

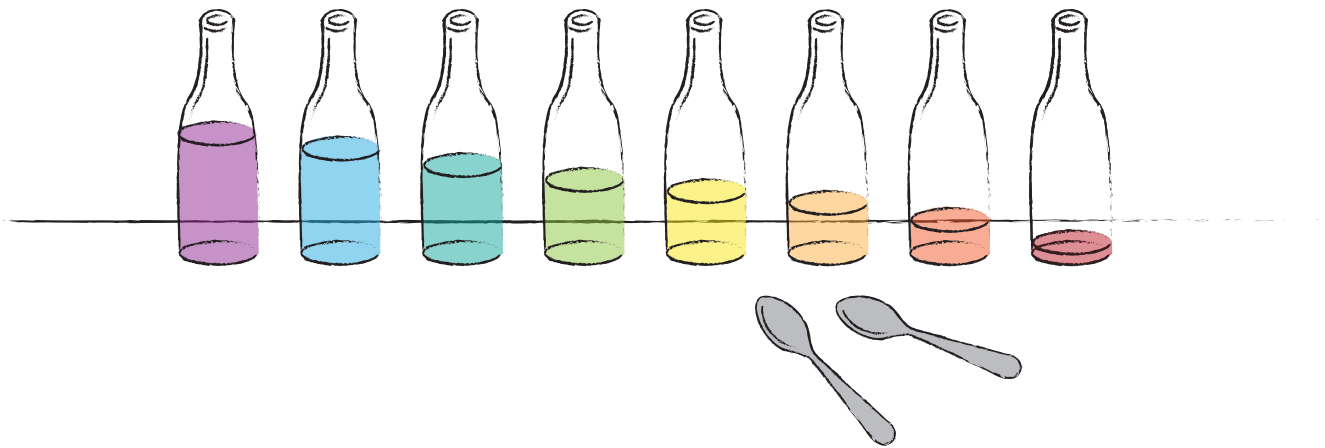
# KENYA



CMS missionaries are helping people in churches in Kenya spread the good news about Jesus. They are thankful that they get to tell people about how much God loves them and to help them read the Bible.

## ACTIVITY

Singing and music are important parts of Kenyan culture. Why don't you make some music and get someone to dance along by creating your own bottle xylophone?



### MATERIALS:

- 8 glass bottles
- Tap water
- Food colouring
- 2 metal spoons

**TIP:** USE SOME MASKING TAPE AT THE BOTTOM OF THE BOTTLES TO SECURE IT TO THE TABLE SO IT DOESN'T WOBBLE WHEN YOU HIT IT.

### STEPS:

1. If your glass bottles have any labels, remove them as best as you can.
2. Fill the first bottle with a little bit of water and gradually increase the amount of water for each other bottle.
3. Add a few drops of food colouring to each bottle and swirl the water around to mix in the colour.
4. Line all the bottles up from the most amount of water on your left and the least amount of water on your right.
5. Use the spoons to lightly tap each bottle and they will make different pitched sounds.
6. Invite your friends and family to listen and dance along!



### Did you know?

School is free in Kenya, but many kids are too busy helping their families at home to go to classes.

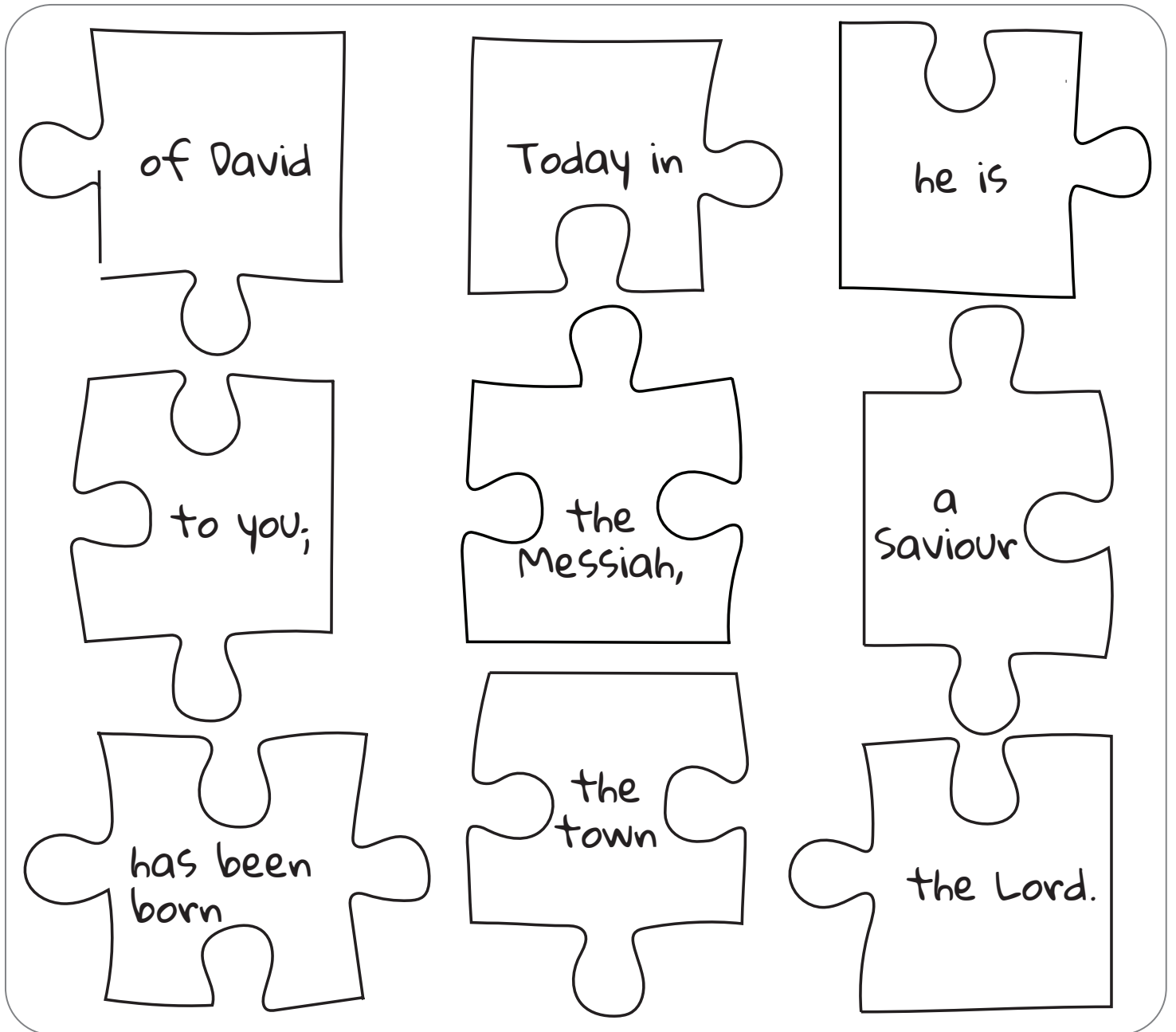


### Fun fact:

Almost every person in Kenya speaks more than one African language.

**BIBLE CHALLENGE**

The puzzle pieces have been mixed up. Can you cut them out and put them back together, to discover what the angel of the Lord said to the shepherds in Luke 2:11?



**HINT:** USE YOUR BIBLE IF YOU GET STUCK

**PRAY****Thank God**

for people in Kenya who want to share about Jesus with their friends and neighbours.

**Ask God**

to help people read the Bible in their own language.



Whenever you pick up a **story book**, pray for Kenya!