

## 2 – 4 Year Olds Children’s Meeting

### LESSON 30 ANIMALS THAT HELP MAN - SHEEP

**TEACHERS:** Pray and read Genesis 1:24-25

**OPENING TIME:** Songs from Toddler Song Book or others

**BIBLE VERSE:** “The earth is full of Your creatures.” Psa. 104:24

#### LESSON:

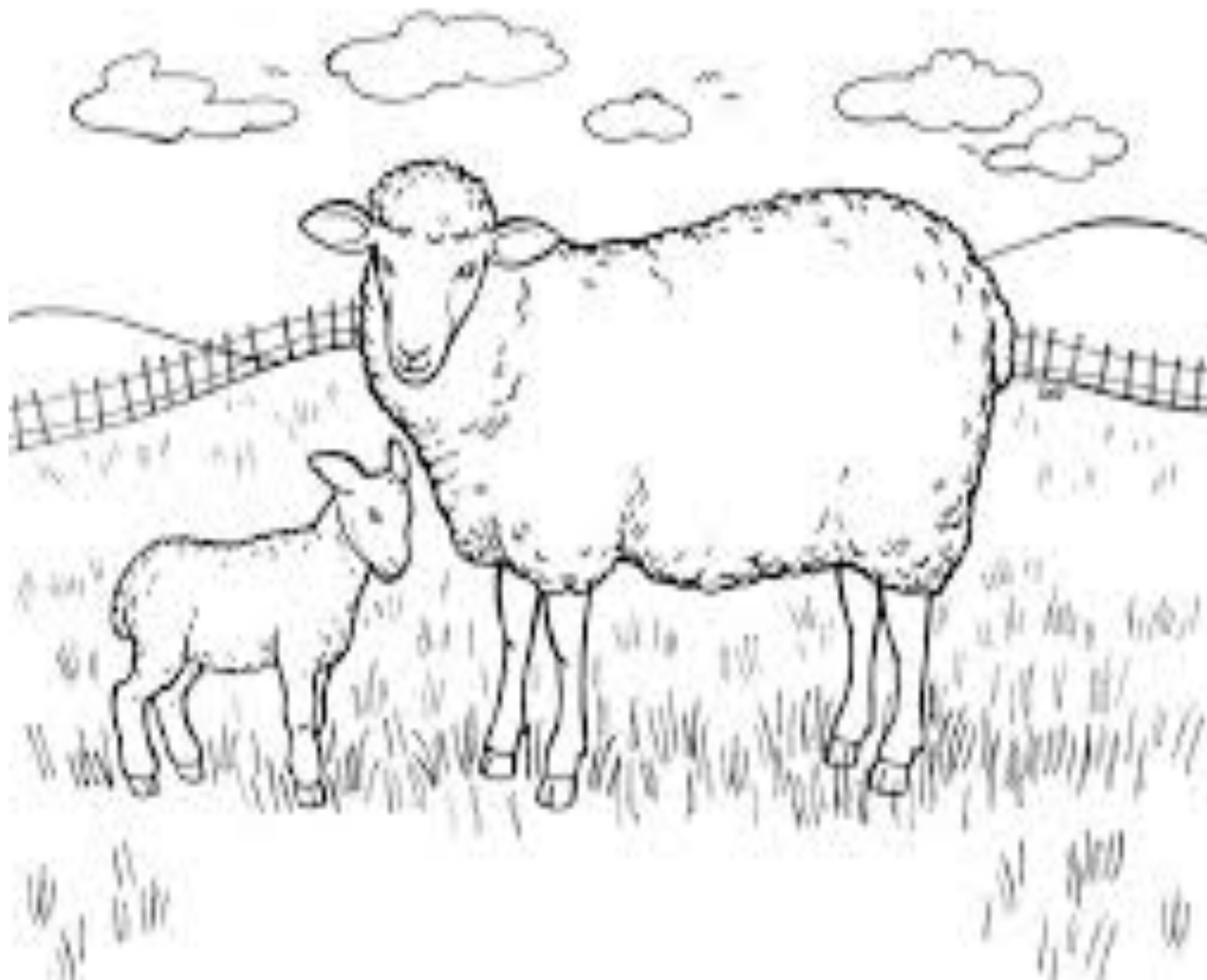
1. On the **sixth** day God created the living animals. Let’s name some of the animals that help man...the animals that live on farms. (Use the flannel board with all the farm animals.)
2. Today we will talk about sheep and how they help man. Farmers raise sheep for their wool; wool can be spun into cloth to make warm clothes like socks and coats
3. Sheep have to have good shepherds since they need help finding good food in the pasture and water; sheep can accidentally turn upside down—and they need help being turned back over.
4. Sheep have their babies in the spring (like most animals) when the weather is beginning to warm up and there is plenty of food for them to eat. God cares for all the animals he has created. He made each one of them in a special way. He also wants man to care for the animals He created.
5. We talked about goats last week. What can you think of that makes a goat different from a sheep? Goats can be very rough and naughty. Sheep are docile and meek. They run from what frightens them and band together in large groups for protection. When one sheep moves, the rest will follow, even if it’s not a good idea! Lambs are taught to follow older members of the flock.

#### ACTIVITIES

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**The earth is full of Your creatures.  
Psalm 104:24**