

**Saint Margaret Mary**  
**6<sup>th</sup> grade parent newsletter**  
**Class #2 - Introduction to the Old Testament – Story Telling**  
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**The Focus of this lesson is:**

Forms of story telling in the Bible.

Knowing the difference between, fable, parable and fiction.

There is more than one way to tell a story.



Catechism reference for this lesson. 104, 1721, 401

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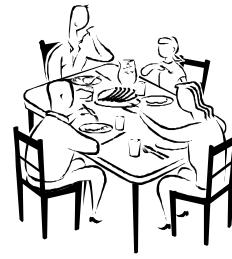
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**Forms of story telling in the Bible.**

<i>Forms</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Some Examples</i>
Psalms and canticles	Poems and prayers that were once sung.	Book of Psalms: Exodus 15:1-18 (song at the red sea)
Folktales	Old stories changed and expanded by biblical writers to teach certain truths about God.	Book of Job
Oracles	Messages from God spoken by prophets, often introduced by the words "Thus says the Lord"	Isaiah 42:1-5, 49:1-7, 50:4-11, 52:13-53:12 (The Servant Songs) Amos 1 and 2 (Judgement of the Nations)
Historical accounts	Accounts written to reveal God's activity in the world,	Books of Chronicles, Kings, and Samuel
Short Stories and novels	Stories told to show how virtuous people are supposed to live.	Genesis 37-50 (Joseph and his brothers); Books of Tobit, Esther and Jonah
Parables	Short stories told to answer a question and illustrate a deeper point.	2 Samuel 12:1-7 (Nathan's Story); Mark 4:1-20 (the Sower); Luke 10:25-37 (the Good Samaritan)
Letters	Addressed to early Christians by the apostles and their followers.	Book of Romans, Hebrews, Peter
Apocalypse	A form of writing that describes the destruction of evil times and	Books of Revelation and Daniel

### ***Family Activity***

Parents pick a family story to tell. Maybe your First Holy Communion, or tell the story of how you meet each other. Funny holiday stories are also great. Just like in the Bible, this is how our traditions and stories are passed down. See what form your story fits into.



### **Did you know?**

- The book of Genesis has 2 stories of creation.
- The word Genesis means “beginning”?
- On our web site [www.saintmargaretmary.org](http://www.saintmargaretmary.org) you can see our calendar and download permission slips.

### ***A Saint Story***

#### ***St. Thomas Aquinas***

#### ***Feast day: January 28 - patron of students***



St. Thomas Aquinas, priest and doctor of the Church, patron of all universities and of students. His feast day is January 28th. He was born toward the end of the year 1226. He was the son of Landolph, Count of Aquino, who, when St. Thomas was five years old, placed him under the care of the Benedictines of Monte Casino. His teachers were surprised at the progress he made, for he surpassed all his fellow pupils in learning as well as in the practice of virtue.

When he became of age to choose his state of life, St. Thomas renounced the things of this world and resolved to enter the Order of St. Dominic in spite of the opposition of his family. In 1243, at the age of seventeen, he joined the Dominicans of Naples. Some members of his family resorted to all manner of means over a two year period to break his constancy. They even went so far as to send an impure woman to tempt him. But all their efforts were in vain and St. Thomas persevered in his vocation. As a reward for his fidelity, God conferred upon him the gift of perfect chastity, which has merited for him the title of the "Angelic Doctor".

After making his profession at Naples, he studied at Cologne under the celebrated St. Albert the Great. Here he was nicknamed the "dumb ox" because of his silent ways and huge size, but he was really a brilliant student. At the age of twenty-two, he was appointed to teach in the same city. At the same time, he also began to publish his first works. After four years he was sent to Paris. The saint was then a priest. At the age of thirty-one, he received his doctorate.

At Paris he was honored with the friendship of the King, St. Louis, with whom he frequently dined. In 1261, Urban IV called him to Rome where he was appointed to teach, but he positively declined to accept any ecclesiastical dignity. St. Thomas not only wrote (his writings filled twenty hefty tomes characterized by brilliance of thought and lucidity of language), but he preached often and with greatest fruit. Clement IV offered him the archbishopric of Naples which he also refused. He left the great monument of his learning, the "Summa Theologica", unfinished, for on his way to the second Council of Lyons, ordered there by Gregory X, he fell sick and died at the Cistercian monastery of Fossa Nuova in 1274.

