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Parent Guide

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I Can Pray For My Family (EL)

bible reference: Acts 10, Genesis 25:19-34, 27, 32:9-11, 33:4-12

circle up

Use this time to gather together and get everyone talking. Let your kids know that this is safe place for them to share their feelings, emotions and questions.

- For your elementary-aged kids, ask them about the best part of their week. Allow space for them to share a hard part of their week if they would like.
- For your preschool-aged kids, have them tell you about and draw something fun from their week.
- ASK: What is your favorite game to play with your family?



watch

Watch today's Elementary and/or Preschool video on tpcc.org/kids-messages or on the Traders Point Kids YouTube channel.

ASK your Elementary Schooler:

- READ James 5:13-16 out loud.
 - When did these verses say we should pray? (When you are suffering hardships, happy, sick, or have committed a sin.)
 - Look at verse 16 again. Who does it say you should pray for? (each other.)
 - What are some specific prayers you could say for people in your family? (Help us all get along, keep us safe when we are traveling, help them when they are sick, etc.)

ASK your Preschooler:

- Did Peter see seashells or animals on the sheet in his dreams? (Animals)
- Did Peter run away from Cornelius or go to his house? (Went to his house)
- How did Cornelius' family feel to hear Peter tell them about Jesus – happy or mad? (happy)
God showed Peter that HE loves everyone and wants us to love everyone, too! God loves you and He loves your family.

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have fun together

From playing to praying together, have fun learning more about God!

- Take some time to pray together as a family. Pray that each person would recognize their role in the family and how they can pray for others. Pray that each person will choose to be a part of God's family by believing in Him. Allow your kids to share any prayer requests that they might have and allow your kids to pray out loud if they would like to.
- PLAY "Rock, Paper, Scissors" together.

