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**Year 5 Bible Study James Chapter 5**

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

* Monday 23rd November: Read **James Chapter 5 : 1-6** and answer the questions:

**Rich Oppressors Will Be Judged**

*1Come now, you rich, weep and howl for your miseries that are coming upon you! 2Your riches are corrupted, and your garments are moth-eaten. 3Your gold and silver are corroded, and their corrosion will be a witness against you and will eat your flesh like fire. You have heaped up treasure in the last days. 4Indeed the wages of the laborers who mowed your fields, which you kept back by fraud, cry out; and the cries of the reapers have reached the ears of the Lord of Sabbath. 5You have lived on the earth in pleasure and luxury; you have fattened your hearts as in a day of slaughter. 6You have condemned, you have murdered the just; he does not resist you.*

**Question 1:**

St James is sending a message to rich people who have not dealt honestly with their money.

We can still be rich, but we must honour God in the way we spend the money.

How should we live our lives if we accept this message?

1. Chasing after worldly riches.
2. Being poor and miserable.
3. Focusing on God and being satisfied by God and not in possessions.
4. Judging people who are rich.
* Tuesday 24th November Read **James Chapter 5: 7-8** and answer the questions:

**Be Patient and Persevering**

*7Therefore be patient, brethren, until the coming of the Lord. See how the farmer waits for the precious fruit of the earth, waiting patiently for it until it receives the early and latter rain. 8You also be patient. Establish your hearts, for the coming of the Lord is at hand.*

**QUESTION 3:**

 In this short passage St. James is asking us to be what?*Verse 7*

**QUESTION 4**

What should we be patient for?*Verse 8*

**QUESTION 5**

What should we do, with our hearts, while we are waiting? *Verse 8*

* Wednesday 25th November: Read **James Chapter 5: 9-11** and answer the questions:

**Do not complain about one another**

*9Do not grumble against one another, brethren, lest you be condemned. Behold, the Judge is standing at the door! 10My brethren, take the prophets, who spoke in the name of the Lord, as an example of suffering and patience. 11Indeed we count them blessed who endure. You have heard of the perseverance of Job and seen the end intended by the Lord—that the Lord is very compassionate and merciful.*

**QUESTION 6**

 Who is the Judge?

**QUESTION 7**

 Who are the people we should look to as examples of suffering and patience?

**QUESTION 8:**

St. James refers to a specific man from the Old Testament who endured suffering.

What is the name of this man?

* Thursday 26th November:  **James Chapter 5: 12** and answer the questions:

**QUESTION 9**

Look up James Chapter 5 verse 12 and write it in the textbox below.

**QUESTION 10:**

Why is it important to obey this instruction?

1. Because as humans we have no authority, wisdom or knowledge to make promises, because God is in control.
2. Because we may not fulfil our promises and people will no longer trust us.
3. Because it is a sin to make promises.
4. We should always say what we mean.
* Friday 27th November: Read **James Chapter 5: 13-18** and answer the questions:

**Meeting Specific Needs**

*13Is anyone among you suffering? Let him pray. Is anyone cheerful? Let him sing psalms. 14Is anyone among you sick? Let him call for the elders of the church, and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord. 15And the prayer of faith will save the sick, and the Lord will raise him up. And if he has committed sins, he will be forgiven. 16Confess your trespasses to one another, and pray for one another, that you may be healed. The effective, fervent prayer of a righteous man avails much. 17Elijah was a man with a nature like ours, and he prayed earnestly that it would not rain; and it did not rain on the land for three years and six months. 18And he prayed again, and the heaven gave rain, and the earth produced its fruit.*

**QUESTION 11**

What is St James encouraging us to do if we experience what is written in the table below.

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| If you are suffering |  |
| If you are cheerful |  |
| If you are sick.  |  |

**QUESTION 12:**

 According to St. James, what 2 things should we do so that we can be healed?

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**QUESTION 13:**

*“The effective fervent prayer of a righteous man avails much” Verse 16.*

Look up the word “avails” and suggest 3 other words that would also fit into this verse.

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| 3. |

* **Saturday 28th November: Read James Chapter 5: 19-20 and answer the questions:**

**Bring Back the Erring One**

*19Brethren, if anyone among you wanders from the truth, and someone turns him back, 20let him know that he who turns a sinner from the error of his way will save a soul from death and cover a multitude of sins.*



**QUESTION 14**

How can you encourage someone to stop a sin? Give 3 suggestions.

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