St. Thomas was one of the greatest and most influential theologians of all time. He was canonized in 1323 and declared Doctor of the Church by Pope Pius V.

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Class #3 - Introduction to the Old Testament - Genesis  
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**The Focus of this lesson is:**

Teachings of the Old Testament, God keeps His promises. He is our God and we are His people.

This class the students were given a Old Testament story. They were to tell and reenact the purpose of the story in their own words. The stories that were handed out were:



The story of Noah - Genesis 6:9-22, 7:1-24 and 8:1-19

The story of Cane and Able - Genesis 4:1-16

The story of Joseph – Genesis 37:1-36

The story of Adam and Eve – Genesis 3:1-13 and 4:1-21

Ask you youth which story they had and what they did to tell the story.

***Family Activity***

Go to and rent *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dream Coat*. This is a modern interpretation of the story. What did you think? See if you can find other movies on the Old Testament. Plan a few movie nights with these, Noah, The 10 Commandments or any others you can find.



***A Saint Story***

***St. Genesisius***

***Feast day: August 25 Patron of actors***



3rd century. During a stage performance before Emperor Diocletian in Rome, the actor Genesisius portrayed a catechumen about to be baptized in a play satirizing the Christian sacrament. In the midst of the ceremony he was suddenly converted to Christianity. When presented to the Emperor, he declared his Christianity. Enraged, Diocletian had him turned over to Plautian, prefect of the praetorium, who tortured him in an effort to force him to sacrifice to the pagan gods. When Genesisius persisted in his faith, he was beheaded. Though the legend is an ancient one, it is no more than that. Genesisius is the patron of actors. Feast day is Aug. 25.

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Class #4 - Exodus Part 1  
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**The Focus of this lesson is:**

Understanding about the story Moses being saved as a baby, and being called by God to save his people.



This lesson is on chapters 1-12 in Exodus.

Chapter 1 is the birth of Moses and 12 is the Passover

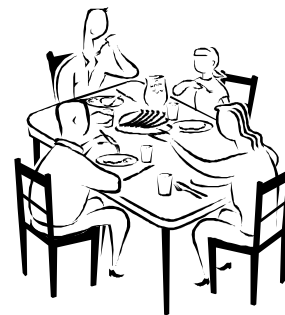


**Did you know?**

- The word Exodus means “Departure,” and refers to the most important event in Israel’s history and is described in this book?
- There are 4 parts to this book, 1) the freeing of the Hebrews from slavery; 2) their journey to Mount Sinai. We will look at the first two in this lesson.
- The story of Exodus begins with the Pharaoh’s order for the midwives to kill all the first born males.
- Moses had his first encounter with God at Mount Sinai.
- Moses confronts the Pharaoh and delivers Gods command of “let my people go”

***Family Activity***

This would be a great time with this lesson and the next one to watch the movie “The 10 Commandments.” Check it out from the local video store or library.



**Discussion Starter:**

How can we live our life to be able to hear God?  
What do you think is God’s plan for you?



### *A Saint Story* *Christopher*

Before the 1969 reform of the Roman calendar, was listed as a martyr who died under Decius. Nothing else is known about him. There are several legends about him including the one in which he was crossing a river when a child asked to be carried across. When Christopher put the child on his shoulders he found the child was unbelievably heavy. The child, according to the legend, was Christ carrying the weight of the whole world. This was what made Christopher patron saint of travelers and is invoked against storms, plagues, etc.. His former feast day is July 25.

Before the formal canonization process began in the fifteenth century, many saints were proclaimed by popular approval. This was a much faster process but unfortunately many of the saints so named were based on legends, pagan mythology, or even other religions - - for example, the story of the Buddha traveled west to Europe and he was "converted" into a Catholic saint! In 1969, the Church took a long look at all the saints on its calendar to see if there was historical evidence that that saint existed and lived a life of holiness. In taking that long look, the Church discovered that there was little proof that many "saints", including some very popular ones, ever lived. Christopher was one of the names that was determined to have a basis mostly in legend. Therefore Christopher (and others) were dropped from the universal calendar.

