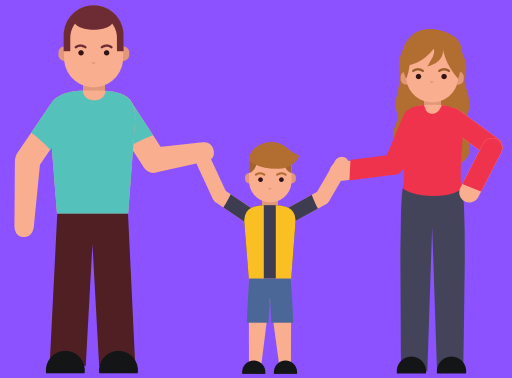


KIDS ACTIVITIES

Sunday 28th February
"God Keeps His Promises"



When Abram was 99 years old, the Lord appeared to him. The Lord said, "I am God All-Powerful. Obey me and do what is right. I will make an agreement between us. I will make you the ancestor of many people."



Then Abram bowed facedown on the ground. God said to him, "I am making my agreement with you: I will make you the father of many nations. I am changing your name from Abram to Abraham. This is because I am making you a father of many nations. I will give you many descendants. New nations will be born from you. Kings will come from you. And I will make an agreement between me and you and all your descendants from now on: I will be your God and the God of all your descendants."

God said to Abraham, "I will change the name of Sarai, your wife. Her new name will be Sarah. I will bless her. I will give her a son, and you will be the father. She will be the mother of many nations. Kings of nations will come from her."

THINK



- Have you ever made a promise to someone?
- Did you keep it?
- Do you always keep your promises?
- Have you ever moved?
- Do you think you would move if you didn't know where you were even going?
- Abraham did a lot of trusting that God would take care of him. When is it hard to trust someone?

God is making a promise to His servant Abram. He promises that he will be blessed and will be a blessing, and that a great nation will be born out of him. We call Abram one of the “patriarchs” or fathers of the faith. He was committed to God and would do whatever was asked of him.

God promises to be with the people always. Even though He knew they would try to abandon Him and turn away from Him, He remained faithful. Many years after Abraham, a man by the name of David came along. God made David the king and gave him many important victories. But He also made a promise to David. God told David that his line would continue, and that his throne would be “established forever.” This might have been a comfort to David, knowing that his sons would take over his throne. But something much deeper is going on in this promise. God is reassuring David that not only would the kingdom remain in his family name, but the king of kings would come from it!

Jesus was sent to Earth to heal, preach, teach, love, care, and show how much God loved His people. Most importantly, He came to die so that we might have eternal life. Jesus was God in human form, come to show how much God loves us. Jesus was the final fulfilment of all that God had promised before. Everything that had been foretold and hoped for came true in Christ. He is our reminder that God keeps His promises and will be with us always!



Pray

Dear God,

Thank you God for keeping your promises and sending Jesus
thanking God for keeping His promises. Help us to appreciate
what you do for us and the stories in the Bible.

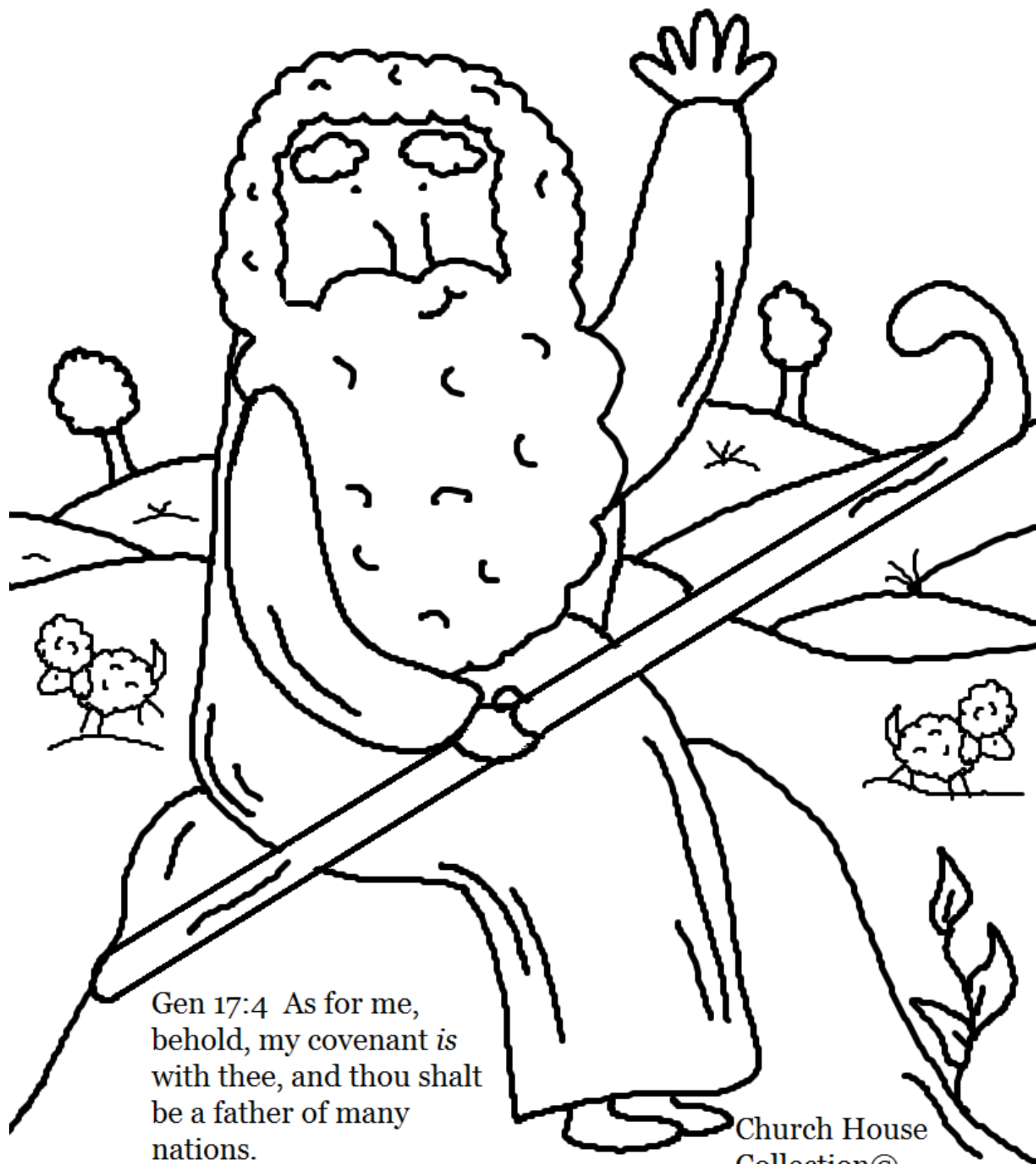
Amen

Genesis 17

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Abraham	Abram	bless	covenant
descendants	everlasting	faithfully	fruitful
God	hundred	Isaac	nations
ninety	Sarah	Sarai	

Gen 17:6 And I will make thee exceeding fruitful, and I will make nations of thee, and kings shall come out of thee.



Gen 17:4 As for me, behold, my covenant is with thee, and thou shalt be a father of many nations.

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