

Student Make Up Work

January 12 & 26 - Lesson "New Testament Introduction & Mary and Joseph"

Parents this make-up work should be done together with you and your student. There will be questions to discuss verbally and question to answer in written format. Please sign the bottom of the sheet and return to the sermon note drop off box.

Bible Review:

1. What two parts are the Bible divided into? _____
2. How many books are in the Old Testament? _____
3. How many books are in the New Testament? _____
4. How many books are in the Bible? _____

Test yourself: Do you know if these books are in the Old or New Testament

Isaiah
Mark
Psalms
Romans
Titus
Ruth
Joel
James
Malachi

Practice finding these passages in your Bible quickly

Exodus 20: 2
Psalm 23
Matthew 5:1
Romans 12:12
1 Corinthians 13:2

Out with the old and the in with the new.

We left off with in the Old Testament with the prophets and the Israelites returning home after exile with their enemies. They restored Jerusalem, their homes, and their way of life. There is no King but the people are united.

Between the Old Testament and the New Testament there is 400 years of silence. God's voice is silent.

When we open the book of Matthew it is entirely a different nation. Now Rome occupies Israel as well as their rule has spread throughout the world. There is a King...descended from Esau...Herod the Great...appointed by Rome. King Herod was violent and crazy and Jews were persecuted under Roman rule. The Temple is still the center of worship and has been destroyed and restored many times. Synagogues have sprung up in many cities...they are the center of Jewish Life.

The New Testament review

The New Testament is about Jesus (birth, life and ministry, and his death. It also covers about 100 years of church history after his death. It was written by his followers many years after Jesus lived and tells how the disciples lived and spread the gospel. People remembered the stories and passed them along before they were written.

The New Testament was written in Greek

φίλοι, κακῶν μὲν ὅστις ἔμπειρος κυρεῖ,
ἐπίσταται βροτοῖσιν ὡς ὅταν κλύδων
κακῶν ἐπέλθῃ πάντα δειμαίνειν φιλεῖ·
ὅταν δ' ὁ δαίμων εὐροῇ, πεποιθέναι
τὸν αὐτὸν αἰεὶ δαίμον' οὐριεῖν τύχην.
ἐμοὶ γὰρ ἤδη πάντα μὲν φόβου πλέα
ἐν ὄμμασιν τὰνταῖα φαίνεται θεῶν,
βοᾷ δ' ἐν ὧσὶ κέλαδος οὐ παιώνιος·
τοῖα κακῶν ἔκπληξις ἐκφοβεῖ φρένας.

Read from Left to Right

Contains Vowels but no punctuation

Punctuation can make a difference in how one reads scriptures.



Blueprint of the New Testament

The Gospels = Good News (Tells the story of Jesus life on earth)

History - Acts (only one book)

- Written by Luke
- Tells the story of the birth of the church and the spread of Christianity
- Pentecost
- Peter & Paul

Epistles = Letter (21)

- Written mostly by Paul (13) Romans - Philemon
- Gives encouragements / warnings to the people and churches he started

Universal Letters (7) Hebrews - Jude

- Letters written to church or people
- Unknown authors
- Give message of hope and love in Christ.

Prophecy - Revelation (only one book)

- John was a pastor who was exiled to the island of Patmos (off of Greece)
- Exile because of the anti-Christian persecution of Rome
- Wrote Revelation
- Tells of Jesus' Final Victory

Project: Collage

(You only have to do this project if you missed BOTH January 12 & 26). If you were there for one and not the other you do not need to do the project.

Pick a section of Mary and Joseph Life below

Use magazines, words, pictures, and your own drawings to create a large collage. Write a short paragraph to read with your collage to communicate your understanding of this part of Mary and Joseph's story.

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| ○ "I'm gonna have a what?" | Annunciation (Luke 1: 26 - 37) |
| ○ "Let's get jiggy with it" | Mary & Elizabeth (Luke 1: 39 - 45 or
Luke 1: 46 - 56 or Both) |
| ○ "Man up!" | Angel appearing to Joseph (Matthew 1: 18 - 24) |
| ○ "No Vacancy" | No Room in the Inn (Luke 2: 1 - 7) |
| ○ "Ta-Da" | Presentation of Jesus in the Temple (Luke 2: 22 - 35) |
| ○ "On the Road again" | Going to Egypt (Matthew 2: 13 - 23) |

Close in Prayer with one another.

Parent Signature: _____