

Vayikra

"And He called"

Leviticus 1:1 - 6:7
Katan Aleph



In This Edition:

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the PRIESTS and the OFFEROR
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VAYIKRA OVERVIEW

"And He called"... Vayikra

Today we are starting the 3rd book of the Torah, called Vayikra, meaning 'And He called.' The English name for this book is different from the Hebrew. It is called Leviticus, which means 'Book of the Levites' because the content has so much to do with Torah (services and rituals) pertaining to the Levitical priesthood.

We ended the book of Shemot/Exodus with the telling of the lifting up of the Dwelling Place and the cloud of Yahweh upon it during the day and fire upon it at night. Now that the Dwelling Place is built, the book of Leviticus starts off with Yahweh's instruction to the children of Yisra'el regarding the five types of offerings brought to the priesthood. As we study the book of Leviticus, we will read about the ordination ceremony of Aharon and his sons the priests. We will learn about clean and unclean foods, as well as the Torah for uncleanness and the priest's roles. Torah regarding NOT following other nation's customs, as well as right-rulings for various topics will be covered. We will also learn about the feast Yom Hakippurim (Day of Atonements), the Sabbatical year and all of Yahweh's Appointed Times. Torah regarding the light for the lampstand and vows as well as voluntary offerings are explained as well.

Because each parsha is so rich in information, we will only be able to examine certain parts of each parsha per lesson. We do encourage parents and their children to do their own studies. In future years, we plan to fill in the pieces from each parsha that we did not cover previously.

Here is a breakdown of the 10 parashot in the book of Vayikra:

- Vayikra (And He called) - Ch. 1-5
- Tzav (Command) - Ch. 6-8
- Shemini (Eighth) - Ch. 9-11
- Tazria - (She conceives) - Ch. 12-13
- Metzora - (One being diseased) - Ch. 14-15
- Acharei Mot (After the death) - Ch. 16-18
- Kedoshim (Set-apart ones) - Ch. 19-20
- Emor (Say) - Ch. 21-24
- Behar - (On the Mount) - Ch. 25
- Bechukotai - (In My laws) - Ch. 26-27

We pray that you will be blessed as we begin our study in the 3rd book of the Torah. Let's dig in!

SHALOM FROM YMTOI/MTOI



Gem Seeking

LITTLE GEMS STORY

Parent/Teacher Preparation:

Please see the [Instructions for the Little Gems Story](#) on the YMTOI website. This will help you to understand how to prepare for the story.

2 Mandatory Offerings – Instructions to the PRIESTS and the OFFEROR

Shalom children! Today we are going to learn about the instructions Yahweh gave to Mosheh about the 2 mandatory offerings He wanted. Wow! That's a really big word! Let's say it together: MAN-DA-TO-RY... Very good children! A mandatory offering was something Yahweh said the children of Yisra'el absolutely must give. Unlike the 3 voluntary offerings which we have already learned about where you gave Yahweh these offerings because you wanted to, these were offerings Yahweh expected to receive from everyone so that they would not get punished. It's kind of like when your parents give you a chore to do and say it's your job to do it and no one else's.

So, when would a mandatory sacrifice be needed? Well, let's say it suddenly came to your attention that you had sinned by accidentally doing something forbidden in the Torah. You would then have to bring a type of mandatory offering as an atonement for your mistake, so that you could be forgiven by Yahweh. Have you ever found yourself guilty of something that was not right, even though you didn't mean to do it?

You boys may have started a friendly wrestling match with a little brother, but the next thing you knew, he had a big bruise on his arm and went crying to your mom. **(Place boys wrestling on board.)** Did you say you were sorry? Did you do something nice to make it up to him, or did you complain that your kid brother was just being a crybaby? And girls, have any of you ever asked if your sister would let you play with her favorite doll? But, oops! You pulled the arm or leg too hard and now your sister's best doll has a missing arm! **(Place girl with broken doll in her hand on board.)** You didn't mean to do it; but you were not very careful with her doll, were you? And when your dad finds out, he'll probably tell you to do all her chores for a whole week, just to make it up to her!

Well, that's a lot like the reason a Yisra'elite would give a mandatory offering to Yahweh. Whenever someone sinned by mistake, Yahweh wanted them to show they were truly sorry and were serious about being friends with Him again. Now, it may make you sad to know that because people did things that were wrong, some animals had to die. Well, Yahweh didn't feel very happy about that part of it, either. **(Place sad emoji on board.)** But He cared about His people very much and wanted them to have a way to confess they were wrong and show they were sincerely sorry. **(Place care emoji on board.)** That way, they might learn to be more careful next time and pay better attention to how serious He is about His laws. Yahweh is pleased when we're sorry; and He doesn't want any of His children to be afraid that they have no way to make things right with Him.



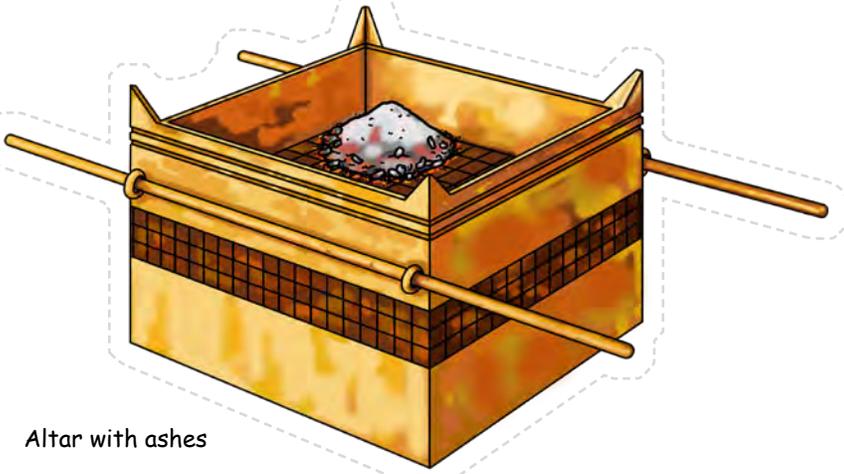
Now, we know Yahweh likes things done in order, and everyone is expected to do things according to the rules, right? The animal sacrifices were also like that. No matter what kind of sacrifice, it had to be brought to the Tent of Meeting, to be offered by the priest. **(Place offeror bringing sacrifice to priest on board.)** For an accidental sin, the person bringing the animal had to put their hands on the head of the animal before it was killed for sacrifice. **(Place offeror with hand on sacrifice on board.)**

And there were detailed rules about what type of animal was required. For instance, if a high priest had sinned, a young bull was offered. **(Place high priest with bull on board.)** If the entire congregation had sinned, a young bull was offered as well, and the elders would put their hands on the head of the bull. **(Place congregation and elders with bull on board.)** If it was a ruler who had sinned, he needed to offer a boy goat **(place ruler and male goat on board)**; but if it was an ordinary person, they were to bring a girl goat, or a ewe-lamb. **(Place offeror with female goat and offeror with ewe-lamb on board.)** If you were poor, you could bring pigeons or turtledoves. **(Place birds on board.)** And if you were even poorer, Yahweh allowed for those people to bring fine flour to atone for their sin. **(Place sack of flour on board.)**

Some things were supposed to be done by the priest and some by the person bringing the sacrifice. There were also rules about whether it was to be cooked and eaten or slowly burnt to a crisp on the altar overnight. **(Place altar with ashes on board.)** Just imagine all those ashes! Well, of course Yahweh thought of that, too, so He gave very specific orders for the priests when it was time to clean up! **(Place priest taking out ashes on board.)** The priests were told to change from their priestly outfits and take those ashes outside the camp. Now, these days, we do NOT do any animal sacrifices. But just remember, Yahweh had a reason for telling Mosheh every detail about how to do all these things. He wanted them to be written in our Bibles today, so shouldn't we take the time to learn about them? When it comes to obeying His Torah, it's often easy to become careless, or even lazy. **(Place yawning emoji on board)**. Even though we don't do sacrifices today, we should all confess our wrong-doing whenever we have done something on purpose against Torah and even by mistake. When we ask Him, Yahweh will certainly help us be more careful to do everything just as He said, even if it costs us something. Isn't it a peaceful feeling to know that you are forgiven by Him, and that you have another chance to do things His way?

Well children, we have come to the end of our story for today. We will see you next week for another exciting Little Gems story!





