

**Family Worship**  
Week of March 3, 2024

**Instruction:** Whatever time of day works best each day for you or your family, use the prompts below to spend a few minutes together in prayer and the Word. Open and close each session with a simple prayer. Use the questions for meditation or discussion.

**Sermon Meditations: Our Sovereign God**

Monday

- Open in prayer
- Read: Genesis 27:1-29
- Meditation: Pastor Nathan's first point was "Man's problem is clear. Sin!" In this chapter we see that everyone is guilty of sin. A difficulty in our passage is that it seems to justify the sin of Rebekah and Jacob because in the end he receives the blessing. Rather, we should see that God is able to bring about his promises despite sin. How does the cross prove this? Why does the bible show us their sin rather than hide it? How do we expose our sin rather than hide it?
- Close in prayer

Tuesday

- Open in prayer
- Read: Genesis 27:1-29
- Meditation: Pastor Nathan's second point was "What does God have to say about sin?" The Bible doesn't just tell us of our sin. God tells us in many ways the dangers of sin. Sin is deceptive. How do we see this in our passage? Sin also demands God's wrath. Where have we seen this in Genesis before this story? Sin is death. Where have we seen this before in scripture? How does Isaac's blindness relate to our blindness in sin?
- Close in prayer

Wednesday

- Open in prayer
- Read: Genesis 27:1-29, 2 Corinthians 5:21
- Meditation: Pastor Nathan's third point was "What is God's solution to sin?" When we read this passage and see how sin has made disorder out of this family and then realize that we are sinners like them, what is our only hope? How is God gracious to Jacob despite his sin? What is grace? How does the blessing given to Jacob point us to Christ? God keeps his promise to Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob. Why does he do this even though they act in sinful ways? Salvation is given, not because we are righteous, but because God is gracious.
- Close in prayer

**Preparing Our Hearts to Receive the Word**

Thursday

- Open in Prayer
- Read: Genesis 27:30-46
- Meditation: What questions do you have about this text? Is there anything confusing or curious? Does anything stand out as important?
- Close in Prayer

Friday

- Open in Prayer
- Read: Hebrews 27:30-46
- Meditation: Westminster Shorter Catechism Question 4 asks, "What do the Scriptures principally teach?" Answer: "The Scriptures principally teach what man is to believe concerning God and what duty God

requires of man.” What does this passage teach us about God’s character and work? What does it teach us about our own hearts and need for a Savior and how we ought to live in the world as followers of Christ?

- Close in Prayer