Son of Laughter

God's Special Promise to Abraham, from Genesis 12-21

Biblical Truth to Emphasize God keeps His promises

Read & Remember

Please find a comfortable place and read "Son of Laughter" from the Jesus Storybook Bible pages 54-60

- Say "in our story today God made a promise to Abraham. What is a promise?" A promise is when you tell someone you are going to do something, and you commit to do it.
- What did God promise Abraham? To give Abraham and Sarah a son and so many children and grandchildren they could not count. Abraham's family would be more than the stars.
- What was God's secret rescue plan that he told to Abraham? Abraham's family would be God's own special family and all nations on earth would be blessed. He would rescue the world through Abraham's family
- Did Abraham believe God's promise? Yes!
- What did Abraham's wife, Sarah, do when she heard God's promise? She laughed because she was too old to have children
- Was it hard for God to give Abraham and Sarah a baby? No, God can do anything! He always keeps his promises

Jesus in the Story

Say: "God made a promise to Abraham to give him a son. God told Abraham his family would be a special family! With so many children he would not even be able to count them all, like the stars. And one day, in Abraham's family a baby would be born that would be the Rescuer."

Pray Together

"God you are all Powerful. Nothing is too hard for you. Thank you, God, that you keep your promises! Help me to believe your promises."

Sing

We are currently singing "He Will Hold Me Fast" You may find this song on our Spotify list at <u>https://firstirving.org/sunday-family-resources</u> or search for the Spotify Playlist "First Irving Family Worship. We encourage you to sing together with your class."

Memory Verse

We begin a simple but important verse this week! "Abraham believed the Lord." Genesis 15:6. We encourage you to learn this verse as a family.