Altar with ashes

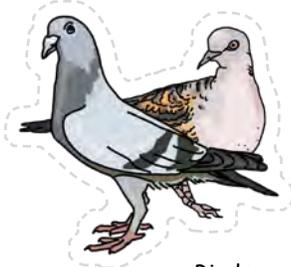
Care emoji



Sad emoji



Yawning emoji



Birds



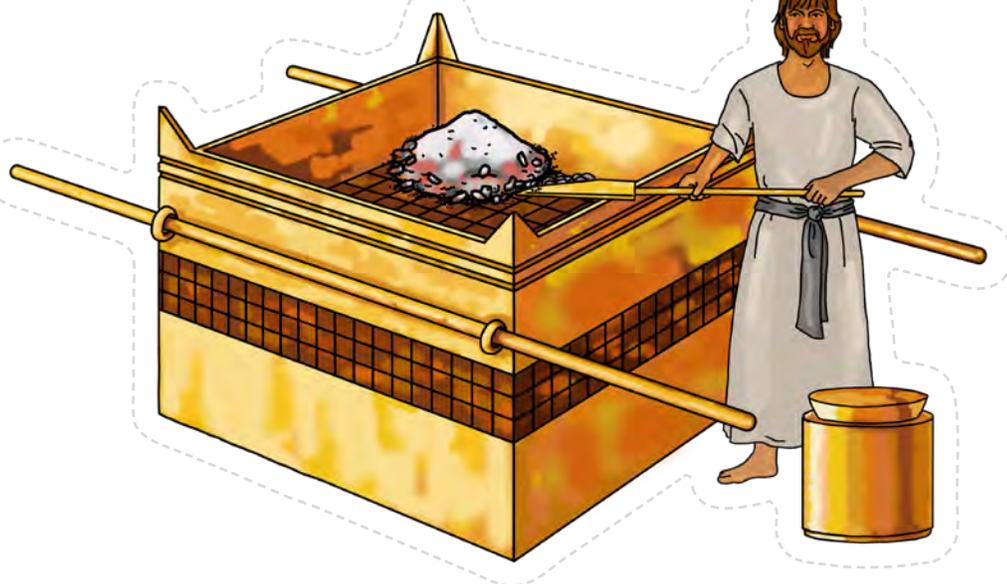
Sack of flour



Offeror with female goat



Offeror with hand on sacrifice



Priest taking out ashes



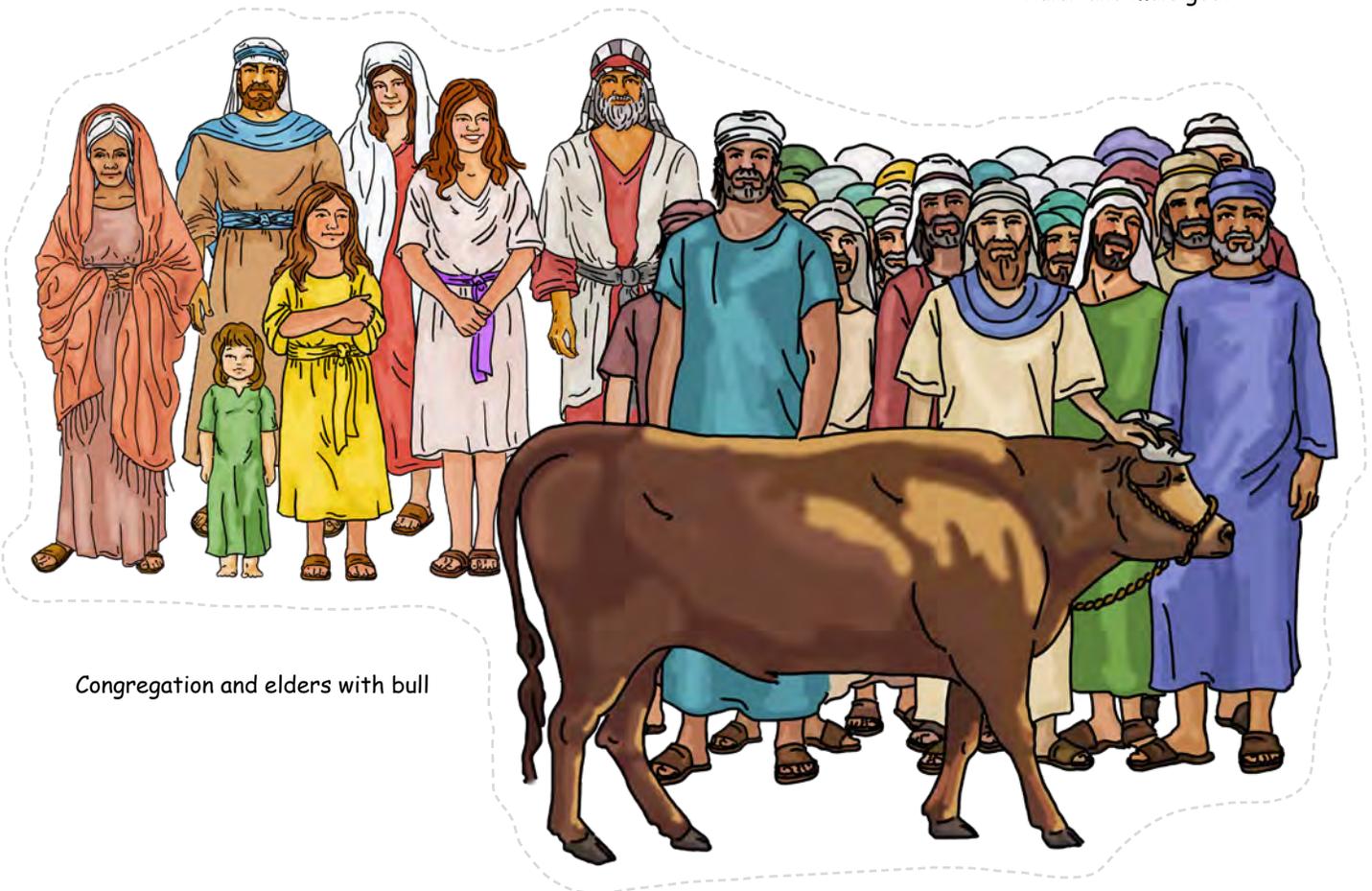
Boys wrestling



Girl with broken doll in her hand

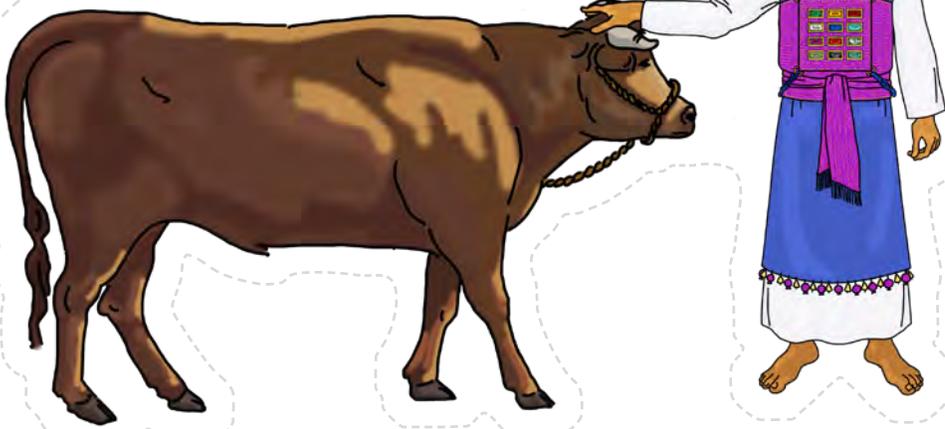


Ruler and male goat

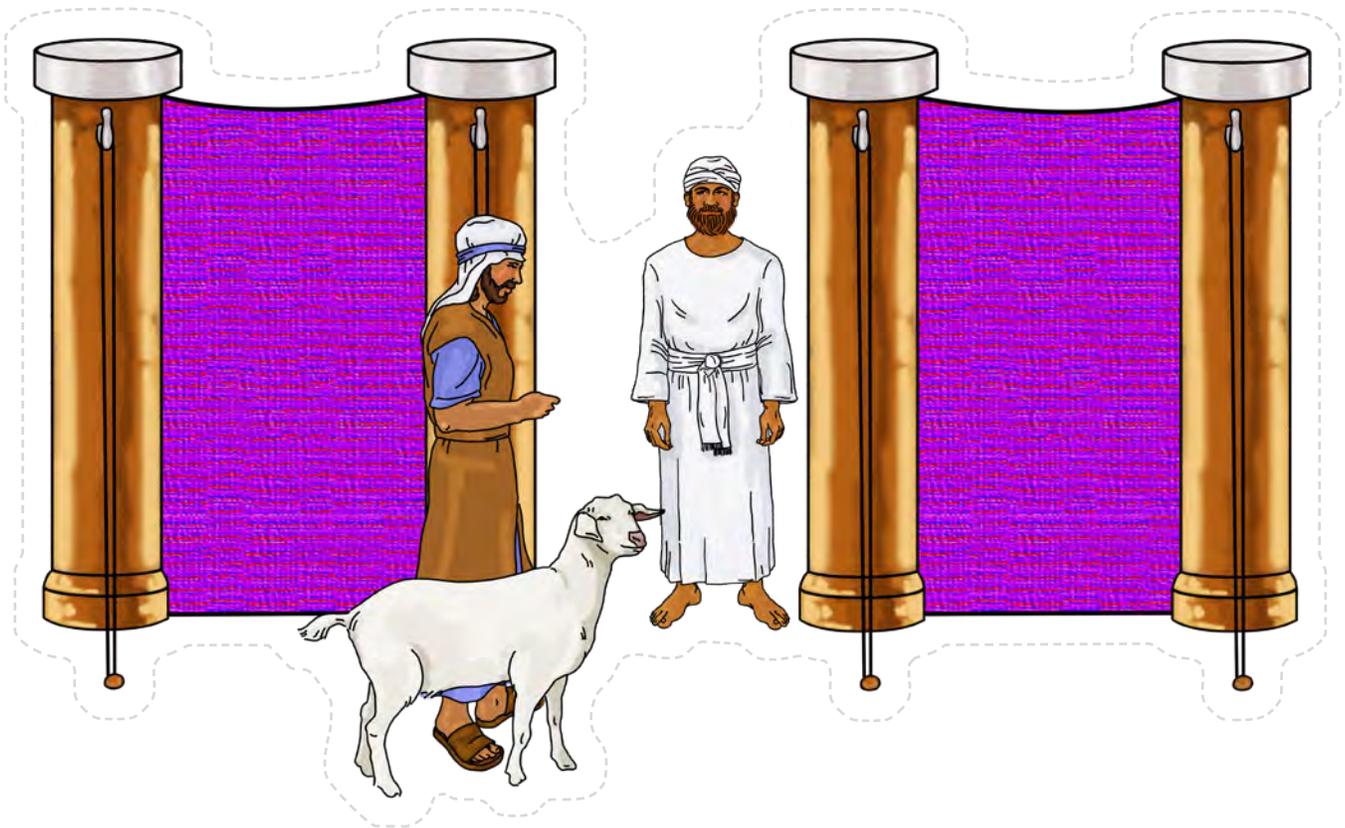


Congregation and elders with bull

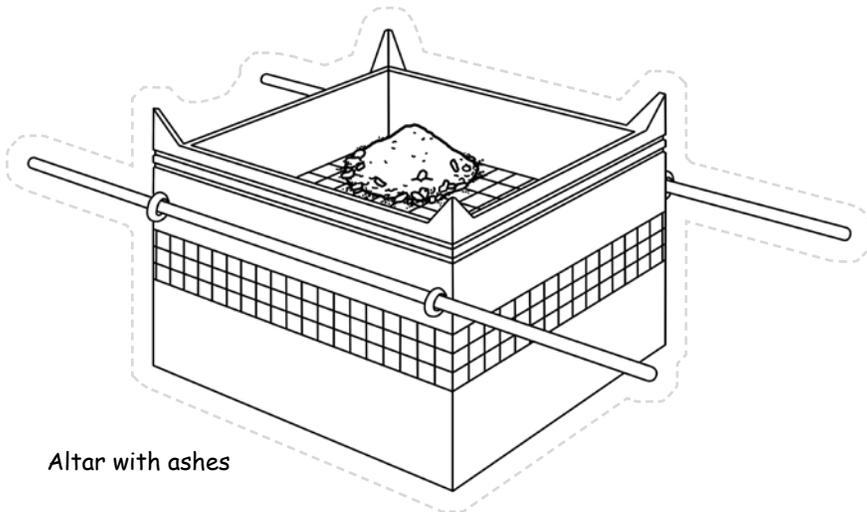
High priest with bull



Offeror with ewe-lamb

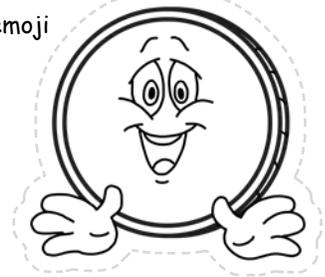


Offeror bringing sacrifice to priest



Altar with ashes

Care emoji



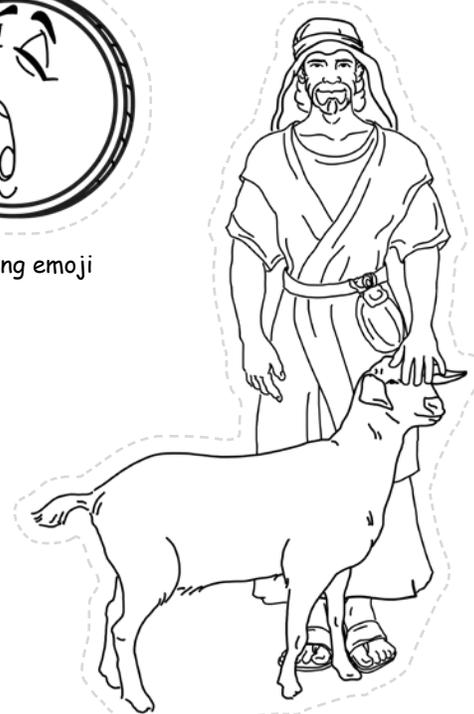
Sad emoji



Yawning emoji



Birds



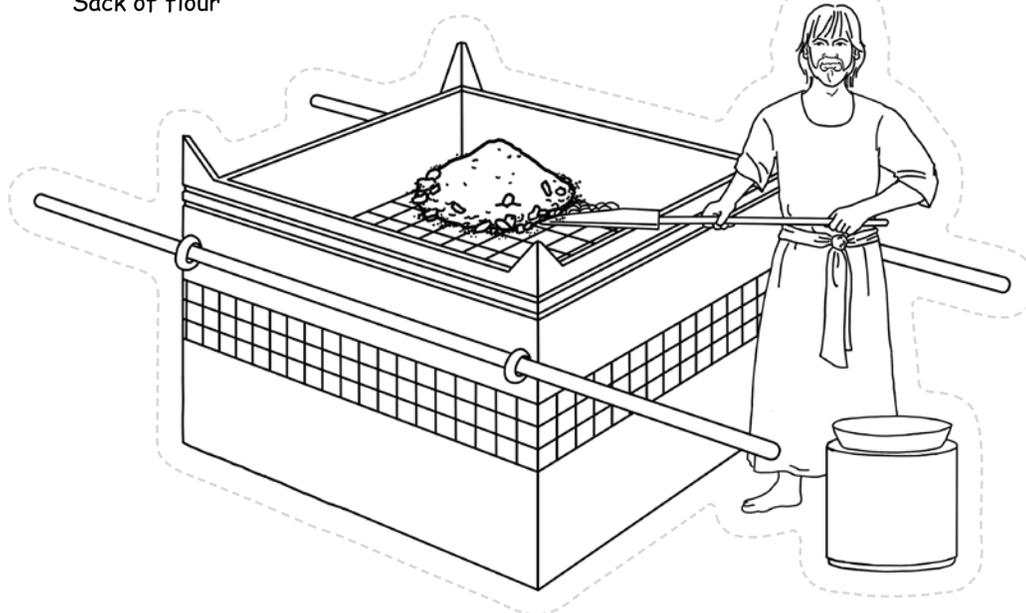
Offeror with female goat



Sack of flour



Offeror with hand on sacrifice



Priest taking out ashes



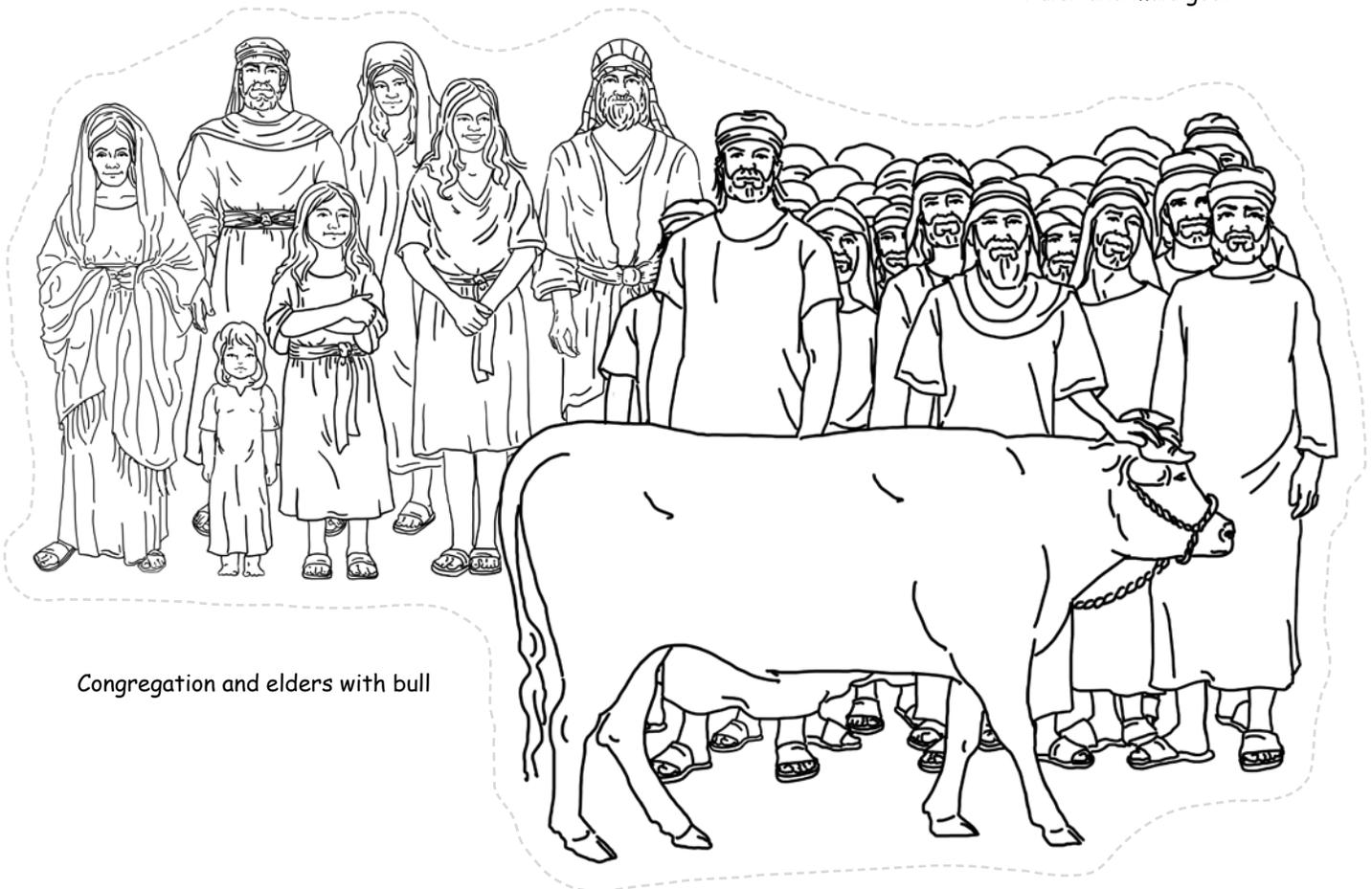
Boys wrestling



Girl with broken doll in her hand

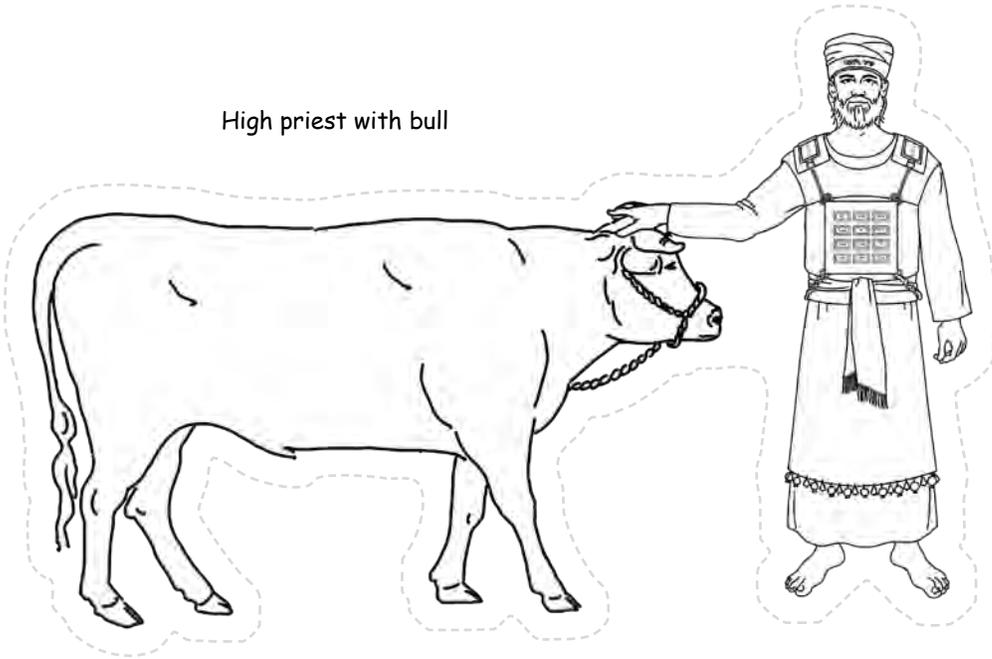


Ruler and male goat

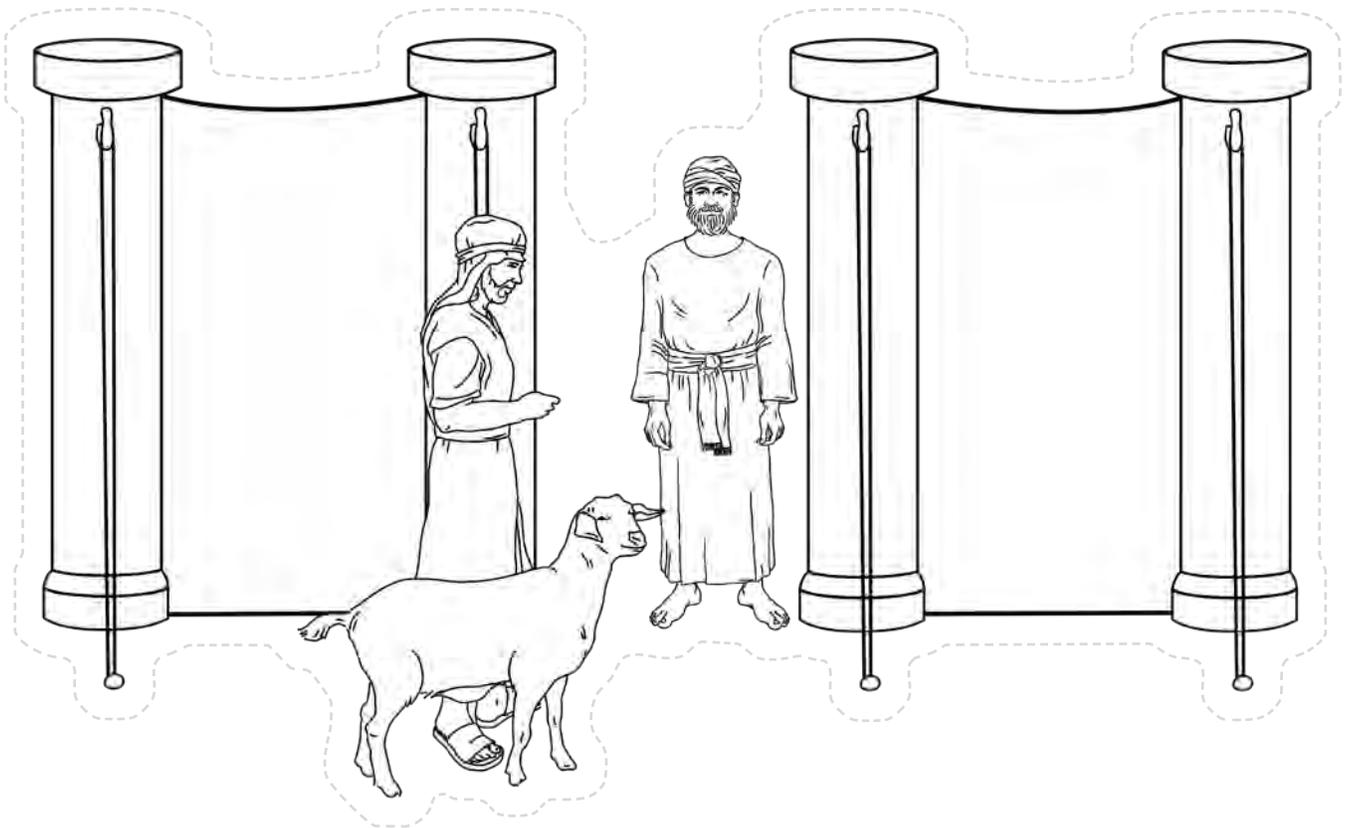


Congregation and elders with bull

High priest with bull



Offeror with ewe-lamb



Offeror bringing sacrifice to priest

Counting What You Gained

This next section is intended to be reinforcement of the lessons learned during this parsha. Choose the activities that best fit your child.

STORING UP TREASURE IN MY HEART

The Katan Aleph memory verse for this Torah portion is Leviticus 5:13. If they have not already done so, begin to help them to memorize the verse. Be creative and try acting it out, or putting it to music.



SEEKING TREASURE

