### Week of Sunday 10/18 – Saturday 10/24



# **ESAU AND JACOB**

#### **Bible Activities**

- Puppet show video
- Popsicle puppets activity
- Esau and Jacob fur craft
- Esau and Jacob coloring sheet
- Read the Bible story together
- Share the Bible story with a friend
- Table Talk Questions



Check out the website for videos and digital copies of the curriculum.

#### Worship Together

- "Father Abraham" song
- Memory verse
- Pray together

#### **Family Fun Activities**

#### **Build a Tent**

- Build a tent in the living room or in the back yard.
- Retell and/or reread the Bible story in your tent.

#### Make a Cake

- Make a cake together as a family.
- Celebrate Isaac's marriage to Rebekah and eat cake together!

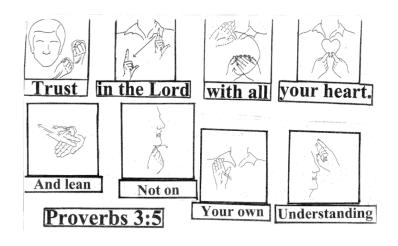
### **Bible Story**

#### Esau and Jacob: The Read With Me Bible – Pages 56-66 Reference: Genesis 25, 27, & 28

Rebekah couldn't have children. So Isaac prayed to the Lord. The Lord answered his prayer. Rebekah had twin boys, Esau and Jacob. The boys grew up. Esau became a skillful hunter. Jacob was a quiet man. Isaac liked the meat of wild animals. So Esau was his favorite son. But Rebekah's favorite was Jacob. One day Jacob was cooking some stew. Esau came in from the country. He was very hungry. He said to Jacob, "Quick! Let me have some stew! I'm very hungry!" Jacob replied, "First sell me the rights that belong to you as the oldest son!" "I'm dying of hunger," Esau said. "What good are those rights to me?" Esau sold Jacob all the rights that belonged to him. Jacob gave Esau some bread and some stew. So Esau didn't care about the rights that belonged to him as the oldest son.

Isaac had become old. He couldn't see anymore. He called for Esau. Isaac said, "I'm an old man now. Hunt some wild animals for me to eat. Then I'll give you my blessing before I die." Rebekah was listening. Esau left. Then Rebekah said to Jacob, "Listen carefully. Do what I tell you. Bring me two young goats. I will prepare tasty food for your father. I want you to take it to your father to eat. Then he'll give you his blessing before he dies." Jacob said to his mother, "Esau's body is covered with hair. But my skin is smooth. What if my father touches me?" His mother said, "Just do what I say." She took the best of Esau's clothes and put them on Jacob. She covered his hands and his neck with skins of the goats. The she handed Jacob the tasty food and the bread she had made. He went to his father. Jacob said, "I'm your oldest son Esau. Eat some of my wild meat." Jacob went close to his father. Isaac touched him and said, "The voice is the voice of Jacob. But the hands are the hands of Esau." Then Isaac said to him, "Come here, my son. Kiss me." So Jacob kissed him. When Isaac smelled the clothes, he gave Jacob his blessing. Esau was angry. He was angry because of the blessing his father had given to Jacob.

# **Memory Verse:**



## **Qs & Prayer**

- 1. How can you be kind to others?
- 2. Who is someone it is hard to be kind to?

Dear God,

Please help us show kindness by (name actions mentioned by your child). Please help (child's name) to be kind to (person mentioned).

In Jesus name, Amen