God gave us...

Plant a Seed! Feed a Soul!
“Carrot” (Daucus carota)

Planting depth: 1/4”-1/2”    Apart in row (after thinning):  2”-3”    Distance between rows:  18”-24”    Approximate days to germination:  8-12 days

Let’s grow…
Carrot seeds are very small. They should be sprinkled in rows over the ground and covered with a small amount of soil about 1/4”-1/2” deep. Carrots grow best when planted in a sunny area where the soil has been dug deeply and does not have stones or weeds. It takes about 8-12 days for the seeds to sprout into seedlings. Seedlings are new plants grown from seeds.

Taking care of God’s creation…
New plants need regular watering and weeding. When seedlings are 2-3” tall, thin them to 2” apart to help them grow into strong plants. When ready to eat, you will see the top of the carrot push through the soil. Hold the green leaves near the ground and gently pull the carrot out.

Eat your carrots…
Carrots were first grown thousands of years ago in central Asia and were taken to Europe by traders. Carrots can be red, black, yellow, white and purple or orange. They are an excellent source of vitamins needed for healthy bodies.

“I give you every seed bearing plant on the face of the earth and every tree that has fruit with seed in it. This will be yours for food.”   Genesis 1:29