

JESUS AND THE NEW COVENANT

UNIT ONE: THE WAY IS PREPARED

Revision

[Do not give the written test at this class!]

- Ask the students the answer to the 'Challenge'. [Matthew 16:21-23 OR Mark 8:31-33.] In the passage, Peter told Jesus to avoid suffering and death. Jesus said, "Get behind me Satan. Your thoughts come from man, and not from God." We see that at that moment, Satan was using Peter to tempt Jesus. [5 minutes]
- Divide the class into 5 groups. Each group prepares questions on one lesson [Les1-5] to quiz the rest of the class. [15 minutes]
- They come forward and conduct the quiz, giving the correct answers afterwards so that it becomes a learning process. [Allot 5 minutes for each group]

MATERIALS NEEDED: Students' files with past handouts.

HOME ASSIGNMENT: Revise Lessons 1-5 for test.

Test [Les 6-10]

- Begin with a prayer.
- Make sure the students do not have their files with them.
- If you like, you could allow the students to correct and mark their own papers as you call out the answers.

NB. Do not leave the tests with the students afterwards, so that students of subsequent years can use the same test.

MATERIALS NEEDED: Copies of test.

HOME ASSIGNMENT: Bring Bibles for the next class.

ANSWERS TO TEST

I. ABOUT JOHN THE BAPTIST:

1. "John said, "I baptize with water. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and with fire."
2. John wore clothes of camel's hair. His food was locusts and wild honey.

II. ABOUT JESUS' BAPTISM:

1. The two other events connected to Jesus' baptism (in which God revealed himself) were...
C. The miracle at Cana. D. The visit of the wise men.
2. Why did Jesus accept baptism even though he was not a sinner?
A. He was showing that he was ready to die for sinners.
3. What is the deeper meaning of the Holy Spirit coming down at Jesus' baptism?
C. That God was beginning a new creation through Jesus.
4. Jesus later said, "I have a baptism to receive". What was he talking about?
C. His suffering and death.
5. St. Matthew wrote that 'heaven was opened' at Jesus' baptism. When was heaven closed?
B. When Adam and Eve sinned.

III. ABOUT OUR BAPTISM:

1. ANOINTING WITH CHRISM---- We receive the strength of the Holy Spirit
2. WORD OF GOD----- We come to know God and believe in Him.
3. WATER ----- We are cleansed of sin and receive new life.
4. LIGHTED CANDLE----- We remember to keep our faith alive.
5. WHITE GARMENT ----- We put on Christ.

IV. ABOUT JESUS IN THE DESERT: Complete the following scripture quotes:

1. "Human beings cannot live on bread alone, but need every word that God speaks."
2. "Put on the whole armour of God, so that you will be able to stand against against the wiles of the devil."
3. "Take the helmet of salvation and the sword of the Spirit which is the Word of God."
4. "Worship the Lord your God and serve only him."

V. Choose the right answers from the block below and write them in the blanks:

1. This feast means 'manifestation' or 'revealing'. **EPIPHANY**
2. The sign that made John the Baptist realize who Jesus was **A DOVE COMING DOWN**
3. The one who asked for John's head on a platter **HERODIAS**
4. The one who had John arrested and put into prison **HEROD**
5. Who said, "You will be called a prophet of the Most High God."? **ZECHARIAH**
6. Jesus is known as the 'New.... **ADAM**'
7. Who said, "This is the Lamb of God!" **JOHN THE BAPTIST**
8. The season when we relive Jesus' desert experience. **LENT**
9. Satan once tempted Jesus through this person's words. **SIMON PETER**
10. The 7 channels that bring God's grace to us. **SACRAMENTS**
11. A person who is preparing for baptism. **CATECHUMEN**
12. Jesus was baptized here. **JORDAN**