Circle the correct choices.

1. For the sin offering, we learned about different groups of people. Circle the correct sacrifice for the High priest and congregation. (4:3, 14)



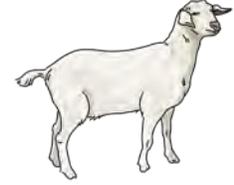
bull



male goat

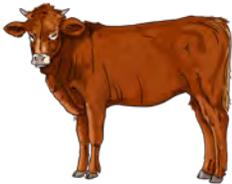


female sheep



female goat

2. For the sin offering, we learned about different groups of people. Circle the correct sacrifice for the ruler. (4:23)



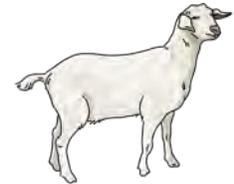
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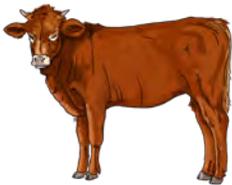


female sheep



female goat

3. For the sin offering, we learned about different groups of people. Circle the correct sacrifices for the individual person. (4:28, 32)



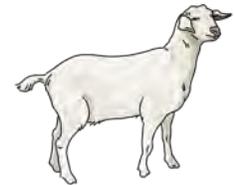
bull



male goat



female sheep



female goat

4. If you could not afford to bring an animal from the flock or herd for a sin offering, what type of birds were allowed to be brought? (5:7)



eagle



turtledoves



raven



pigeons

5. If you could not afford to bring an animal from the flock or herd, or the birds for a sin offering, what was another type of offering allowed? (5:11)



fine flour



honey



olive oil



frankincense

WORD SEARCH

Search for the hidden words from this week's parsha.



MANDATORY

OFFEROR

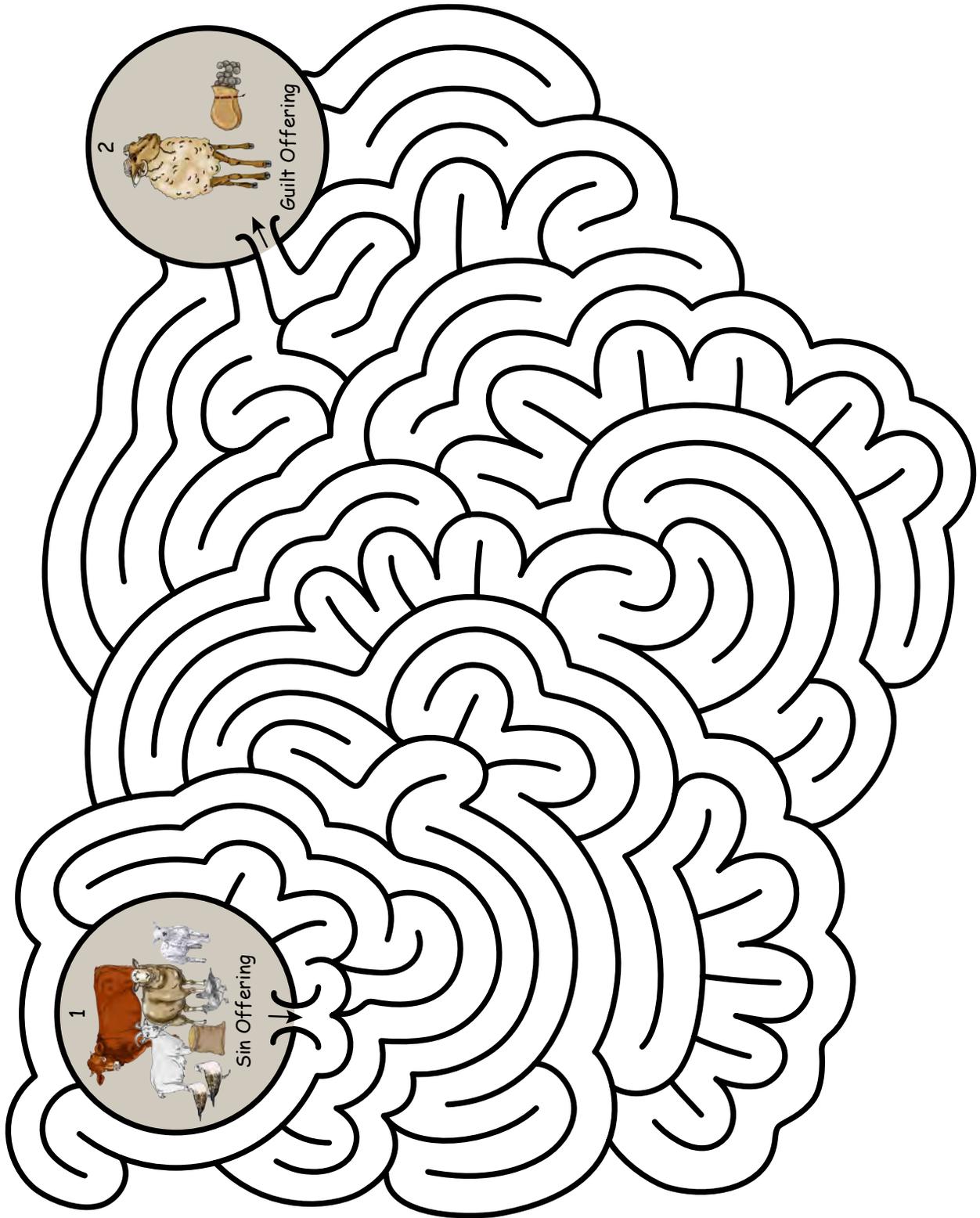
PRIEST

SIN

GUILT



MAZE



Precious Possessions

CRAFT

Sin Offering – Bull

Lev. 4:3, 13-14

Materials:

- Cardstock - white
- Glue stick or glue of choice
- Scissors
- Coloring pencils, crayons, or markers
- Craft Templates: Bull (BW) or (color)

Parent/Teacher Preparation:

- Print Craft Templates of choice on white cardstock.



