

HOPEWELL MB CHURCH VIRTUAL INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON OVERVIEW STUDY GUIDE

The following information is provided for participants who wish to study the lesson beforehand. The study materials are part of the **International Sunday School Lesson**, excerpted from the **Union Gospel Press Sunday School book**.

The overview will be presented each Sunday Morning @ 9:00, prior to regular Sunday Morning Worship Service (except for 1st Sundays). Lesson discussion material will be rotated weekly amongst the various Target Groups (Junior, Primary, and Beginner classes) in an effort to include all ages in this lesson series.

The Overview is merely a brief discussion of the bible lesson. In order to gain a better understanding of the lesson, it is recommended that, prior to each lesson, participants read through the **Lesson Text**, **Related Scriptures**, **Daily Bible Reading** scriptures (each day), try to answer the **Discussion Questions**, and make a note of any additional questions you may have. Prayer and meditation are always essential in gaining a better understanding of God's Word and its relevance to your life and situation.

Lessons may be viewed via facebook and youtube.

November 2022 UNIT III: Obedience In Society

All lessons this month will come from the books of Exodus and Leviticus and will show how obedience that honors God affects our daily living.

- WEEK 1-Obedience in Justice: This lesson will show how treating everyone with justice matters to God
- **WEEK 2- Obedience In Rest:** This lesson will show how we honor God by setting aside the day He ordained for rest
- **WEEK 3- Obedience Among Neighbors:** This lesson will show how loving our neighbor is at the heart of living in obedience to God's law
- **WEEK 4- Obedience In Celebration:** This lesson will show that God owns everything and we are responsible to Him in how we use what He has given us

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DATE OF LESSON: November 6, 2022

LESSON TITLE: Obeying God by Being Fair to Others

LESSON TEXT: Exodus 23:1-9

RELATED SCRIPTURES: Deuteronomy 19:15-21; Proverbs 6:16-19; Isaiah 10:1-4;

Jeremiah 5:25-29; Mark 14:55-59

GOLDEN TEXT: "Keep thee far from false matter;. . . for I will not justify the wicked"

(Exodus 23:7)

TARGET AGE GROUP: This week's discussion is taken from the Junior High Bible Class book.

REVIEWING THE LESSON

- 1. What does God love?
- 2. How should we treat other people?
- 3. What are we to say about everyone?
- 4. Who are we to respect?

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

- M- What would happen to anyone who said something false about someone else before a judge? (Deuteronomy 19:15-21)
- T- Why should we be kind and merciful to others? (Luke 6:27-36)
- W- What lie did the false witnesses say about Stephen? (Acts 6:8-15)
- Th- What does God want us to do with the things we find that someone else has lost? (Deuteronomy 22:1-4)
- F- With whom did the writer of Psalm 26 say he did not make friends? (Psalm 26:1-12)
- Sa- Why should we put our trust in God and not in other people? (Psalm 146:1-10)
- Su- What things should a good person not do? (Exodus 23:1-9)

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DATE OF LESSON: November 13, 2022

LESSON TITLE: Obeying God by Resting From Work

LESSON TEXT: Exodus 31:12-18

RELATED SCRIPTURES: Genesis 2:1-3; Exodus 35:1-3; Leviticus 23:1-3; Mark 2:23-28; Hebrews

4:1-13

GOLDEN TEXT: "Verily my sabbaths ye shall keep: for it is a sign between me and you

throughout your generations" (Exodus 31:13)

TARGET AGE GROUP: This week's discussion is taken from the Primary Learner Bible Class

book.

REVIEWING THE LESSON

- 1. How many days did God take to make the world?
- 2. What does the word "Sabbath" mean?
- 3. What did God do on the seventh day?
- 4. What day does our church choose as the Sabbath?
- 5. What are we supposed to do on the Sabbath?
- 6. What helps you to feel close to God?

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

- M- God Sets the Example (Genesis 2:1-3)
- T- Why were the people of Israel told to collect twice as much bread on the sixth day? (Exodus 16:22-30)
- W- What did God want the Sabbath to be to the people of Israel? (Exodus 35:1-3)
- Th- How many people in Israel had to keep the Sabbath Day? (Leviticus 23:1-3)
- F- What was the man doing on the Sabbath Day that he should not have been doing? (Numbers 15:32-36)
- Sa- Who is the Lord of the Sabbath? (Mark 2:23-28)
- Su- For how long was the Sabbath Day a sign between God and the children of Israel? (Exodus 31:12-

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DATE OF LESSON: November 20, 2022

LESSON TITLE: Obeying God by Being Kind to Others

LESSON TEXT: Leviticus 19:9-18, 33-37

RELATED SCRIPTURES: Psalm 15:1-5; Ruth 2:4-17; I Kings 21:1-14; Matthew 5:43-48; James

2:1-9

GOLDEN TEXT: "Thou shalt not avenge,... but thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself: I am the Lord" (Leviticus 19:18)

TARGET AGE GROUP: This week's discussion is taken from the Beginner Bible Class book.

REVIEWING THE LESSON

- 1. To whom did God tell His people to do good?
- 2. What were the people told to do when they reaped the harvest of their fields and vineyards?
- 3. How does God tell us to treat others?
- 4. Are we supposed to show favor towards the rich? The poor?

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

- M- Who showed compassion to Ruth by letting her gather grain in his field? (Ruth 2:4-17)
- T- What did God say would happen to those who oppress the poor? (Deuteronomy 24:14-15; Proverbs 22:16)
- W- Which sin did James warn against committing? (James 2:1-9)
- Th- How do we overcome evil? (Romans 12:9-21)
- F- How was Job an example of someone who cared for the poor? (Job 29:7-25)
- Sa- What is the one commandment we should all follow? (Romans 13:8-9)
- Su- What are some ways we can show love to others? (Leviticus 19:9-18, 33-37

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DATE OF LESSON: November 27, 2022 **LESSON TITLE:** Obeying by Celebrating

LESSON TEXT: Leviticus 25:1-12

RELATED SCRIPTURES: Deuteronomy 15:1-15; Isaiah 61:1-4; Jeremiah 34:8-22;

Leviticus 26:32-35

GOLDEN TEXT: "Proclaim liberty throughout all the land unto all the inhabitants thereof"

(Leviticus 25:10)

TARGET AGE GROUP: This week's discussion is taken from the **Junior High Bible Class** book.

REVIEWING THE LESSON

- 1. Who did the Lord speak to His people through on Mount Sinai?
- 2. What did God instruct the people to do every seven years?
- 3. How often were the Israelites to celebrate a special Sabbath?
- 4. What were they to call it?

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

- M- What did the people of Israel have to do to be blessed by God? (Deuteronomy 15:1-6)
- T- God said He would punish His people if they did not do what for their servants? (Jeremiah 34:8-22)
- W- What did the people of Israel do that brought punishment to them? (Jeremiah 9:10-14)
- Th- What happened to Jerusalem and the people of Israel because they did not obey God? (II Chronicles 36:17-21)
- F- What does God promise to those who trust and rest in Him? (Psalm 37:1-11)
- Sa- Why were the people of Israel to let their land rest from farming every seventh year? (Exodus 23:10-11)
- Su- After how many years were the people to celebrate a Year of Jubilee? (Leviticus 25:1-12)