

HOPEWELL MB CHURCH VIRTUAL INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON OVERVIEW STUDY GUIDE (Children and Youth)

Parents, the following information is provided to you to study the lesson with your son/daughter each week. 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 @ 8:30, prior to regular Sunday Morning Worship Service. Lesson discussion material will be rotated weekly amongst the various Target Groups (Senior, 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 **Review Questions**, and make a note of any additional questions you may have. We suggest using a "kid-friendly" bible version for the scripture passages. Prayer and meditation are always essential in gaining a better understanding of God's Word and its relevance to your life and situation.

We invite you to join us for in-person class discussion.

August 2024 UNIT II: Young People of Faith

All lessons this month focus on how God displays His greatness and glory through young people

WEEK 1-A Faithful Servant in the Church: This lesson shows how God used Dorcas to minister to

widows

WEEK 2- Young David Anointed King: This lesson shows how God chooses those He uses is different

from how man chooses

WEEK 3-A Servant Girl Points Naaman to God: This lesson shows how God used a servant girl to

reveal himself to a Syrian military leader

WEEK 4-Josiah Calls the People Back to God: This lesson shows us how God chose to use a young

person to lead His people away from idolatry practices

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DATE OF LESSON: August 4, 2024

LESSON TITLE: A Faithful Servant in the Church

LESSON TEXT: Acts 9:36-43

RELATED SCRIPTURES: II Kings 4:18-37; Matthew 9:18-19, 23-26;

Thessalonians 4:13-18

GOLDEN TEXT: She stretcheth out her hand to the poor; yea, she reacheth forth her hands

to the needy " (Proverbs 31:20)

TARGET AGE GROUP: This week's discussion is taken from the Senior High School Bible

Class book.

LESSON REVIEW

- 1. What about Tabitha's life made the news of her death significant?
- 2. Why did the disciples in Joppa send for Peter?
- 3. What did Peter do after sending everyone out of the room where Tabitha's body lay?
- 4. What effect did the Lord's use of Peter to bring Tabitha back from the dead have on the city of Joppa?

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

(Readings are for the week leading up to the lesson)

M- Faithful Care Reciprocated (I Timothy 5:9-10)

T- A People Eager To Do Good (Titus 2:11-14)

W- The Dead In Christ Will Rise (I Thessalonians 4:13-18)

Th- God Hears Our Cries (Psalm 145:14-20)

F- Elisha Raises the Dead (II Kings 4:18-37)

Sa- Let Your Light Shine (Matthew 5:14-16)

Su-Tabitha Restored to Life (Acts 9:36-43)

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DATE OF LESSON: August 11, 2024

LESSON TITLE: Young David Anointed King

LESSON TEXT: I Samuel 16:1-4b, 6-13

RELATED SCRIPTURES: I Samuel 13:8-14; 15:1-23; Psalm 51:1-19; Mark 7:14-23 **GOLDEN TEXT:** "The Lord seeth not as man seeth; for man looketh on the outward

appearance, but the Lord looketh on the heart" (I Samuel 16:7)

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

Class book.

LESSON REVIEW

- 1. What is worse than finding a worm in your apple?
- 2. What do people look at when making decisions about someone? Man looks at the outward appearance
- 3. What does God look at? God looks at the heart
- 4. Have you ever judged anyone based on what he/she looks like?
- 5. Why did God reject Saul as king? He disobeyed God
- 6. Who did God choose to replace Saul as king? David
- 7. Why is God's choice always the best? God knows what people are realy like

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

(Readings are for the week leading up to the lesson)

M- Provision For Those Who Fear the Lord (Psalm 147:7-11)

T- Promise of David's Kingdom (Psalm 89:19-37)

W- Corruption Comes From the Heart (Mark 7:14-23)

Th- A Pure Heart Brings Blessings (Psalm 24:1-10)

F- Saul's Disobedience (I Samuel 13:8-14)

Sa-God's Rejection of Saul (I Samuel 15:17-23)

Su- God's Chosen King (I Samuel 16:1-4, 6-13)

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DATE OF LESSON: August 18, 2024

LESSON TITLE: A Servant Girl Points Naaman to God

LESSON TEXT: II Kings 5:1-5, 9-15a

RELATED SCRIPTURES: Leviticus 14:1-7; Matthew 8:5-13; Luke 4:24-27; 17:11-19

GOLDEN TEXT: "Then went he down, and dipped himself seven times in Jordan, according

to the saying of the man of God: and his flesh came again like unto the

flesh of a little child, and he was clean" (Revelation 5:12)

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

LESSON REVIEW

- 1. How were those who had leprosy treated? They were made to live in communities away from everyone else
- 2. Why were people with leprosy treated that way? Others were afraid of catching what they had
- 3. Who was Naaman? He was a captain of the host of the king of Syria
- 4. What happened to Naaman? Naaman became a leper (he had leprosy)
- 5. Who told Naaman about someone who could help heal him? A Servant girl
- 6. Who did she say could help Naaman? Elisha the prophet
- 7. What did Elisha instruct Naaman to do? Elisha told Naaman to wash himself in the Jordan seven times
- 8. How did Naaman respond, and what were his reasons for doing so? He went way sad and confused
- 9. How did Naaman become convinced he should do what Elisha had said, and what was the result? His servants convinced him that he should listen to the prophet
- **10. What happened after Naaman saw he had been completely cleansed?** After Naaman did what the prophet told him to do he skin was like new again (like a child's skin)

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

(Readings are for the week leading up to the lesson)

M- Outstanding Faith of a Roman (Matthew 8:5-13)

T- Determined Faith of A Gentile Woman (Mark 7:24-30)

W- The Lord Exalted by a Pagan King (Daniel 4:34-37)

Th- The Lord's Concern For Those Outside Israel (Luke 4:24-27)

F- Laws For the Cleansing of Lepers (Leviticus 14:1-7)

Sa- The Samaritan Returned to Give Thanks (Luke 17:11-19)

Su- Naaman Obeys-God Brings Healing (II Kings 5:1-5, 9-15a)

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DATE OF LESSON: August 25, 2024

LESSON TITLE: Josiah Calls the People Back to God

LESSON TEXT: II Kings 22:8-10; 23:1-3, 21-23

RELATED SCRIPTURES: II Kings 22:1-7, 11-13; 23:4-20; Numbers 9:1-5; I Kings 13:1-10 **GOLDEN TEXT:** "The king stood by a pillar, and made a covenant before the Lord,... to perform the words of this covenant that were written in this book. And all

the people stood to the covenant" (II Kings 23:3)

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

LESSON REVIEW

- 1. Who found the book of law of God in the temple? Hilkiah the high priest (v.22:8)
- 2. What Josiah do with the book of Law? He stood before the people and read it
- 3. What did Josiah tell the people to do after he read from the book of Law? He told them to keep the Passover
- 4. Why is it important for us to read the bible? The Bible is God's Word and it shows us what things we can do to please God

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

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M- Passover in the Wilderness (Numbers 9:1-5)

T- Care Taken For the Temple's Upkeep (II Kings 12:4-16)

W- Kings Should Study the Law Daily (Deuteronomy 17:14-20)

Th- Prophecy About Josiah (I Kings 13:1-6)

F- Josiah's Temple Project (II Kings 22:1-7)

Sa- Judgment Will Come (II Kings 22:11-20)

Su- Passover Celebrated (II Kings 22:8-10; 23:1-3, 21-23)