

WEEK OF MARCH 22 FAMILY ACTIVITY

If you have a story Bible at home, see if it contains the story of Samuel choosing David (1 Samuel 16:1-13) or check out our online worship experience for March 22 to watch Pastor Brad read the story out of the Spark Story Bible!

Key Verse:

"Samuel poured the oil on David's head while his brothers watched. At that moment, the Spirit of the Lord was with David and stayed with him from then on." (1 Sam. 16:13a)

Prayer:

Using an oil from home that is safe for skin (such as olive oil or coconut oil) take turns blessing one another with a little bit of oil! First, dip your finger in the oil. Then, wipe off any excess oil and trace the sign of the cross on the forehead or hand of the person you are blessing. Say to them, "You are beloved and chosen by God!"

Activity:

Go on a family scavenger hunt around your house to find as many different kinds of oils that you can. Search the kitchen, bathrooms, maybe even the garage. Be careful! Some oil is toxic or flammable!

Record all the oils you can find, and if the oil is safe to touch, smell, or taste, explore what each oil is like and record your descriptions. Then research what each oil is used for.

Talk together: What kind of oil do you think Samuel might have used to bless David?

