

Mt. Zion Kid's Message Page: June 8th, 2023

God's Story: Genesis 12:1-9

Wonder: In chapter 12 in the Book of Genesis which is found in the Old Testament of our Bibles—Abram (later Abraham) is told by God that he intends to bless Abram and his family forever and ever—all he has to do, at the age of 75, is leave behind his family, his home, and everything he's known his whole life and start over. How do you think it made Abram feel to be promised God's blessings? How do you think it made Abram feel to know he had to go start over to receive them?

Act: On a long journey, Abram would've packed a bag to carry. What do you think he carried with him from his home? Below there is a picture of a suitcase. Draw inside the suitcase what you would carry with you if you had to leave your home.

Connect: Today there are still people who have to leave their home to feel safe to enjoy God's blessings. People leave their homes because their homes are no longer safe space for them and they sometimes have to leave behind their family, friends, and home. What do you think they carry with them?

