Teaching the Bible at Home -September

Week 1

1. Watch this month’s video: `Blessing and Curse’ (find it online at Bible Project)

 <https://bibleproject.com/explore/video/blessing-and-curse/>

1. Read from The Action Bible pages 17-24. (Take turns reading.)
2. Get out the time-line. Find where Creation is on the time-line.
3. Answer the following questions:
4. On what day did God create animals?
5. What creatures were made in God’s image?
6. What did God say when He blessed the animals?
7. Please look up Genesis 1:27-30 in a `normal’ Bible and read it out loud.
8. What does `blessed’ mean? (it’s explained near the beginning of the video)
9. Who lied to Eve?
10. Adam and Eve tried to cover up their shame with leaves. How do you generally react when you sin?
* I don’t tell anyone
* I make an excuse
* I hide
* I take responsibility for my action
* I try and find someone to share the blame with me
* Other
1. What bad happened to Adam and Eve because they believed and acted on the lie?
2. Pray out loud:

Our Father in heaven,

 hallowed by Your name,

 Your kingdom come, Your will be done

 on earth as in heaven.

 Give us today our daily bread.

 Forgive us our sins

 as we forgive those who sin against us.

 Lead us not into temptation

 but deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are Yours

 now and forever. Amen.

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Week 2

1. Watch this month’s video: `Blessing and Curse’ (find it online at Bible Project)

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1. Read from The Action Bible pages 46-52. (Take turns reading.)
2. Get out the time-line. Find where Abraham (also called `Abram’) is on the time-line.
3. Answer the following questions:
4. What great good did God tell Abram He would do for him and through him? (see p.46)
5. What kind of home did Abram and his family live in? Why?
6. What are at least two way God helped (blessed) Abram and his family?
7. If God called you to move away from home, how do you think you would react?
* “Who, me?”
* I’d be overwhelmed
* I’d be in tears
* “I’m packed and ready to go!”
* Other
1. Pray out loud:

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Week 3

1. Watch this month’s video: `Blessing and Curse’ (find it online at Bible Project)

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1. Read from The Action Bible pages 595-597; 600-607; 612-613. (Take turns reading.)
2. Get out the time-line. Find where Jesus is on the time-line.
3. Answer the following questions:
4. List 3 miracles described in these pages. In what ways do they `reverse the curse’?
5. Jesus brings blessing. What people are not happy about Him?
6. What did Jesus teach that we should do to those who wrong us? (see p.613)
7. What is a great thing that you wish could happen to you?
8. Think of someone who has been really bad to you or made you mad. Could you wish the same great thing (see d.) would happen to them? Could you pray to God for that great thing to happen to them?
9. What do you think would happen to them if you prayed like that? And to you?
10. Pray out loud and ask God to bless you (ask for something specific, if you can).

Then pray and ask God to bless the person you are mad at or don’t like.