Instructions for the Craft:

- If using BW Templates, color using medium of choice.
- Cut out all Craft Templates. (P1)
- Using a glue stick or glue of choice, connect the body parts in this order:
 - Run a glue stick on the front of the horns and place the head over the horns. (P2a, P2b)
 - Run a glue stick on the front of the ears and place the head over the ears. (P3a, P3b)



P1



P2a



P2b



P3a



P3b

Instructions for the Craft Cont'd:

- Run a glue stick on the front of the body and place the head over the body. (P4a, P4b)
- Run a glue stick on the front of the tail and place the bull over the tail. (P5a, P5b)
- Run a glue stick on the front of 2 of the legs and place the bull over the 2 front legs. (P6a, P6b)
- Run a glue stick on the front of the 2 hind legs and place the bull over the 2 hind legs. (P6a, P6c)

You now have a visual representation of the offering that the high priest or the congregation was required to bring for a sin offering.



P4a



P4b



P5a



P5b



P6a

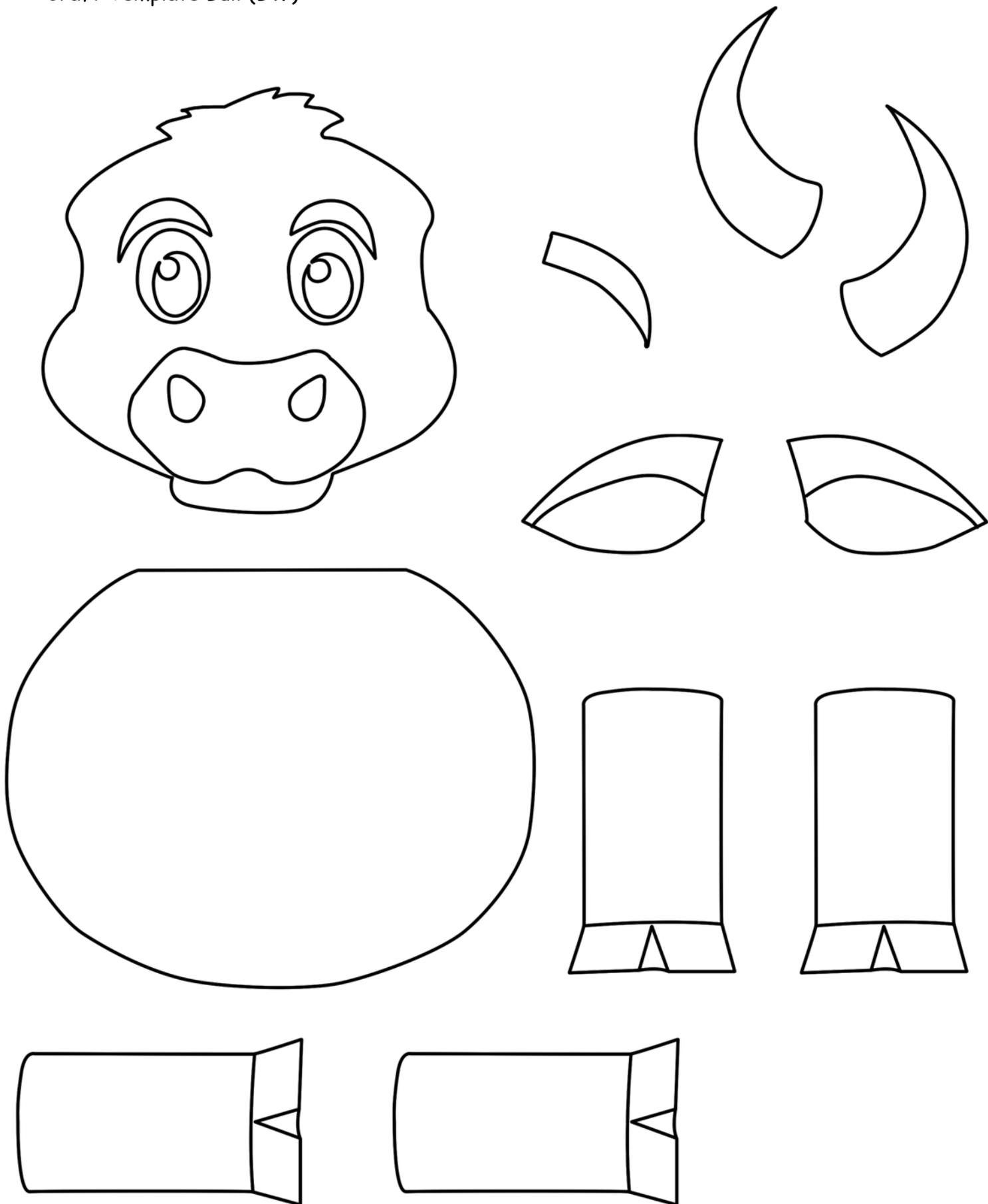


P6b

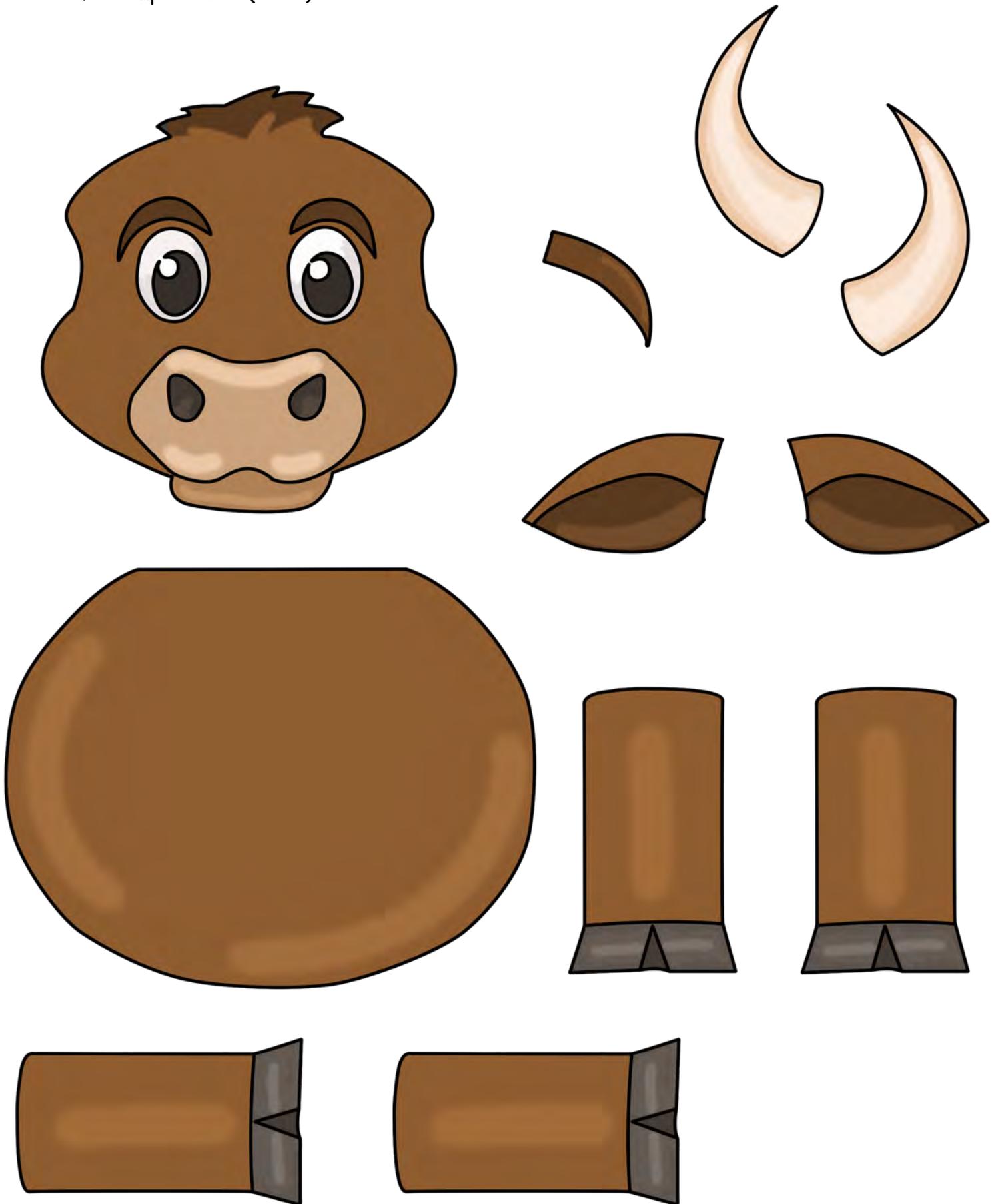


P6c

Craft Template Bull (BW)



Craft Template Bull (color)



CRAFT

Materials:

- Cardstock - white
- Glue stick or glue of choice
- Scissors
- Coloring pencils, crayons, or markers
- Craft Templates: Goat (BW) or (color)

Parent/Teacher Preparation:

- Print Craft Templates of choice on white cardstock.

Sin Offering – Male or Female Goat

Lev. 4:22-23, 27-28



Instructions for the Craft:

- If using BW Templates, color using medium of choice.
- Cut out all Craft Templates. Note that you can make this a male or female goat (leave off the beard) depending on what sin offering you are choosing to do. (P1)
- Using a glue stick or glue of choice, connect the body parts in this order:
 - Run a glue stick on the front of the horns and place the face over the horns. (P2a, P2b)
 - Run a glue stick on the front of the ears and place the face over the ears. (P3a, P3b)
 - Run a glue stick on the front of the beard and place the face over the beard. Skip this part if doing a female goat. (P4a, P4b)



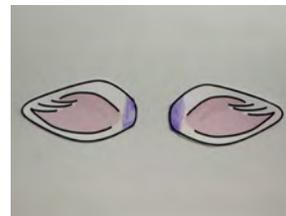
P1



P2a



P2b



P3a



P3b



P4a



P4b

Instructions for the Craft Cont'd:

- Flip the head over to the back and run a glue stick at the bottom of the head. Flip the head over to the front and place the head over the body. (P5a, P5b, P5c)
- Run a glue stick on the front of the tail and place the goat over the tail. (P6a, P6b)
- Run a glue stick on the front of the 2 front legs and place the body over the 2 front legs. (P7a, P7b)
- Run a glue stick on the left and right side of the 2 hind legs and place the 2 hind legs behind the 2 front legs and body. (P7c, P7d)



P5a

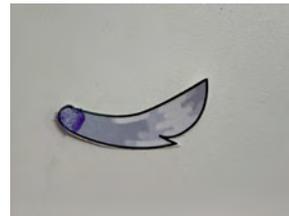


P5b



P5c

You now have a visual representation of the offering that a ruler was required to bring for a sin offering, a male goat, as well as the offering an individual person would bring for their sin offering, a female goat.



P6a



P6b



P7a



P7b

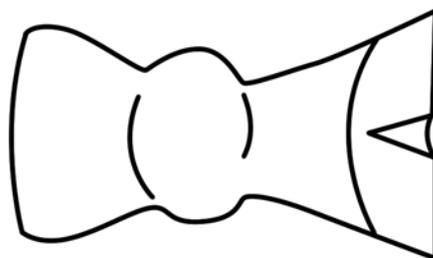
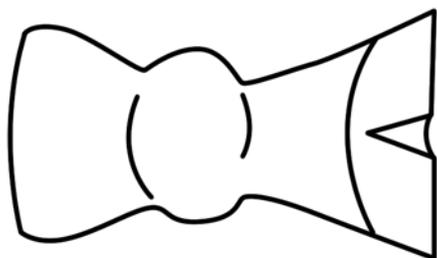
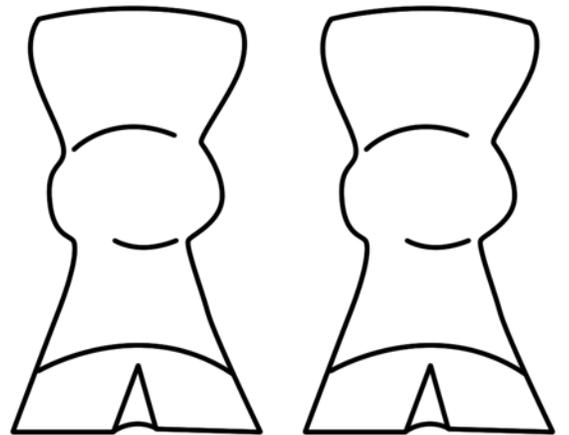
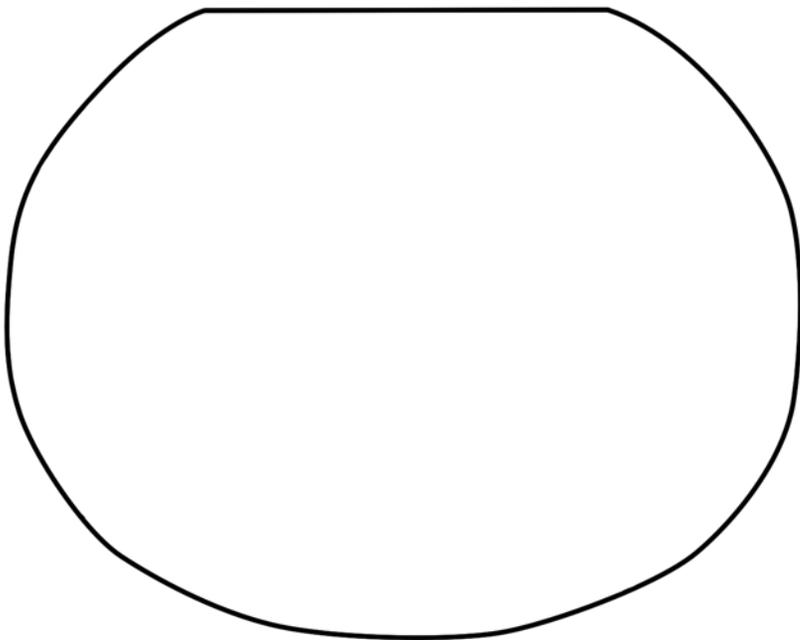
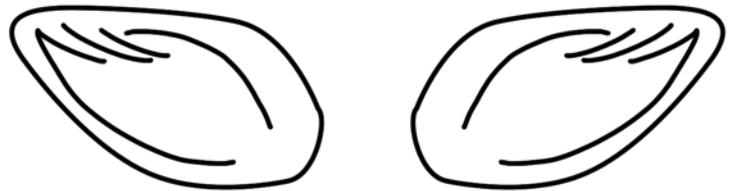
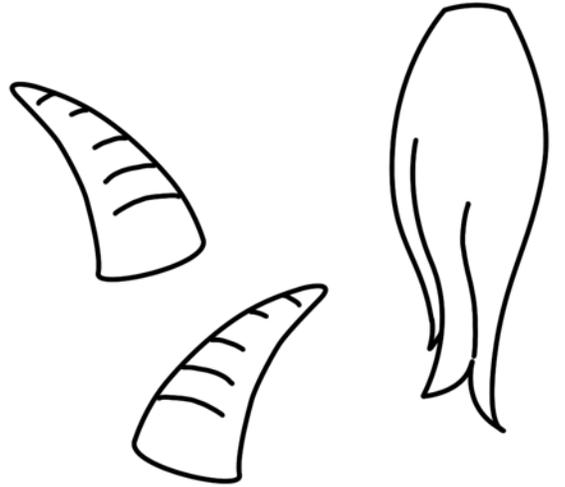


