Crafts

Craft: "Crown of Kings"

Materials List:
- Construction paper (various colors)
- Scissors
- Tape or glue
- Markers or crayons
- Stickers or gems for decoration (optional)
- Ruler

Step-by-Step Instructions:

1. Create the Crown Base:
- Measure a strip of construction paper approximately 2 inches wide and long enough to fit around a student’s head, leaving some room for overlap.
- Cut out the strip carefully using scissors.

2. Design the Crown:
- On another piece of construction paper, draw and cut out pointed triangles or scalloped shapes to create the top of the crown. These should be about 2 inches tall.
- Attach the points to the top edge of the base strip using tape or glue.

3. Decorate the Crown:
- Use markers or crayons to draw patterns, write "King" or "Queen," and add symbols that remind the students of biblical kingship.
- Add stickers or adhesive gems for extra decoration.

4. Assemble the Crown:
- Wrap the decorated crown around the head of each student to ensure a proper fit, overlapping the ends as needed.
- Secure the ends together using tape or glue, forming a complete circle.

Reinforcing the Lesson:
This craft ties into the story of '2 Kings 11' by focusing on the theme of kingship demonstrated by preserving the rightful heir and the restoration of the line of David. By crafting crowns, students can remember how God protected the young king Joash and the importance of faithfulness and rightful leadership. As they wear their crowns, they can discuss their own roles in upholding God's principles, just like Joash who, under the guidance of Jehoiada, helped restore the temple and the covenant between God and His people.