Some saints were considered so legendary that their cult was completely repressed (including St. Ursula). Christopher's cult was not suppressed but it is confined to local calendars (those for a diocese, country, or so forth). His name Christopher, means Christ-bearer. He died a martyr during the reign of Decius in the third century.

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Class #5- Exodus Parts 2 & 3  
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**The focus of this lesson is:**

How God cared for the Israelites.  
God knows what is good for us.



This lesson is on the remaining chapters in Exodus 13 – 40

Here is an outline of Exodus

Slaves in Egypt 1:1-22

Moses birth and early life 2.1 – 4.31

Moses and Aaron confront the king of Egypt 5.1 – 11.10

Passover and departure from Egypt 12.1 – 15.21

Red Sea to Mount Sinai 15.22 – 18.27

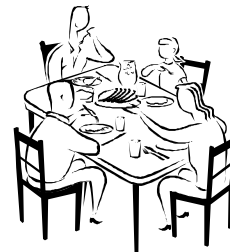
The law and the covenant 19.1 – 24.18

Sacred Tent and worship instructions 25.1 – 40.38

**Family Activity**

Finish watching the movie “The 10 commandments.”

From what you have read or watched talk about what was your favorite story and why. Did it teach you something?



**Did you know?**

- The other two parts of this book are about 1) God’ covenant with his people. He gave them moral, civil and religious laws to live by. 2) The building and furnishing of a place of worship for Israel, and laws regarding the priests and the worship of God.
- Chapter 20 lists the 10 Commandments.
- Moses is the central human figure in this book.



***Saint Story***

**St. Frances Xavier Cabrini**

**Feastday: November 13**

**Patron of immigrants**

St. Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin (Feast day November 13) St. Frances was born in Lombardi, Italy in 1850, one of thirteen children. At eighteen, she desired to become a Nun, but poor health stood in her way. She helped her parents until their death, and then worked on a farm with her brothers and sisters.

One day a priest asked her to teach in a girls' school and she stayed for six years. At the request of her Bishop, she founded the Missionary Sisters of the Sacred Heart to care for poor children in schools and hospitals. Then at the urging of Pope Leo XIII she came to the United States with six nuns in 1889 to work among the Italian immigrants.

Filled with a deep trust in God and endowed with a wonderful administrative ability, this remarkable woman soon founded schools, hospitals, and orphanages in this strange land and saw them flourish in the aid of Italian immigrants and children. At the time of her death, at Chicago, Illinois on December 22, 1917, her institute numbered houses in England, France, Spain, the United States, and South America. In 1946, she became the first American citizen to be canonized when she was elevated to sainthood by Pope Pius XII. St. Frances is the patroness of immigrants.

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Class #7 Stewardship  
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**Focus of this lesson is:**

Our call to help with time, talent and treasure.  
Students are working on their class skit for the Love and Appreciation Banquet.  
Youth may also perform an individual talent.  
Skits are to be a Bible story, show Gods action in our lives, or a moral lesson.



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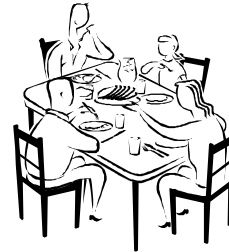
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**Family Activity**

Read Matthew 5:1-12

How do the Beatitudes speak to you, what do think you are being asked to do?

Students will bring home their class assignment for our Advent Service Project. Discuss as a family what you can do for the poor during Advent, and the rest of the year.



**Did you know?**

The Beatitudes are also in Luke 6:20-26

Our next class is the Love and Appreciation Banquet.  
All family members are invited and encouraged to attend.  
This is a potluck dinner. Please bring a dish to pass.  
Dishes have been assigned by your last name.

**A – L Main dish**

**M – S Side Dish**

**T – Z Desserts**



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Class #9 Advent Service Project  
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**Focus of this lesson:**

How can we respond to the needs of our community?

The efforts of one person, no matter how big or small, can make a difference.



