg Roman soldiers

Make your own model of a Roman soldier with the materials provided. Use the pipe cleaners as arms to hold onto any shields and swords you might want to make for your soldier.

