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**Year 5 Bible Study James Chapter 4**

**For the questions below Highlight, underline or change the font colour to choose the correct answer.**

* Monday 16th November: Read **James Chapter 4 : 1-3** and answer the questions:

### Pride Promotes Strife

*1Where do wars and fights come from among you? Do they not come from your desires for pleasure that war in your members? 2You lust and do not have. You murder and covet and cannot obtain. You fight and war. Yet you do not have because you do not ask. 3You ask and do not receive, because you ask amiss, that you may spend it on your pleasures.*

**Question 1**

Where does the author James tell us that our fights come from?

1. Murder and coveting
2. desires for pleasure
3. lust
4. all of the above

*Further on we read that we do not have because we do not ask. We know that God knows everything we have need of before we ask (Matt 6:8) but God still wants us to communicate with Him and He tells us to ask so that it may be given to us (Matt 7:7). So here in the above passage St James tells us the same thing also and goes on to say in verse 3 that when we do ask we tend to ask for the wrong thing (‘we ask amiss’) so we miss the whole point of making prayer requests before God.*

**Question 2**

Can you think of an example where you may have done this in your prayer*s?*

* Tuesday 17th November Read **James Chapter 4: 4-6** and answer the questions:

*4Adulterers and adulteresses! Do you not know that friendship with the world is enmity with God? Whoever therefore wants to be a friend of the world makes himself an enemy of God. 5Or do you think that the Scripture says in vain, “The Spirit who dwells in us yearns jealously”?*

*6But He gives more grace. Therefore He says:*

*“God resists the proud,  
But gives grace to the humble.”*

**Question 3**

What do you think the verse “ *Do you not know that friendship with the world is enmity(not a friend) with God?”* is teaching us?

1. We should love God more than love the world.
2. We should be faithful to God not the world.
3. We should trust in God not the world.
4. all of the above

**Question 4**

Jealousy is usually a bad thing but in this case we read the Holy Spirit yearns jealously. Why does the bible make this out to be a good thing? You can highlight more than 1 answer.

1. God is jealous of our friends
2. Because God wants His relationship with you to be the most important one you have.
3. God doesn’t like us having friends.
4. God doesn’t like us spending more time playing sport, playing computer games, watching TV than spending time with Him.
5. Gods love for you is so great , and He wants you to put your love for Him first.

* Wednesday 18th November: Read **James Chapter 4: 7-10** and answer the questions:

### Humility Cures Worldliness

*7Therefore submit to God. Resist the devil and he will flee from you. 8Draw near to God and He will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners; and purify your hearts, you double-minded. 9Lament and mourn and weep! Let your laughter be turned to mourning and your joy to gloom. 10Humble yourselves in the sight of the Lord, and He will lift you up.*

**Question 5**

Submit means to give in. To let your will go and do what the other person decides. How do we submit to God?

1. By doing what His word says even when it’s not what we or our bodies want
2. Obeying God when it suits you.
3. Obeying God when you are fasting.

**Question 6**

How does St James tell us the best way is to submit to God? (also in verse 7-10)

True or False

1. By resisting the devil in his temptations. True/False
2. Actively drawing near to God. True/False
3. Cleansing our hands of what is right. True/False
4. Purifying our hearts of sins. True/False
5. Lamenting or repenting and mourning for the things we have lost. True/False
6. Humbling ourselves before God. True/False

**Question 7**

How can we expect the Lord to lift us up?

1. By first humbling ourselves
2. By jumping high
3. By being proud of who we are
4. By lifting up others

* Thursday 19th November: **James Chapter 4: 11-12** and answer the questions:

### Do Not Judge a Brother

*11Do not speak evil of one another, brethren. He who speaks evil of a brother and judges his brother, speaks evil of the law and judges the law. But if you judge the law, you are not a doer of the law but a judge. 12There is one Lawgiver, who is able to save and to destroy. Whoare you to judge another?*

**Question 8**

Who is the Lawgiver mentioned in Verse 12?

**Question 9**

There are 2 things St James is telling us not to do. What are they?

1.

2.

* Friday 20th November: Read **James Chapter 4: 13-16** and answer the questions:

### Do Not Boast About Tomorrow

*13Come now, you who say, “Today or tomorrow we will go to such and such a city, spend a year there, buy and sell, and make a profit”; 14whereas you do not know what will happen tomorrow. For what is your life? It is even a vapor that appears for a little time and then vanishes away. 15Instead you ought to say, “If the Lord wills, we shall live and do this or that.” 16But now you boast in your arrogance. All such boasting is evil.*

**Question 9**

Instead of saying*“Today or tomorrow we will go to such and such a city, spend a year there, buy and sell, and make a profit”;* (This is boasting) what should we say instead so we are not boasting?

**Question 10**

To what does James liken our lives to?

1. A fight
2. A vapour
3. A light
4. A story

**A puff of smoke appears for a little time and vanishes (disappears) away. In the same way our lives are created by God and will one day come to an end.**

* **Saturday 14th November: James Chapter 4: 17 and answer the questions:**

**Question 11**

Look up James Chapter 4 Verse 17 to help you answer the question below.

There are many ways in which you can sin, What does St James say is also a sin?

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