

Isaac, blessing & the purposes of God

Genesis 24-27

So *not* promising

Intro: Schoolyard games and the choices of God

Who's blessing who?

Blessing pains (Genesis 27)

The world of Isaac

Promises repeat (Genesis 26:1-5)

Family breakdown

Difficulties repeat

The home of Isaac – terrible twins

Labour Pains (Genesis 25:19-26)

The God of Ratbags

Jesus & your birthright

Sibling rivalry (Genesis 25:27-28)

Jesus & your soup?

Soup for sale (Genesis 25:29-34)