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Verse of the Day - Colossians 3:12 "Therefore, as God's chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience."

Take Away - Jesus is making us new daily through the grace He won for us at the cross.

Butterflies live the first part of their lives as caterpillars. Then they surround themselves with silk and turn into beautiful butterflies. Through Christ, we can look forward to living life with him in Heaven! In the meantime, he clothes us with "compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience."

Project One: Woven butterfly

Materials:

- Popsicle sticks
- String
- Beads
- Scissors
- Pipe cleaner

Create!

- 1. Hold your popsicle sticks in a way where they create an uneven X shape.
- 2. Begin winding your first color of string around the popsicle sticks, crossing, and winding in order for the sticks to stay in place.



- 3. Wind the yarn up the stick for a little bit before switching to a figure 8 weaving pattern on one set of wings. Repeat on the other side. You may switch colors in the middle by tucking the end of the string into the previous color.
- 4. To end the weaving process, double knot the end of the last color used.
- 5. Bend the pipe cleaner in half and wind it around the center of the x.
- 6. Thread beads in any way that you would like. For a butterfly we recommend two or more on the bottom and one on the top.
- 7. Curl the top of the pipe cleaner to create two antennae.

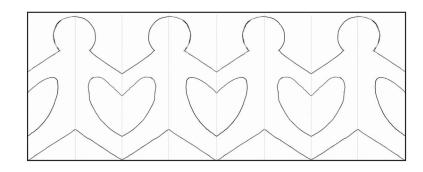
This project can be found at https://www.thecrafttrain.com/woven-craft-stick-butterflies/

Have you ever gotten a new pair of clothes? Did you feel renewed? With Jesus, he clothes us and renews us with "compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience. This project will help us remember that Jesus clothes each and every one of us.

Project Two: Paper Doll Chain

Materials:

- Scissors
- Paper
- Coloring utensils



Create!

- 1. Cut your paper into strips approximately 5in tall and 12in. wide.
- 2. Fold the paper strips into eight equal sections using an accordion-style of folding.
- 3. With the cut edge of the strip to the right, draw half of a doll along the folded edge with arms extending to the cut edge.
- 4. Cut along the lines that you have drawn.
- 5. Unfold the paper and draw on your paper dolls. Try to draw different types of clothing or ask the kids to create what they think each of the virtues in the bible verse would look like on a person.

This project can be found at https://www.auntannie.com/FridayFun/DollChain/