

JEREMIAH

The Book of Jeremiah
Unit 15, Lesson 3

WHAT WE LEARNED

Jeremiah told about a day when God would forgive sin and change people's hearts. Jesus made these words come true. God forgives our sin through His Son, Jesus. He changes us and gives us power through His Spirit to obey His commands.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- 1. As evidenced in the callings of Noah, Abraham, Moses, and others, each time God calls someone, He equips that person to do His work.**
 - Why was Jeremiah hesitant about the calling God had placed on him? What was he forgetting about God's faithfulness?
 - What is a prophet? How did God work through them in the Old Testament, and why did He need to?
- 2. Judah was deep in idol worship and other sins. God punished the unfaithfulness of Israel by sending the Northern Kingdom into exile. Now God's judgment was coming for Judah, and Jeremiah's job was to warn them.**
 - How did Jeremiah try to warn the people? Did they listen/respond to God's message? What happened as a result?
- 3. Along with the warnings, Jeremiah brought a message of hope. Jeremiah told God's people about a new and better covenant. He prophesied about a day when God would forgive sin and write His law on the hearts of His people. The new covenant promised that God would forgive sin.**
 - How does God forgive sin? What do we humans need to do in order to receive forgiveness from God? What does this tell us about God?
 - Did Jesus come to get rid of the law? How did He fulfill the law? And how does Jesus change our hearts/give us power to obey His commands?W

MEMORY VERSE FOR THIS UNIT

“If my people ... turn from their wicked ways, then I will ...
forgive their sin and heal their land”

2 Chronicles 7:14

PRAY TOGETHER

Spend time this week praising God for the ways that He is committed to His people and the ways He has redeemed us. Pray and thank God that He sent His son Jesus for the forgiveness of our sin.

Ask each member of your family – adults included – to share one thing they would like prayer for. Have someone to pray for that person’s request. Encourage your family to pray for that person for the entire week.

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