



CHILDREN'S CORNER

November 2011

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Teacher
Carol Summy



Elementary Classes

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3rd-5th — Paula Moeller

ABRAHAM & SARAH

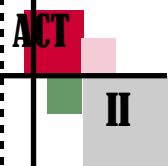
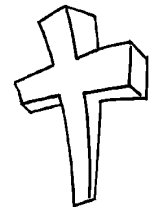
- Nov. 6 — Abram worships God
(Genesis 12:1-5)
- Nov. 13 — Abram and Lot share the land
(Genesis 13:1-18)
- Nov. 20 — God changes Abram's name to Abraham
(Genesis 15:5; 17:1-7, 15-16)
- Nov. 27 — Abraham and Sarah have a baby
(Genesis 18:1-16; 21:1-7)

Jesus called the children to Him and said, "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these. Luke 18:16



GETTING TO KNOW GOD: WHAT GOD DOES

- Nov. 6 — God chooses common people to accomplish His plan
(Hosea 1:1; Amos 1:1; Jonah 1:1; Micah 1:1; Nahum 1:1))
- Nov. 13 — God looks for the lost
(Luke 15:1-7)
- Nov. 20 — God longs for us
(Matthew 11:28-30)
- Nov. 27 — There are some things God will not do
(I Chronicles 17:4-14)



The TURKEYS Go On Strike

(A tale about the true meaning of Thanksgiving)

ACT II's presentation
during each church service

October 30

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Watch for pictures in next month's children's newsletter

FAMILY THINGS TO DO TO CELEBRATE THANKSGIVING

- If a family member or friend is to be absent on Thanksgiving Day, a package can be prepared to send to her beforehand. It could include personal notes telling her why she is a blessing in the family or as a friend.
- Children and/or adults can create banners or murals that depict Bible readings and good harvest. These could display a harvest from the fields or a harvest of people.
- As grace before the Thanksgiving meal, read together a favorite biblical passages such as Psalm 95:1-7 or Psalm 100.
- The whole group can create a blessings meal to share with someone less fortunate or homebound.
- "Blessing charades" is always fun after Thanksgiving dinner. Each person writes something to be thankful for on a piece of paper and they are all placed in a bag. Individuals take turn picking a blessing to act out for the others to guess.