**Family Activity:**

The holidays will be coming to an end soon. Charities, like the food pantries are always stocked to the brim at this time. Discuss and come up with a plan to keep the giving spirit alive all year. As a family volunteer at the food pantry, help at the P.A.D.S shelter or find something that you would like to do. Think about instituting a family Christmas in July, just to focus on giving back to the community. After the holidays these organizations are often forgotten about.

**Something to think about:**

Read the story of Martha Luke 10:38-42, John 11:1-53, and John 12:1-9.

All we hear about Martha is the simple statement: "Martha served." She isn't in the spotlight, she doesn't do showy things, she doesn't receive spectacular miracles. She simply serves Jesus.



But wouldn't it be wonderful if the most important thing that could be said about us is "They served"?

Dorothy Day said: "If everyone were holy and handsome, it would be easy to see Christ in everyone. But it was not Christ's way for himself. Ask honestly what you would do when a beggar asked at your house for food. Would you give it on an old cracked plate, thinking that was good enough? Do you think that Martha and Mary thought that the old and chipped dish was good enough for their guest? It is not a duty to help Christ -- it is a privilege." In what ways do you serve Christ others grudgingly or sparingly? How can you serve them the way Martha served Christ, putting her whole self into it?

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Class #10 - Women in the Old Testament  
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**The Focus of this lesson is:**

To understand how these strong women of faith were the roll models of the Blessed Mother.

The students made storybooks of these women. They will be given to the 1 & 2 graders. Some of them will be used for story time at parents' night out.

**Sarah** - Genesis 11:29 – 23:17

**Rachel** – Genesis 29 – 31 and 35:16 – 29

**Deborah** - Judges 4 and 5

**Judith** – Judith 8 – 16

**Susana** – Daniel 13:1-64

**Esther** – The Book of Esther

**Hannah** – 1 Samuel 1; 2:1-10 and 18-21

**Rebekah** – Genesis 24, 25, 27 and 28: 1-10

**Ruth** – The book of Ruth

**Miriam** - Exodus 15:20-21; Numbers 12:1-15, 20:1; Micah 6:4 and Chronicles 5:29

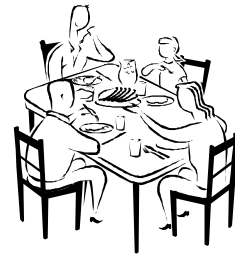


Did you know?

- These women are called daughters of Zion.
- Zion is a hill on which Jerusalem is built.
- Their lives helped prepare Mary for her roll as the Mother of the Son of God.

**Family Activity**

Talk about what women in your life who has been a roll model for you. Was it a teacher, a parent, a saint, or maybe someone you have read about? How did they affect the way you live your life? Rent a movie that tells the story of a strong woman, maybe some one of great faith or morals. Some one who lead an extraordinary life or over came obstacles in there life.



St. Zita

Feastday: April 27



St. Zita was born into a poor but holy Christian family. Her older sister became a Cistercian nun and her uncle Graziano was a hermit whom the local people regarded as a saint. Zita herself always tried to do God's will obediently whenever it was pointed out to her by her mother. At the age of twelve Zita became a housekeeper in the house of a rich weaver in Lucca, Italy, eight miles from her home at Monte Sagrati. As things turned out, she stayed with that family for the last forty-eight years of her life. She found time every day to attend Mass and to recite many prayers, as well as to carry out her household duties so perfectly that the other servants were jealous of her. Indeed, her work was part of her religion! She use to say: "a servant is not holy if she is not busy; lazy people of our position is fake holiness." At first, her employers were upset by her generous gifts of food to the poor, but in time, they were completely won over by her patience and goodness and she became a very close friend. St. Zita was given a free reign over her working schedule and busied herself with visits to the sick and those in prison. Word spread rapidly in Lucca of her good deeds and the heavenly visions that appeared to her. She was sought out by the important people, and at her death in 1278 the people acclaimed her as a saint. She is the patroness of domestic workers. Her feast day is April 27

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Class #12 - Saul, David and Goliath (Kings 1)  
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The focus of this lesson is:

By trusting in God we can overcome challenges.

Understand the qualities David had that helped him become a King.

Catechism Reference for this lesson is 2579

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Go to [www.newadvent.org](http://www.newadvent.org)

They have a Catholic Encyclopedia on line.

You can find more information on King David.



