

Bible Bee Pre and Post Proclaim Day Itinerary with Details, and Tips

Site & Link	Location	Area	Why Consider It?	Cautions / Tips
Creation Museum	Petersburg, KY	Northern KY	Biblical history, dinosaurs, and the 7 Cs of creation	Book tickets early; lots of walking—wear comfy shoes
Ark Encounter	Williamstown, KY	Northern KY	Full-size Noah's Ark, petting zoo, immersive exhibits	Ideal for ages 6+; prepare for hot sun in outdoor areas
Sight & Sound Theatre – NOAH	Lancaster, PA	Central PA	Stunning Bible-based performance	Book well in advance; arrive 45 min early for seating
Agape Café & Grille	Lancaster, PA	Central PA	Christian-owned family restaurant	May be busy on show days—reserve or allow wait time
Hersheypark	Hershey, PA	Central PA	Roller coasters, water rides, and Hershey's Chocolate World	Very hot in the summer; wear sunscreen;
Gettysburg	Gettysburg, PA	South Central PA	Historic battleground & sacrifice	May not interest younger kids—focus on key monuments
National Aquarium	Baltimore, MD	Baltimore	Stunning marine life; Creation-based reflection	Crowded midday—go early or late; indoor-only
B&O Railroad Museum	Baltimore, MD	Baltimore	This museum showcases America's first railroad and highlights its role in shaping U.S. expansion, industry, and freedom.	Check the schedule in advance—rides may not operate daily
Paddle Boats – Inner Harbor	Baltimore, MD	Baltimore	Water fun for younger kids	Wear life jackets; avoid dusk hours near harbor areas
Library of Congress	Washington, D. C.	D.C. – Capitol Hill	Gutenberg Bible, faith-based inscriptions	Timed tickets required; quiet zones—prep kids accordingly
White House Tour	Washington, D. C.	D.C. – Central	Civic history with prayerful reflection	Request 1–3 months in advance via Congressperson
Museum of the Bible	Washington, D. C.	D.C. – SW	Immersive Scripture exhibits, Hebrew Bible, Garden	Free Ticket Tuesdays; book group tours for Fridays
Botanic Garden	Washington, D. C.	D.C. – Capitol Hill	God's design in plant life	Short visit; best paired with other Capitol Hill stops
Tidal Basin Paddleboats	Washington, D. C.	D.C. – National Mall	Scenic, peaceful family experience	Bring sunscreen, hats, water; watch small kids closely
National Zoo	Washington, D. C.	D.C. – NW	Fun and free animal exploration	Hilly terrain; hydrate & go early to avoid heat
Georgetown Waterfront	Washington, D. C.	D.C. – NW	Relaxed stroll, splash zones, kayak options	Go before dusk; avoid nightlife blocks with older kids

Tidal Basin Paddleboats	Washington, D. C.	DC - SW	Peaceful, iconic family activity on the scenic Tidal Basin with stunning views of the Jefferson, MLK, and FDR Memorials.	Book ahead of time;
Udvar-Hazy Air & Space	Dulles, VA	Northern VA	Udvar-Hazy is great for older kids; give yo	Large facility—plan 2–3 hours minimum
Burke Lake Park	Fairfax, VA	Northern VA	Burke Lake is shady and flat—perfect for picnics.	No lifeguards; bring your own lunch/snacks
Mount Vernon	Alexandria, VA	Southern VA	George Washington's faith & leadership	Grounds are big—wear walking shoes and bring sunscreen
Downtown Alexandria (Old Town)	Alexandria, VA	Southern VA	Art, history, food, and family events	Metered parking; some boutiques may not be child-friendly
Lee–Fendall House	Alexandria, VA	Southern VA	Historic family-friendly garden + home	Call ahead to confirm hours/tours
Luray Caverns	Luray, VA	Western VA	Amazing underground formations	Bring jackets—cool temps inside year-round
Shenandoah National Park	Blue Ridge, VA	Western VA	Skyline views, creation-based hikes	Bring water/snacks; phone signal limited in some areas
Colonial Williamsburg	Williamsburg, VA	Tidewater VA	18th-century faith & patriotism	Best for a full day trip; check for special family events

Museum of the Bible Must-See Exhibits- <https://www.museumofthebible.org/>

Title	Location	What to Expect	Why It Matters (Bible Bee "Created" Theme)
The Hebrew Bible Experience	Floor 3	Immersive walkthrough of Old Testament stories including creation, fall, and flood	Directly ties to the biblical creation narrative
The World of Jesus of Nazareth	Floor 3	A 1st-century village recreation with costumed interpreters	Connects Jesus to God's created timeline and culture
Bible in America	Floor 2	The Bible's role in American government and society	Reveals how the Word shaped American identity
Bible in the World	Floor 2	Global spread and cultural impact of the Bible	Demonstrates the creative scope of Scripture across nations
Washington Revelations Ride	Floor 2	Simulated flight tour revealing Bible verses on national monuments	Shows how God's Word is woven into U.S. heritage
Illuminated Manuscripts	Floor 4	Beautiful, hand-decorated texts from medieval history	Reflects how art and Scripture glorify the Creator
The Megiddo Mosaic	Floor 5	Third-century Christian mosaic from Israel	Early evidence of biblical worship through art
C.S. Lewis: The Myth That Became Fact	Floor 5	Explore Lewis's journey to faith and view of truth	Bridges myth and fact in creation/redemption theology
Biblical Garden	Rooftop	Plants from the Bible with reflective areas	Encounter creation tangibly through nature and Scripture

2025 Dig Deep Workshops at the Museum of the Bible - <https://www.museumofthebible.org/dig-deep-events-2025>

Workshop Title	Date(s)	Description	Age Range / Note
Bible in Archaeology: Tools of the Trade	Multiple dates	Hands-on intro to archaeology with real tools and methods	Best for ages 8+; families welcome
Scribal Traditions: Writing the Word		Make your own Hebrew scroll replica, learn calligraphy techniques	Great tie-in to illuminated manuscripts
Dig Deep Bible Labs		Group-based problem solving using artifacts, clues, and Bible verses	Excellent for 10–18 year olds
Creation in the Bible and Science		Compare Genesis with natural world discovery	Ideal for Bible Bee families exploring the "Created" theme
Family Garden Tours		Guided tours of the Biblical Garden with devotionals	Reflective and calming; perfect for mornings