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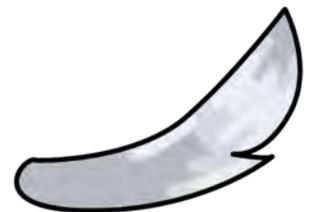
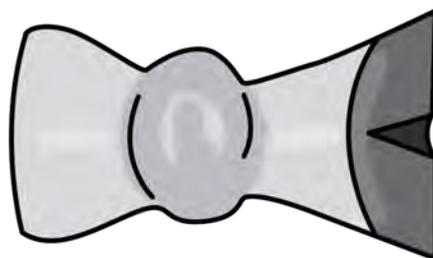
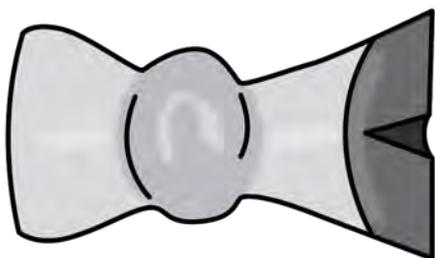
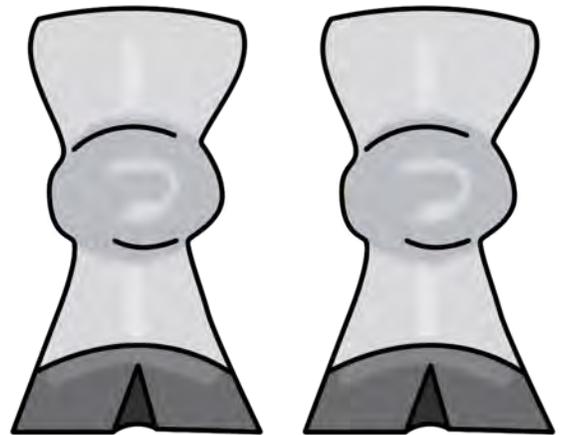
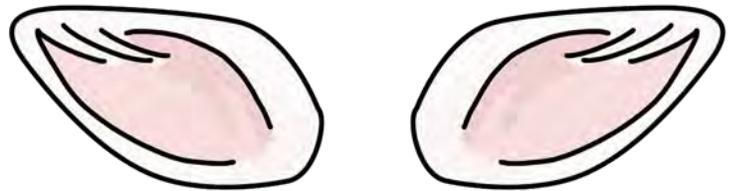


P7d

Craft Template Goat (BW)



Craft Template Goat (color)



CRAFT

Materials:

- Cardstock - white
- Glue stick or glue of choice
- Scissors
- Coloring pencils, crayons, or markers
- Craft Templates: Lamb (BW) or (color)

Parent/Teacher Preparation:

- Print Craft Templates of choice on white cardstock.

Instructions for the Craft:

- If using BW Templates, color using medium of choice.
- Cut out all Craft Templates. (P1)
- Using a glue stick or glue of choice, connect the body parts in this order:
 - Run a glue stick on the front of the face and place the hair over the face. (P2a, P2b)
 - Run a glue stick on the front of the ears and place the head over the ears. (P3a, P3b, P3c)

Sin Offering – Female Lamb

Lev. 4:27, 32



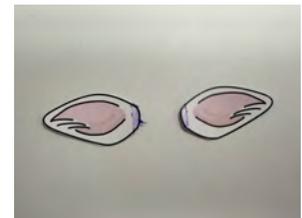
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P2a



P2b



P3a



P3b

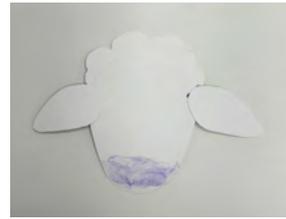


P3c

Instructions for the Craft Cont'd:

- Flip the head over to the back and run a glue stick at the bottom of the head. Flip the head over to the front and place the head over the body. (P4a, P4b)
- Run a glue stick on the front of the 2 hind legs and place the lamb over the 2 hind legs. (P5a, P5b)
- Run a glue stick on the back of the 2 front legs and place the legs over the body. (P5c, P5d)

You now have a visual representation of one of the offerings that an individual person was required to bring for a sin offering.



P4a



P4b



P5a



P5b

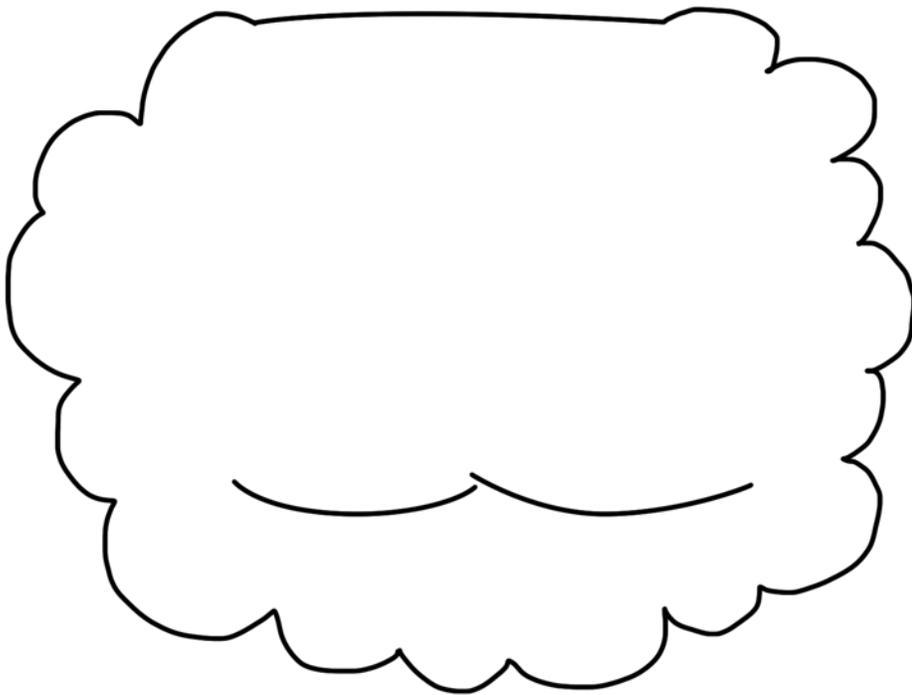
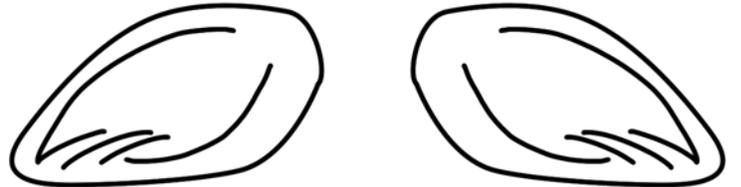
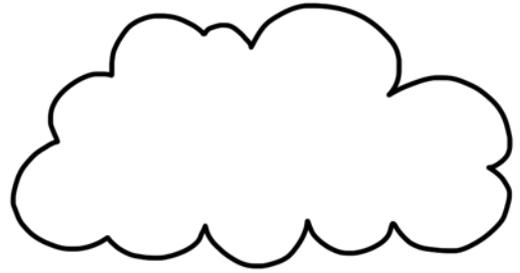
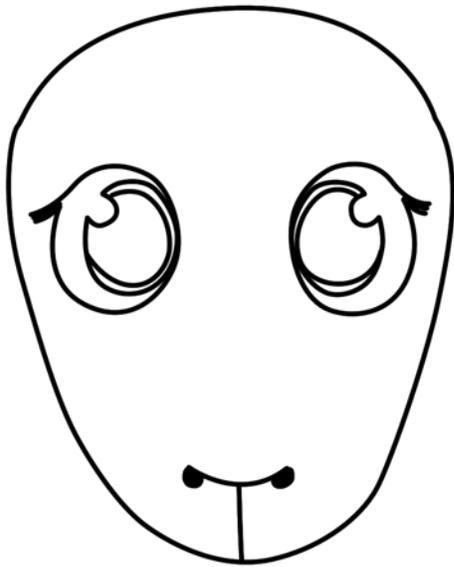


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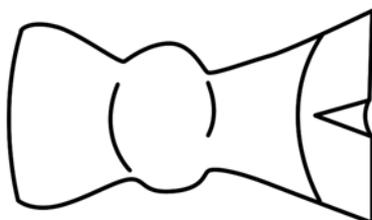
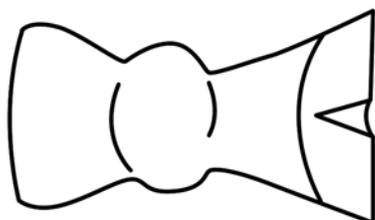
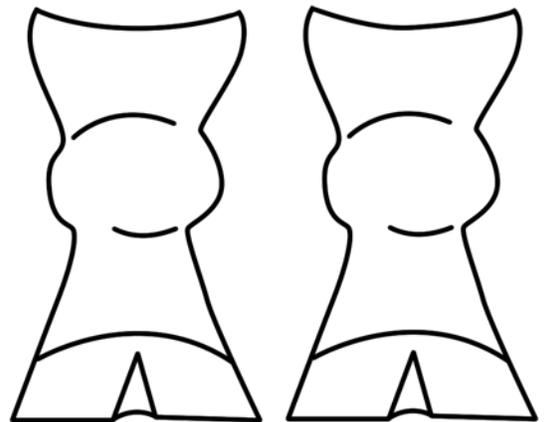


