3s, 4s & 5s

SPECIAL WORDS:

God [point up] wants us [point to self] to forgive others. [extend arms]

June 6 & 7 Week 1



PLAY TIME

Play a game with your kid that has them acting out forgiveness! Start the game off with them having to forgive you while holding their favorite toy. Once they are holding their favorite toy, take it from them and say "I'm sorry I took your toy. Will you forgive me?" [Yes!] Once your kid responds, say the special words together: "God [point up] wants us [point to self] to forgive others. [extend arms]" Then switch roles with your kid by coloring a picture and having them scribble over it. Have your kid say, "I'm sorry I ruined your picture. Will you forgive me?" Respond by saying, "I forgive you! Let's say the special words together: God [point up] wants us [point to self] to forgive others. [extend arms]."

PRAYER TIME



Have your kid repeat this prayer after you.

Dear God, [Dear God,] Please help me to forgive others. [Please help me to forgive others.] In Jesus' Name, [In Jesus' Name] Amen. [Amen.]

BIBLE TIME

Jacob & Esau Genesis 25:19-34, 27–28:9, 32:1–33

We had a great time learning that God wants us to forgive others! We heard the Bible story of Jacob and Esau, and how Jacob stole Esau's blessing. When Esau discovered what happened, he was very angry at Jacob. But in time, Esau forgave Jacob!

You can read to your kid the story about Jacob and Esau in the children's Bible in Genesis 25.