Did you know?



- The word anoint means bless with oil.
- Saul was the 1<sup>st</sup> King
- Samuel was a prophet
- You can find their story in the book of Samuel
- Here is an out line of this book
  - 1.1 - 7.17 Samuel as judge of Israel
  - 8.1 – 10.27 Saul becomes King
  - 11.1 – 15.35 the first years of Saul's reign
  - 31.1 – 13 the death of Saul and his sons

***Family activity***

Tonight at dinner ask your youth about the movie they saw in class. Discuss what was your Goliath. The one thing that you feared and you conquered. How did your trust in God help you accomplish this? Was it the hardest thing you had to do? What would have happened if you did not have trust in God?



## *A Saint Story*



St. David  
Feastday: March 1

According to tradition, St. David was the son of King Sant of South Wales and St. Non. He was ordained a priest and later studied under St. Paulinus. Later, he was involved in missionary work and founded a number of monasteries. The monastery he founded at Menevia in Southwestern Wales was noted for extreme asceticism. David and his monks drank neither wine nor beer - only water - while putting in a full day of heavy manual labor and intense study. Around the year 550, David attended a synod at Brevi in Cardiganshire. His contributions at the synod are said to have been the major cause for his election as primate of the Cambrian Church. He was reportedly consecrated archbishop by the patriarch of Jerusalem while on a visit to the Holy Land. He also is said to have invoked a council that ended the last vestiges of Pelagianism. David died at his monastery in Menevia around the year 589, and his cult was approved in 1120 by Pope Callistus II. He is revered as the patron of Wales. Undoubtedly, St. David was endowed with substantial qualities of spiritual leadership. What is more, many monasteries flourished as a result of his leadership and good example. His staunch adherence to monastic piety bespeaks a fine example for modern Christians seeking order and form in their prayer life. His feast day is March 1.

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Class #13 - Kings II  
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**The Focus of this lesson is:**

The sins of David remind us that we all do wrong.  
God forgives us for sin when we are sorry.  
God's mercy makes it possible for us to draw closer to Him.



Catechism reference for this lesson is 272

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Bible Chapters - 2 Samuel and 1 Kings 1-11

**The Reign of King David**

Here is list of some of David's accomplishments as king

David is made king of Judah	2 Samuel 2
David is made king of all Israel	2 Samuel 5:1-5
David conquers Jerusalem	2 Samuel 5:6-12
David defeats the Philistines	2 Samuel 5:17 – 25
David brings the Ark of the Covenant to Jerusalem	2 Samuel 6
David is promised the kingdom forever	2 Samuel 7:8-17
David defeats other enemies of the Israelites	2 Samuel 8:1-14, 10
David is kind to Jonathan's son	2 Samuel 9
David sins with Bathsheba and repents	2 Samuel 11-12:25
David's son Absalom turns against him	2 Samuel 15:1-12
David composes his "Song of Thanksgiving"	2 Samuel 22
David counts his army	2 Samuel 24:1-17
David makes Solomon king	1 Kings 1:11-53

**Overview of King Solomon**

**Accomplishments**

Secured Throne of Kingdom  
Made treaties with surrounding neighbors  
Adapted Egyptian ideas for governing  
Maintained peace  
Oversaw construction for many building projects  
Fortified cities  
Established military divisions  
Built an enormous palace

(continued)

Built a beautiful temple to the Lord  
Est. 1 navel fleet  
Expanded foreign trade  
Encouraged mining for copper and iron

### **Wisdom of Solomon**

Wrote many songs and proverbs (wise sayings)  
Wisdom is recorded in books of Psalms, Ecclesiastes, Songs of Songs and Wisdom

### **Sins of Solomon**

Greed  
Greatly taxed the people with forced labor to pay for his desires  
Idolatry – he worshiped false gods of his foreign wives

### **Family Discussion:**

At dinner discuss your accomplishments as a family and as individuals. What else do you want to accomplish this year? How can God help you do this?



