

SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKSHEET FOR JANUARY 2021

QUARTERLY THEME: PREPARATION OF JESUS' DISCIPLES//QUARTERLY THEME: GETTING TO KNOW JESUS

4TH SUNDAY LESSON: "JESUS' HARD SAYING" – JOHN 6:53-54, 60-71

MONDAY – JANUARY 18TH

JOHN 6:53-59 LEARN JEREMIAH 32:27

1. Explain what Jesus means in verse 53 when He tells the Jews they must eat of His flesh and drink of His blood.

2. What, according to verse 54, does Jesus say concerning those who eat His flesh and drink His blood?

3. What does Jesus say He will do for those who eat His flesh and drink His blood?

4. What, according to verse 56, concerning those who eat His flesh and drink His blood?

5. Why do you believe this is a hard saying (i.e. except ye eat my flesh and drink my blood; consider the context also)?

6. What food came down from heaven to feed the nation of Israel as they wandered in the wilderness journeying to the promised land?

7. Although they ate of this food, what, according to verse 58, does Jesus say happened to them?

8. What does Jesus say happens to those who eat of the bread (of His flesh)?

9. Where was Jesus when He taught this?

TUESDAY – JANUARY 19TH

JOHN 6:60-71 LEARN JEREMIAH 32:27

1. What do many of Jesus' disciples do when they hear Jesus teaching about eating His flesh and drinking His blood?

2. Jesus knows what they are grumbling about, what does He ask them concerning their grumbling?

3. Explain verse 63...

- a. It is the spirit that quickeneth

- b. The flesh profiteth nothing

c. The words I speak...are spirit and they are life

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4. What, according to verse 64, does Jesus know from the beginning?

 5. Why do you believe at this time many of the disciples turn away from Jesus?

 6. Who speaks up when Jesus asks the twelve if they will also turn away from Him?

 7. Who is he (your answer to #6) speaking on behalf of?

 8. Sum up the answer he gives Jesus.

 9. By what term (or name) does Jesus identify one in the very group He has chosen as His apostles and explain what the term means?

 10. Exactly which one of the twelve does Jesus refer to?

 11. Why does Jesus refer to this apostle (your answer to #10) by this term?

WEDNESDAY – JANUARY 20TH

JOHN 7:1-8 LEARN JEREMIAH 32:27

1. What does it mean that Jesus would not walk in *Jewry*?

2. Why wouldn't Jesus 'walk' there?

3. The time for which Jewish feast was drawing near?

4. Why do Jesus' brothers urge Him to go to Judea?

5. What type of attitude do you believe Jesus' brothers had toward Him as they were urging Him to go?

6. What does it mean in verse 5 that 'neither did His brethren believe in Him'?

7. Why does Jesus say the world hates Him?

8. Who does Jesus refer to when He uses the term 'world'?

9. What, according to verse 8, does Jesus tell His brothers to do?

10. What, according to verse 8, does Jesus tell His brothers He will (or will not) do?

THURSDAY – JANUARY 21ST

JOHN 7:9-30 LEARN JEREMIAH 32:17

1. Explain how, according to verse 10, Jesus goes up to the feast.

2. Who was looking for Jesus at the feast?

3. Why didn't any of the people speak openly concerning Jesus?

4. When, according to verse 14, does Jesus go up to the temple?

5. What is Jesus doing at the temple?

6. Explain why, according to verse 15, the Jews marveled.

7. How, according to verse 17, does one know whether teaching is from God?

8. What, according to verse 18, is one speaking of his own authority seeking?

9. What does Jesus say about one who seeks the glory of the one he is sent to represent?

10. Although the Jews claim to have great regard for the law of Moses, what indictment does Jesus give them concerning the law in verse 19?

11. Why do the people think Jesus has a devil?

12. Jesus says in verse 21 'I have done one work'; what 'one work' does He refer to?

13. What practice does Jesus tell the Jews they carry out on the sabbath day?

14. Why does He say they carry this practice out on the sabbath day?

15. What lesson do you believe Jesus is trying to teach them in comparing the fact that they 'break the sabbath' and circumcise in order to keep the law of Moses; but have an issue with a man being healed on the sabbath?

16. Why, according to verse 30, did no man lay hands on Jesus?

FRIDAY – JANUARY 22ND

JOHN 7:31-53 **LEARN JEREMIAH 32:27**

1. What, according to verse 31, do many people do and why?

2. What do the Pharisees and chief priests do when they hear what the people are saying about Jesus?

3. To what does Jesus refer when He says 'ye shall seek me and shall not find me'?

4. What shows that the Jews listening to Jesus misunderstood this statement?

5. When does Jesus make the statement 'if any man thirst, let him come unto me, and drink'?

6. To what does Jesus refer when He says '...out of his belly shall flow *rivers of living water*'?

7. What do the people mean when they say Jesus is 'the Prophet'?

8. Who, according to verse 41, do others say Jesus is?

9. What question (or argument) arises from this declaration (your answer to #8)?

10. Why is there a division among the people?

11. How do the officers who were sent by the chief priests and Pharisees to take Jesus respond when asked 'why haven't you brought Him'?

12. What reasoning is given by the chief priests and Pharisees as to why the officers should not believe in Jesus?

13. What, according to verse 49, do the religious leaders have to say about the common people?

14. Who speaks up to remind the religious leaders of their own law?

15. What fact does he (your answer to #14) remind them about their own law?

16. How do the religious leaders respond to this man?

17. Is the statement of the religious leaders true that 'out of Galilee ariseth no prophet'?
