

GOD IS KIND

UPVPC KIDS ONLINE: Genesis 21

HERE'S WHAT HAPPENS...

Kicked out of the home where she was a servant, Hagar and her teenage son, Ishmael, are on their own. Eventually they run out of food and water, and Ishmael is extremely weak and near death. God hears Hagar's and Ishmael's tears and sends an angel to provide water and comfort.



WHAT YOU'LL NEED THIS WEEK...

- Bible
- Paper Plate
- 1 Piece Green Construction Paper (or white and color)
- 3 Pieces Yellow Construction Paper
- Ink Pen or Marker
- Tape or Glue
- 1 Piece Printer Paper

THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES:

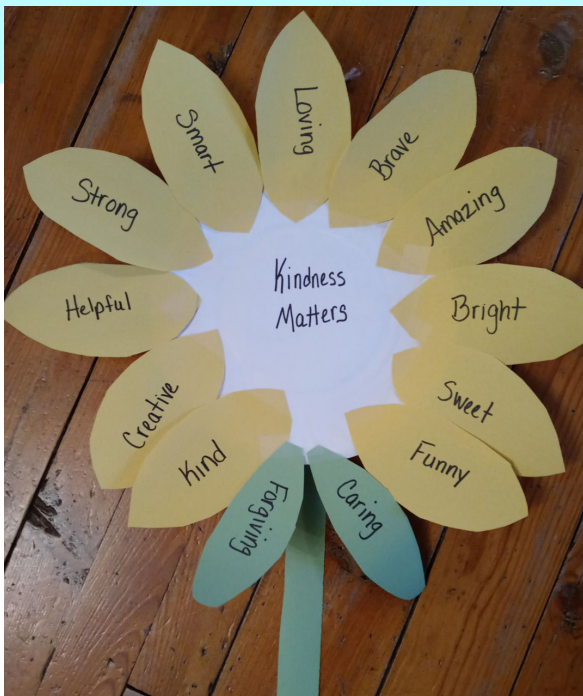
God Sightings: Families will share how they saw God's kindness throughout the week.

Kindness Flower: Students will create kindness flowers to help remind them on how to be kind to others.

Random Acts of Kindness Bingo: Families will fill out the Bingo sheet by doing random acts of kindness in their household or community.

GOD SIGHTINGS - KINDNESS

- 1) Hang a piece of paper in a high-traffic area of your home. Put a marker near it.
- 2) Throughout the week, look for God sightings - evidence of God's kindness. It might be something as simple as the soft fur of your dog or a surprise snack at school.
- 3) Try to fill out the whole paper with God sightings by the end of the week.



KINDNESS FLOWER CRAFT:

- Step 1:** Fold yellow or colored paper in a square to make four layers, draw a petal shape and cut. Repeat twice with other sheets of paper.
- Step 2:** Cut a stem the length on the green paper and cut out two leaf shapes.
- Step 3:** In the center of the paper plate write **KINDNESS MATTERS** and on each flower petal write one word on each petal that depicts a way that you can express kindness or words that you can use to be kind
- Step 4:** Glue or tape stem and petals to the edges of the paper plate to make a **KINDNESS FLOWER**.
- Step 5:** Display - Hang on Fridge or Hole Punch and use string to hang up.

For extra fun, add family members or friends' names next to a way to express kindness and be kind to that person throughout the week.

RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS BINGO:

USING THE ATTACHED BINGO CARD COMPLETE RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS THROUGHOUT THE MONTH OF JANUARY TO GET BINGO. ONCE YOU GET A BINGO SEND A PICTURE OF YOUR COMPLETED BINGO TO LAURIE TO GET A SPECIAL SURPRISE! GOOD BINGOS GO UP AND DOWN OR DIAGONALLY



RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS

Free Bingo Card

ACTS OF KINDNESS

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Leave someone a kind note	Give a compliment	Hold the door open for someone	Do a chore for a sibling	Create care packages
BRING DINNER TO SOMEONE	Donate old books	smile	Support a small business	Leave a snack and note for the mailman
Tell a family member how much you love them	Weed/rake leaves/shovel snow for a neighbor	FREE SPACE	PICK UP LITTER	Give a hug
LET SOMEONE GO AHEAD OF YOU	volunteer	Leave change at a vending machine	do a chore WITHOUT BEING asked	Bake cookies for firefighters or police
Give a friend or the new kid a snack	ASK OTHERS TO PAY IT FORWARD	WRITE A THANK YOU LETTER	Visit a nursing home	Donate to a food bank