



Tide Pool Scavenger Hunt



Scan and watch this video from Kaimana Conservation, then explore a tide pools and search for the animals below.

Crab

Sea star

Sea cucumber

Hawaiian Mussels

Urchin

Fish

Chiton

Cone snail (do not touch)



God created tide pool animals with special ways to survive an ever-changing environment. Limpets have different shapes of shells depending on the wave exposure and tidal height of their locations. The Lord gave echinoderms, like urchins and sea stars, just what they need to stick tightly to the rocks when waves crash onto them or predators attack.

We can learn from the intertidal zone. It can be a harsh spot to live. However, the animals there are designed to thrive right where they are and are not worrying about how to live. The Lord wants us to cling to Him during all seasons of life - calm or stormy. We can trust fully in Jesus and be confident that He will give us His peace.

John 16:33 (Jesus is speaking) "I have told you all this so that you may have peace in me. Here on earth you will have many trials and sorrows. But take heart, because I have overcome the world."

Psalm 16:8. I know the Lord is always with me. I will not be shaken, for He is right beside me.