### **Prayers**

Prayer is the most powerful weapon a Christian has. Prayer makes us effective. Prayer makes us happy. Prayer gives us all the strength that we need to fulfill God's commands. Yes, indeed, your whole life can and should be prayer. Saint Josemaria Escriva

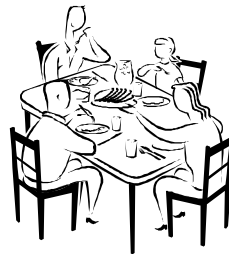
### **Act of Love**

O my God, I love You above all things with my whole heart and soul, because you are all-good and worthy of all love. I love my neighbor as myself for the love of You. I forgive all who have injured me and ask pardon of all whom I have injured. Amen.

### **Grace Before and After Meals**

**Before:** Bless us, O Lord! and these Thy gifts, which we are about to receive from Thy bounty, through Christ our Lord.  
Amen.

**After:** We give Thee thanks for all Thy benefits, O Almighty God, who livest and reignest world without end. Amen. May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.



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Lesson #17 - Prophets  
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**The focus of this lesson is:**

To understand what a Prophet is.

How a Prophet relays God's words to us.

Understanding moral choices & consequences.

Catechism reference for this lesson is 702



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**Did you know?**



- The word prophet comes from the Greek word *prophetes*, which means “one who speaks before others.”
- Prophets were people through whom God spoke to his people.
- Many of the prophets did foretell the future as part of their message from God.
- Because they could “see” into the future the prophets are sometimes called “seers.”
- They did not predict the future.
- They did not prophesy for entertainment or amusement.
- They were generally not very popular, their prophecies and advice were often not what their listeners, usually sinners wanted to hear.
- Whenever the people choose to reject God's love and to sin against the covenant and the Ten Commandments, God would send a prophet to warn them of the consequences of their actions.
- God chose the prophets to do His work when his people were in need.
- The prophet would comfort God's people and give them hope by reminding them of His everlasting love.

**These charts list the Prophets and their messages.**

### Major Prophets

Name	Place	Scripture	Message summary
Isaiah	Judah	Is 9:1-6	Prophecy of the Messiah. Repent
Jeremiah	Judah	Jer 31:31-34	Prophecy of New Covenant. Repent
Ezekiel	Babylon	Ez 10; 34:25-30; 37:1-14	Destruction of Jerusalem. Salvation for Israel. Vision of the Dry Bones.
Daniel	Babylon	Dn 3, 6, 7	Protection of God. Son of Man. Visions of the future.

### Minor Prophets

Name	Place	Scripture	Message summary
Hosea	Israel	Hos 14:2-10	Remain faithful to God. Love only Him
Joel	Judah	Jl 2:12-18	Repent, for the day of the Lord is coming.
Amos	Israel	Am 2:4-6; 9:14	Repent. Care for the poor. Hope for Israel.
Obadiah	Israel	Ob 17-21	Judah shall be restored.
Jonah	Nineveh*	Jon 1-4	Repent God is merciful and loves all people.
Micah	Judah	Mi 6:8	Do what is right. Love goodness
Nahum	Judah	Na 22:10	Prophecy of destruction of Nineveh
Habakkuk	Judah	Hb 3:16-19	The wicked will be punished. The just will have salvation.
Zephaniah	Judah	Zep 3:1-2; 16-17, 20	Sinners will suffer. God will show mercy to the faithful
Haggai	Judah	Hg 1:8-8; 2:19	Rebuild the Temple. Obey God and be blessed.
Zechariah	Persia**	9:9-10	Promise of the Messiah.
Malachi	Judah**	3:16-18	Sinners will suffer. Mercy to those who love God.

\* Capital of Assyria    \*\*Under Persian rule



### Family Activity

At dinner, can you name some modern day Prophets?  
 Is there someone who is your personal prophet? Who are they and why?  
 If you were a prophet, what would your message be?

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There are no parent newsletters for the following classes:

- Class #6 - Family Mass  
-Meet at church
- Class #8 - Love and Appreciation Banquet
- Class #11 - Special Event  
-Meet in Classrooms
- Class #14 - Reconciliation  
-Meet at church
- Class #15 - Stations of the Cross  
-Meet at Church
- Class #16 - Seder Meal  
-6<sup>th</sup> grade classes only
- Class #18 - Family “Focus on Prayer”

All of the above classes are Family classes. All members of the family are invited and expected to participate with their youth.