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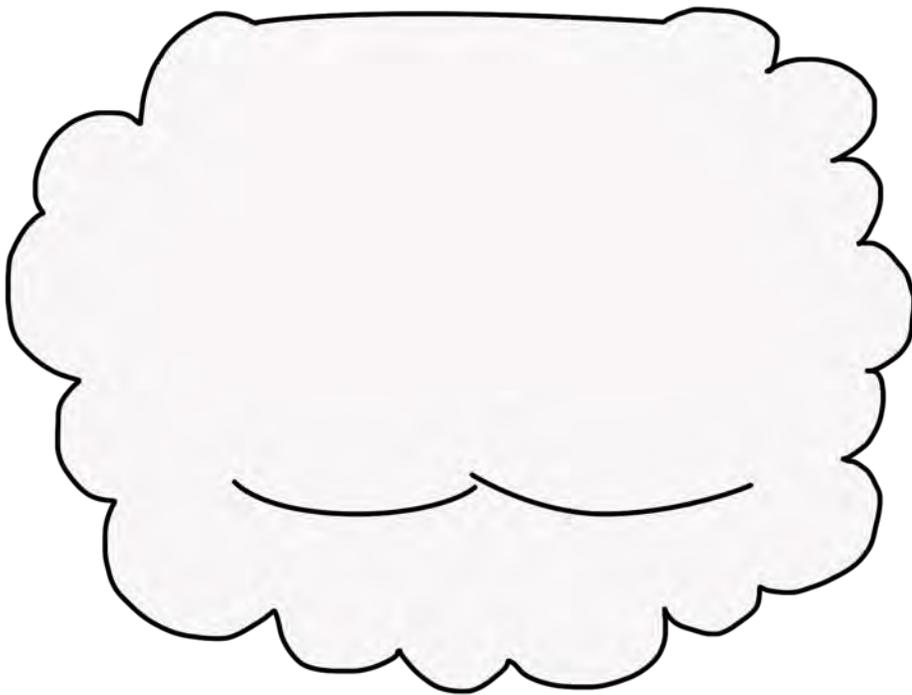
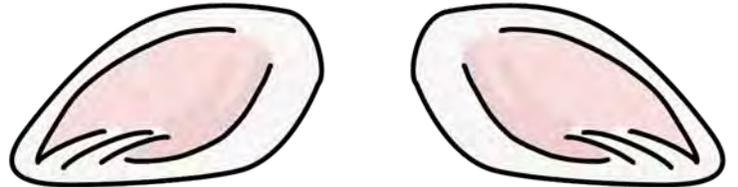
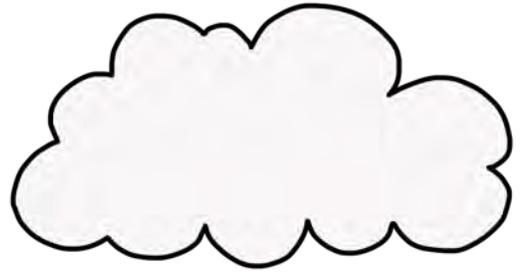
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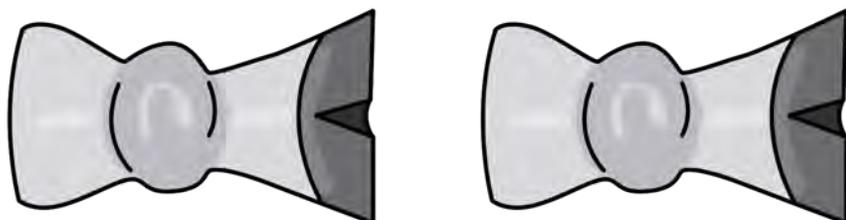
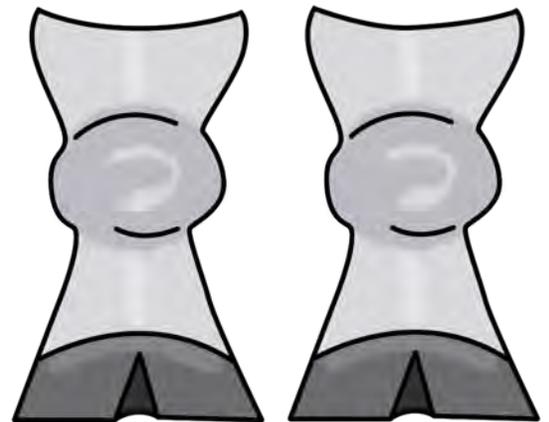
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Craft Template Lamb (color)



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CRAFT

Sin Offering – Pigeon

Lev. 5:7

Materials:

- Cardstock - white
- Glue stick or glue of choice
- Scissors
- Coloring pencils, crayons, or markers
- Craft Templates: Pigeon (BW) or (color)

Parent/Teacher Preparation:

- Print Craft Templates of choice on white cardstock.



Instructions for the Craft:

- If using BW Templates, color using medium of choice.
- Cut out all Craft Templates. (P1)
- Using a glue stick or glue of choice, connect the body parts in this order:
 - Flip the head over to the back and run a glue stick at the bottom of the head. Flip the head over to the front and place the head over the body. (P2a, P2b)
 - Run a glue stick on the front of the wings and place the body over the wings. (P3a, P3b, P3c)



P1



P2a



P2b



P3a



P3b



P3c

Instructions for the Craft Cont'd:

- Run a glue stick on the front of the tail and place the pigeon over the tail. (P4a, P4b)
- Run a glue stick on the back of the 2 feet and place on the body just above the tail. (P5a, P5b)

You now have a visual representation of the offering that an individual person with financial limitations was required to bring for a sin offering. Please note that 2 turtledoves or 2 pigeons were required for this mandatory offering.



P4a



P4b

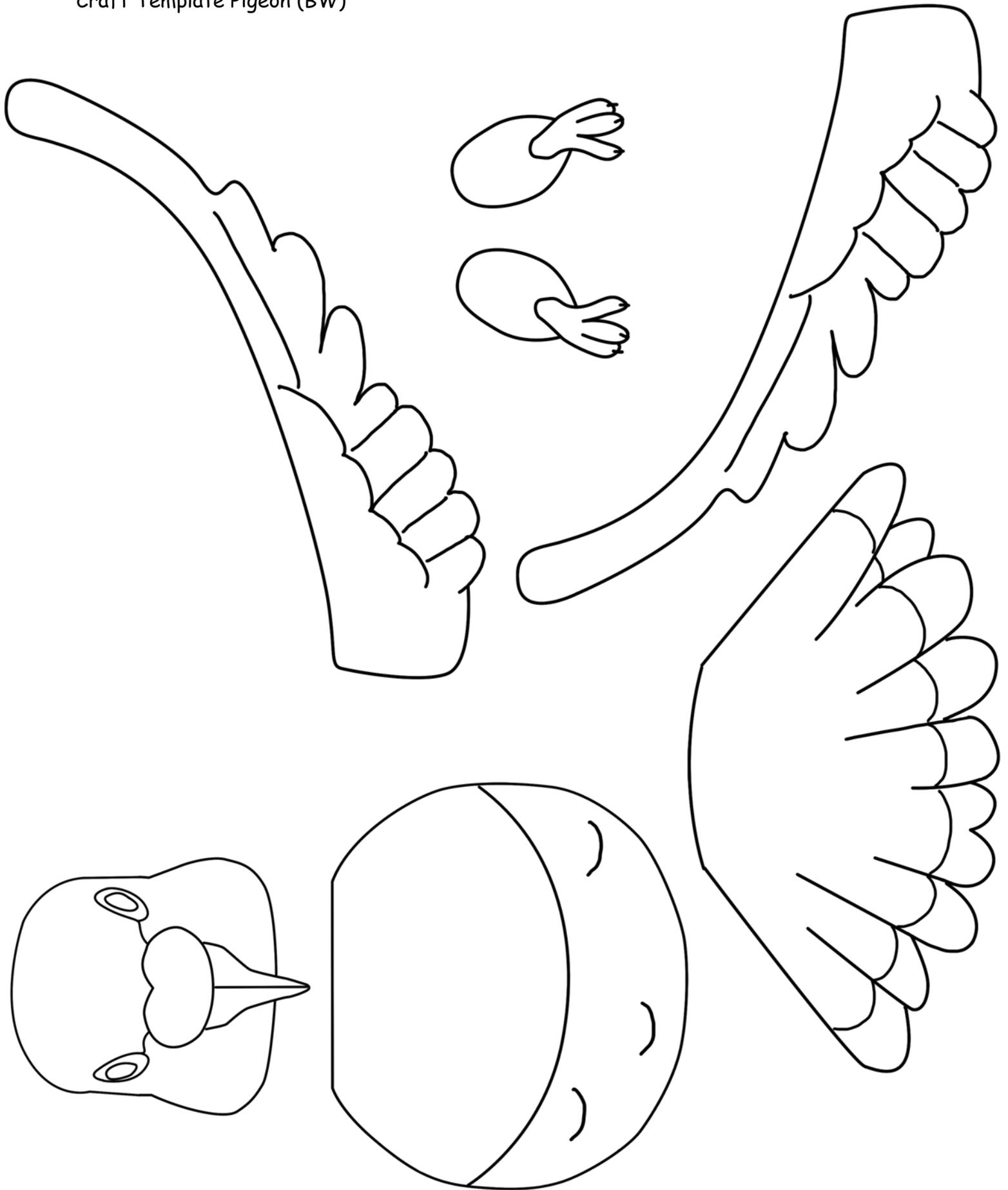


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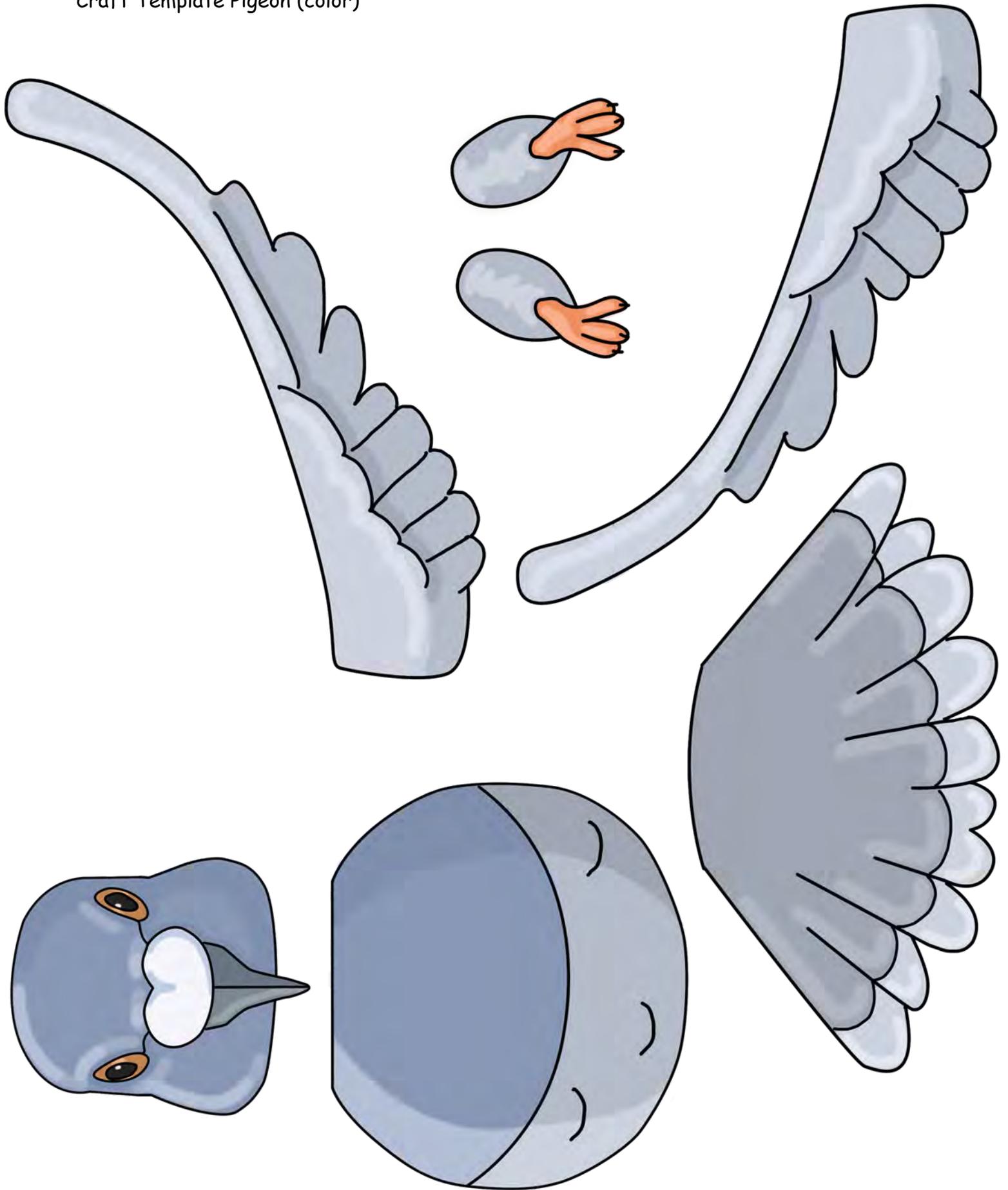


P5c

Craft Template Pigeon (BW)



Craft Template Pigeon (color)



CRAFT

Sin Offering – Turtledove

Lev. 5:7

Materials:

- Cardstock - white
- Glue stick or glue of choice
- Scissors
- Coloring pencils, crayons, or markers
- Craft Templates: Turtledove (BW) or (color)

Parent/Teacher Preparation:

- Print Craft Templates of choice on white cardstock.



Instructions for the Craft:

- If using BW Templates, color using medium of choice.
- Cut out all Craft Templates. (P1)
- Using a glue stick or glue of choice, connect the body parts in this order:
 - Flip the head over to the back and run a glue stick at the bottom of the head. Flip the head over to the front and place the head over the body. (P2a, P2b)



P1



P2a

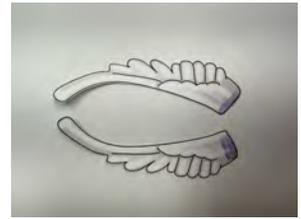


P2b

Instructions for the Craft Cont'd:

- Run a glue stick on the front of the wings and place the body over the wings. (P3a, P3b, P3c)
- Run a glue stick on the front of the tail and place the turtledove over the tail. (P4a, P4b)
- Run a glue stick on the back of the 2 feet and place on the body just above the tail. (P5a, P5b)

You now have a visual representation of the offering that an individual person with financial limitations was required to bring for a sin offering. Please note that 2 turtledoves or 2 pigeons were required for this mandatory offering.



P3a



P3b



P3c



P4a



P4b

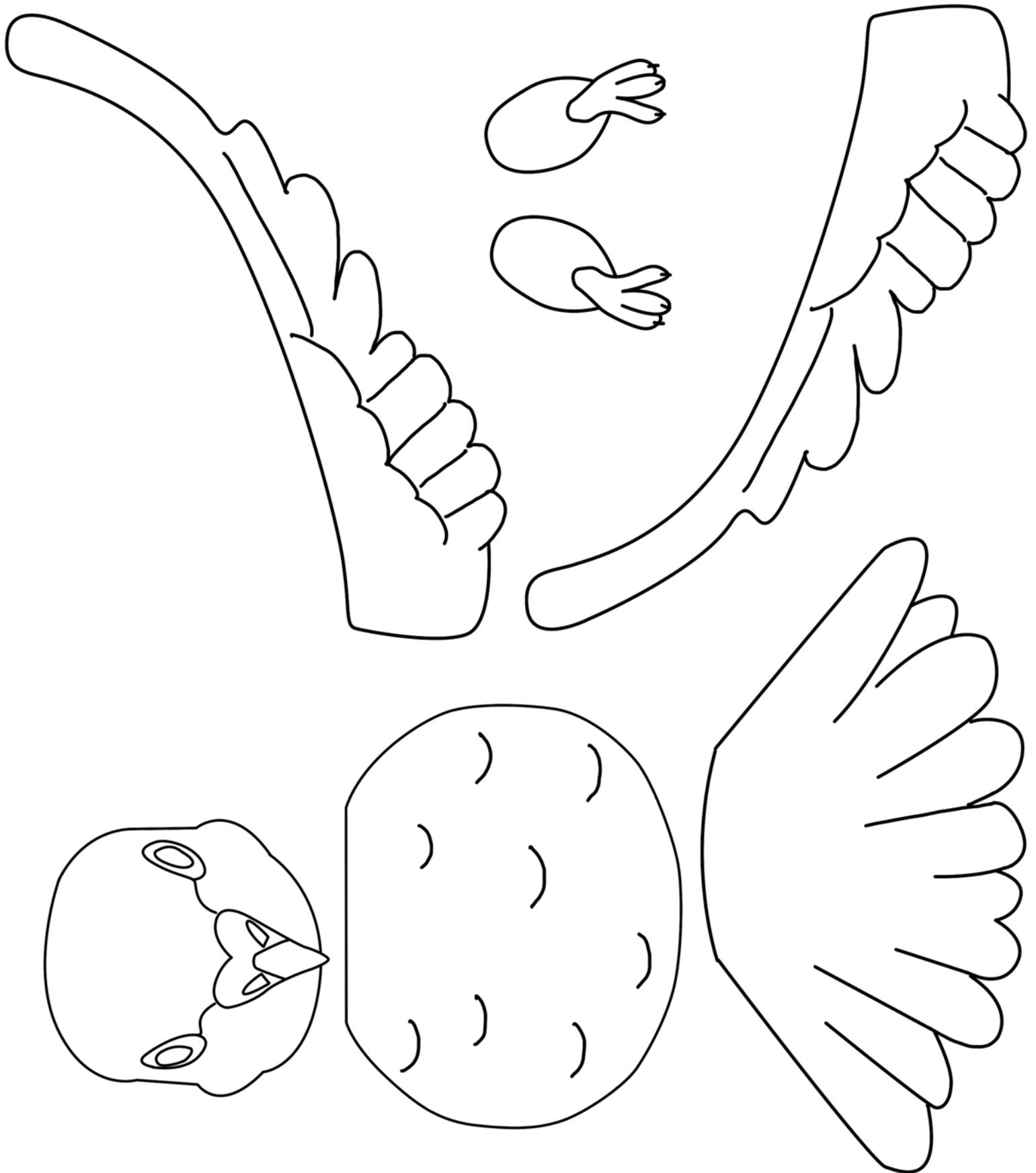


P5a

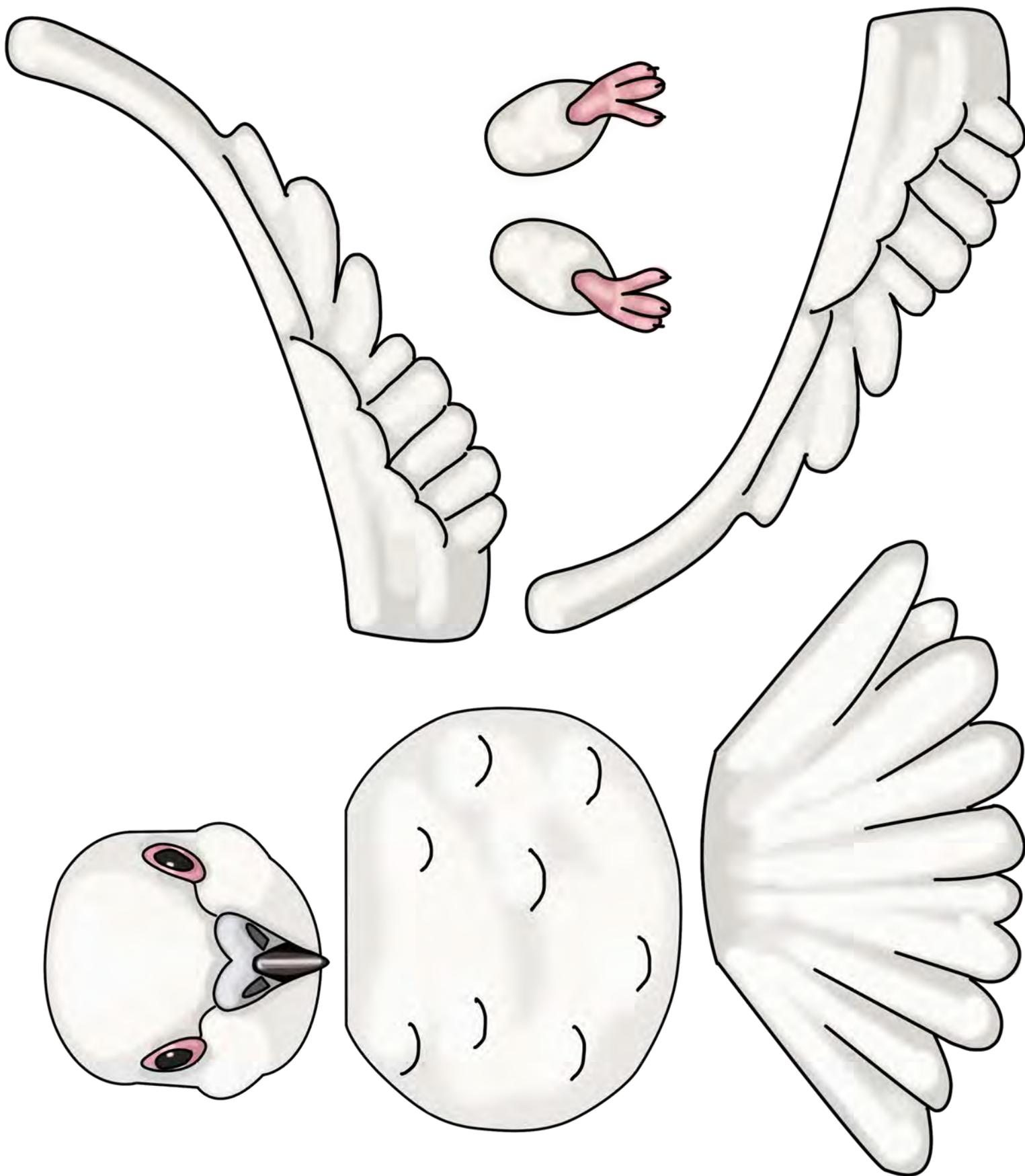


P5b

Craft Template Turtledove (BW)



Craft Template Turtledove (color)



CRAFT

Guilt Offering – Ram

Lev. 5:15; 6:6

Materials:

- Cardstock - white
- Glue stick or glue of choice
- Scissors
- Coloring pencils, crayons, or markers
- Craft Templates: Ram (BW) or (color)

Parent/Teacher Preparation:

- Print Craft Templates of choice on white cardstock.



Instructions for the Craft:

- If using BW Templates, color using medium of choice.
- Cut out all Craft Templates. (P1)
- Using a glue stick or glue of choice, connect the body parts in this order:
 - Run a glue stick on the front of the ears and place the face over the ears. (P2a, P2b)
 - Run a glue stick on the back of the horns and place the horns behind the head. (P3a, P3b)



P1



P2a



P2b



P3a



P3b

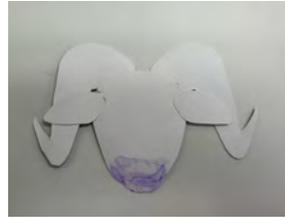
Instructions for the Craft Cont'd:

- Flip the head over to the back and run a glue stick at the bottom of the head. Flip the head over to the front and place the head over the body. (P4a, P4b, P4c)
- Run a glue stick on the front of the 2 hind legs and place the legs behind the body. (P5a, P5b)
- Run a glue stick on the back of the 2 front legs and place the legs over the body. (P5c, P5d)

You now have a visual representation of the offering that an individual person was required to bring for a guilt offering.



P4a



P4b



P4c



P5a



P5b

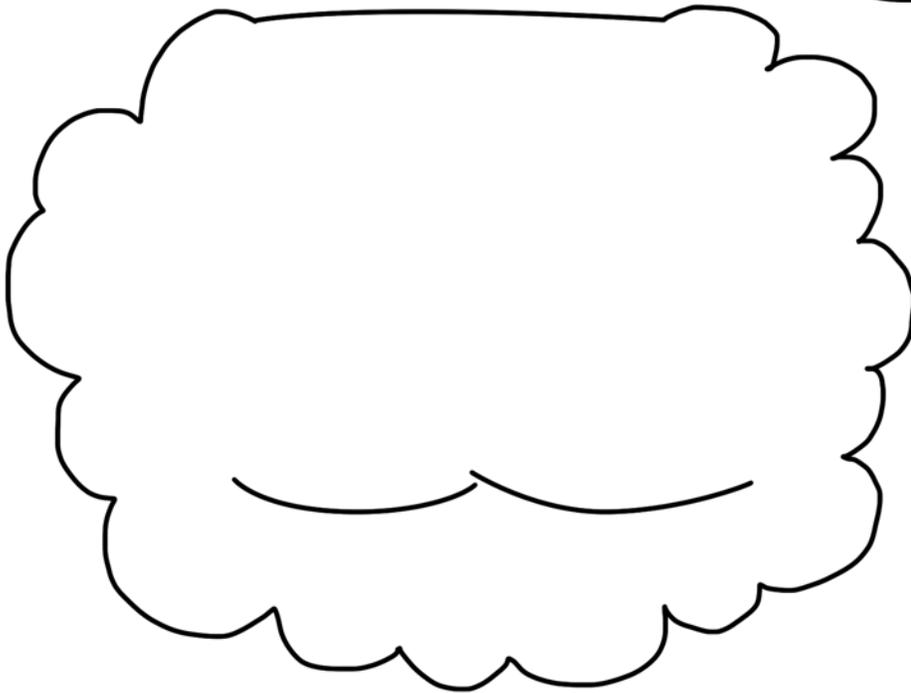
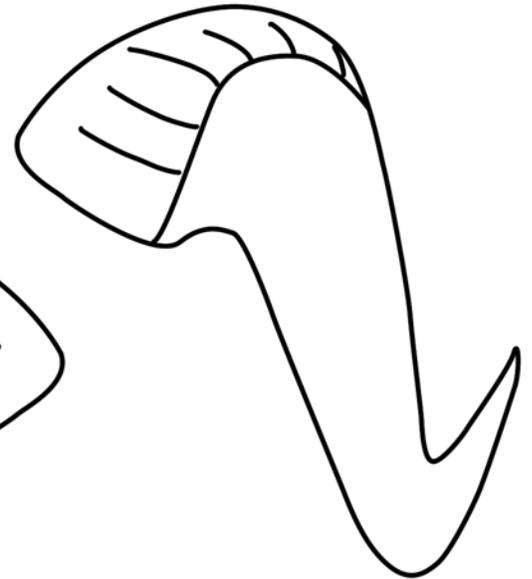
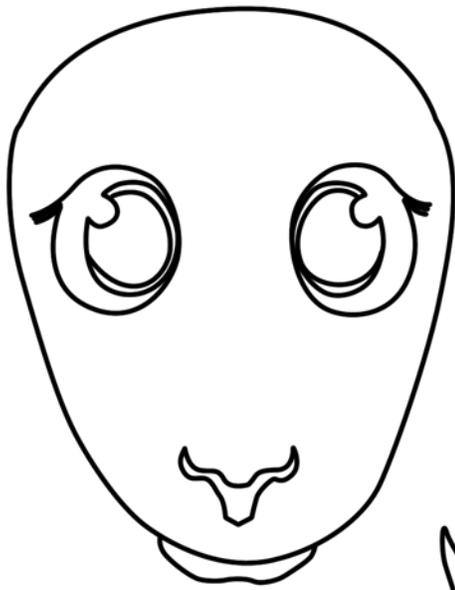


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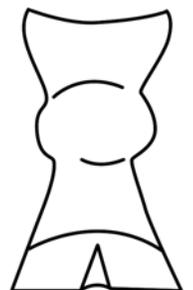
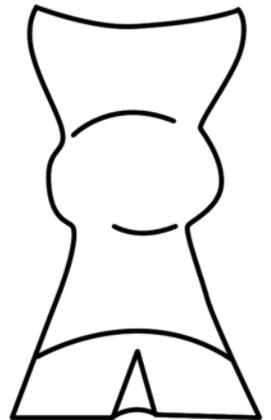
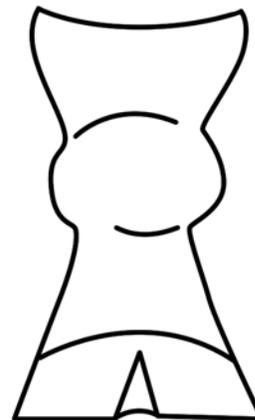


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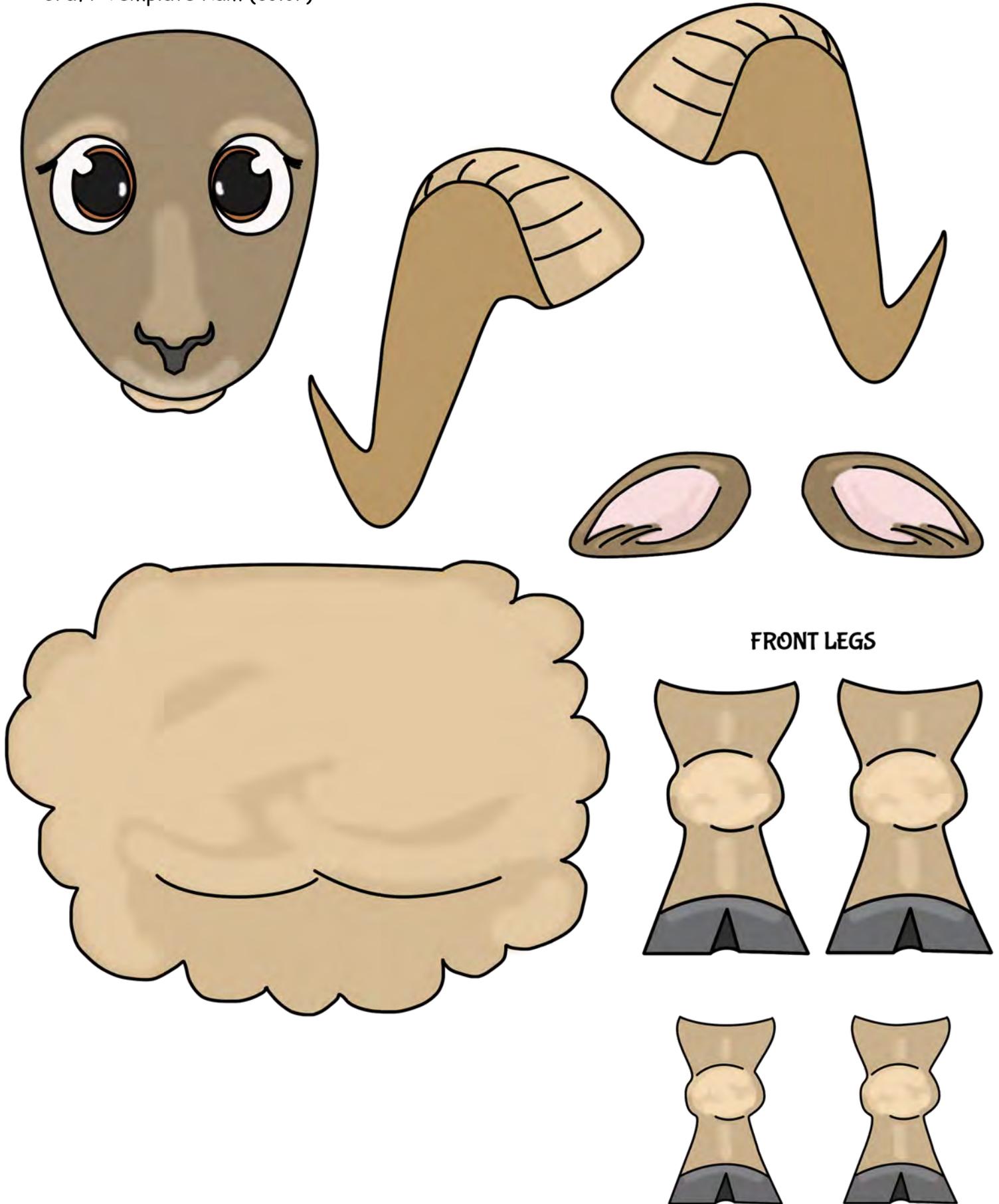
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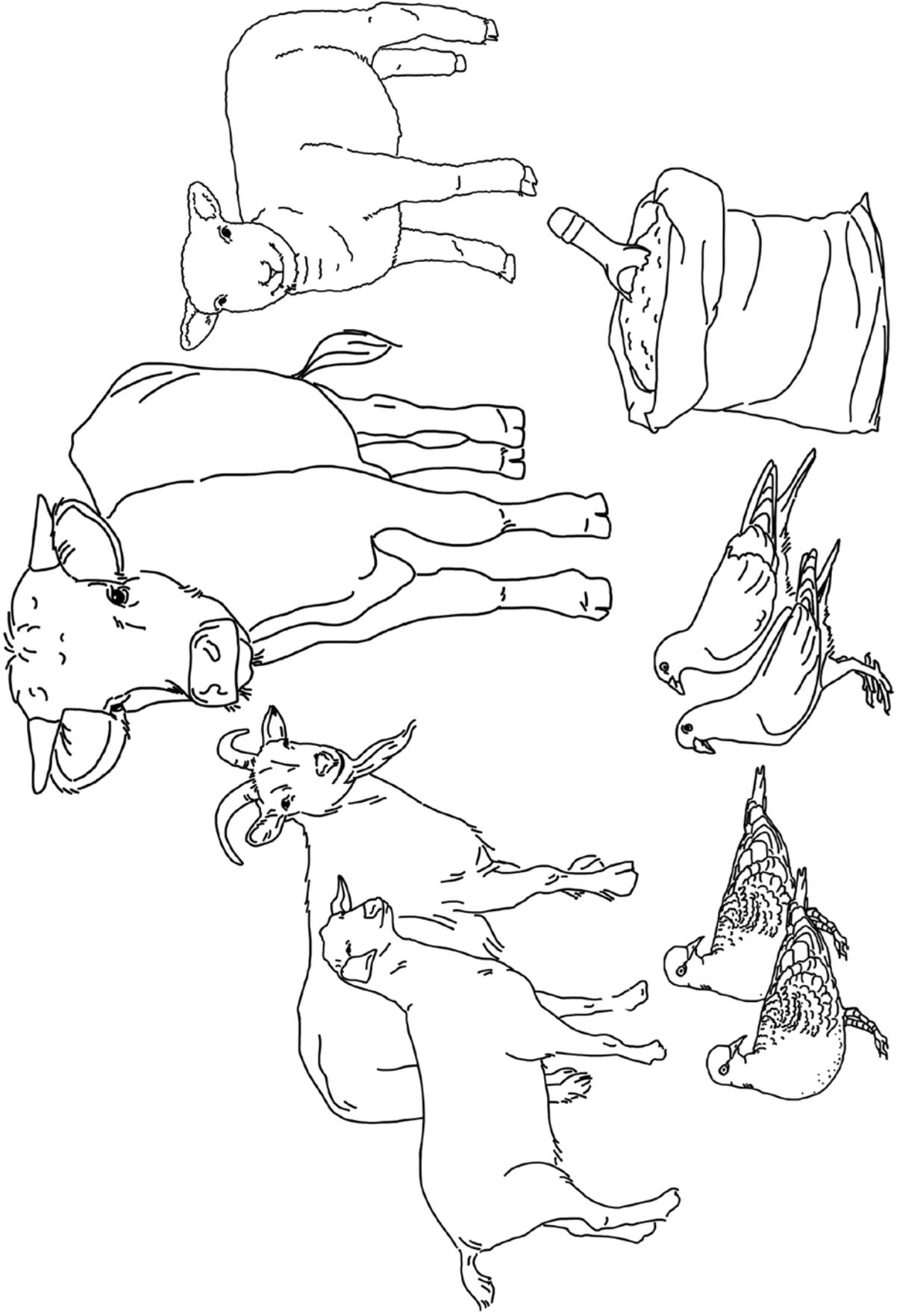
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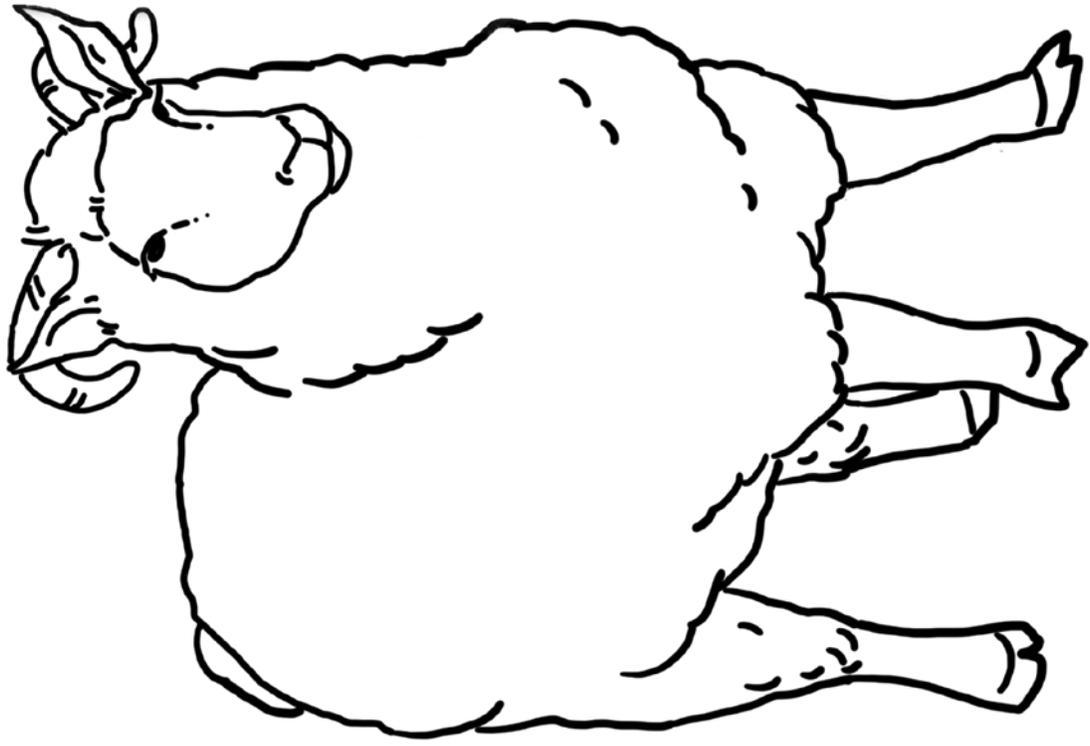
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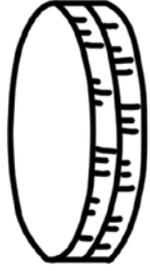
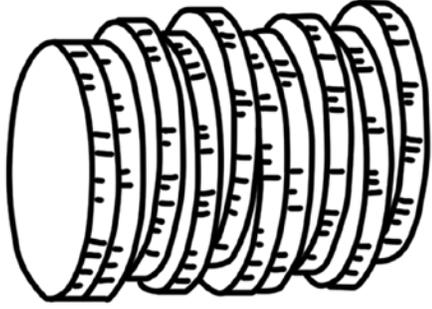
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GOATS OFFERING



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Sweetness of Torah

SWEET SOUNDS OF TORAH

(Sing Praises to His Name)

Here is the link for this song:

https://www.podomatic.com/podcasts/steveberkson/episodes/2017-03-26T05_12_47-07_00

The 5 Korbanot

There were many kinds of Korbanot
Each animal - tammim, complete
The Sh'lamim, the peace offering
Had parts for the Kohen to eat

If there was a time that a person did
Something that was wrong
A Korban either Chatat, or Asham
He brought before very long

The people knew the Olah was
A completely burned Korban
Offered with free will
To Yahweh by anyone

The Korban Minchah was flour and oil
Given mainly by poor
And to show his thanks to Yahweh
A man brought a Korban Todah



Korbanot - Offerings
Tammim - perfect, unblemished
Sh'lamim - Peace Offering
Kohen - Priest
Chatat - Sin Offering
Asham - Guilt/Trespass Offering
Olah - Burnt Offering
Minchah - Grain Offering
Todah - Thanksgiving Offering

SWEET TASTE OF TORAH

This snack relates to this week's parsha. Please take these as suggestions and make necessary changes based on your individual dietary needs.

Sin and Guilt Offering Cookies

Exodus 4:3, 14, 23, 28; 5:6-7, 15, 18; 6:6



Ingredients:

- Animal cookie cutouts: bull, ram, goat or lamb, dove
- $\frac{1}{4}$ c. vegetable shortening
- 1 c. sugar
- 1 egg
- 2 tsp. baking powder
- $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp. salt
- $2\frac{1}{2}$ c. flour
- $\frac{1}{2}$ c. milk
- $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp. vanilla

Instructions:

Cream vegetable shortening well. Add sugar and egg and blend together. Sift baking powder, salt and flour together. Add to cream mixture. Alternate with milk. Stir in vanilla. Chill for 3 hours.

Roll out the pastry $\frac{1}{8}$ in. thick. Use cutouts to make animal shapes.

Bake at 350° for 12 minutes.

Decorate animals with desired frostings, candy eyes, etc... if desired.

Next Week's Treasure Hunt

Next Week's Torah Portion



Suggested Reading Schedule

Monday:	Lev. 6:8-30	Torah of Offerings: Burnt Offering; Grain Offering; Ordination Offering of Aharon and his sons on their day of anointing; Sin Offering
Tuesday:	Lev. 7:1-10	Torah of the Guilt Offering
Wednesday:	Lev. 7:11-21	Torah of the Peace Offering
Thursday:	Lev. 7:22-38	Torah regarding treatment of fat and blood; Peace Offering
Friday:	Lev. 8	The account of the anointing of Aharon and his sons, and their ordination offerings