

# JUDSON BIBLE JOURNEYS FOR ADULTS

## 2019–2020

QUARTER	FOCUS/SCRIPTURES	WRITER(S)
<b>Summer 2019</b>	<p><b>Focus:</b> The Summer 2019 quarter, “Living in Covenant,” will teach how Jesus fulfilled the law in the sense that it was given full meaning. Jesus emphasized the deep, underlying messages of the gospel and this same message is continued through the apostle Paul and the writer of Hebrews. Relationships of faith empower us to live the covenant and spread the gospel message.</p> <p><b>Scriptures:</b> 1 Samuel 18:1-5; 19:1-7; Ruth 1:6-11, 14-18; 3:1-6, 8-12, 16-18; Matthew 5:1-12, 13-20, 21-32, 38-48; 7:1-6, 15-23; Mark 14:17-24; 15:6-15, 25-26, 33-39; Ephesians 5:21-33; Colossians 2:1-15; Hebrews 8:6-7, 10-12; 9:11-22</p>	David Laubach
<b>Fall 2019</b>	<p><b>Focus:</b> The Fall 2019 quarter of <i>Journeys</i>, “Responding to God’s Grace,” focuses on God’s gift of faith, and how we respond to it both personally and communally. The sessions from the Old and New Testaments illuminate how God’s grace impacts the lives of all believers, as demonstrated by their obedience, gratitude, and holy living.</p> <p><b>Scriptures:</b> Genesis 19:1, 15-26, 29; 1 Samuel 1:9-20; Exodus 16:1-8, 13-15; Numbers 13:1–14:20; Deuteronomy 4:1-8, 12-13; 1 Kings 17:8-16; Luke 7:1-10, 37-48; 2 Corinthians 13:1-11; 1 Thessalonians 1:2-10; 1 Peter 1:13-25; 2 Peter 1:1-15</p>	Erica Wimber Avena
<b>Winter 2019–2020</b>	<p><b>Focus:</b> The focus of the Winter 2019–2020 quarter of <i>Journeys</i> is “Honoring God.” This quarter explores ways of honoring God through worship. The Old Testament sessions recall how David and Solomon honored God by establishing the center of worship in Jerusalem and building the Temple. The New Testament sessions focus on Jesus’ teachings about right attitudes that honor God through worship.</p> <p><b>Scriptures:</b> 1 Chronicles 15:1-3, 14-16, 25-29a; 16:8-13, 19-27; 17:1, 3-4, 11-14, 16-27; 21:18, 21-27; 1 Kings 8:1-13, 14-21, 22-30, 52-53, 54-61; Matthew 4:1-11; 6:1-8, 9-15; Luke 1:39-56; 11:5-13.</p>	David Cushman, Carla Romarate-Knipel
<b>Spring 2020</b>	<p><b>Focus:</b> The Spring 2020 quarter, “Justice and The Prophets,” focuses on justice as presented in scriptures from the prophets and in the reading for Easter Sunday, which is taken from 1 Corinthians. The prophets communicated God’s will to the people. They called for repentance and justice.</p> <p><b>Scriptures:</b> Amos 5:18-24; Habakkuk 1:1-4, 12-14; 2:6-14; Micah 3:1-3, 9-12; 6:6-8; Malachi 2:1-9, 3:5-6; Isaiah 42:1-9; 61:8-11; 62:2-4a; Esther 7:1-10; Zephaniah 3:14-20; Zechariah 8:1-8, 11-17; Jeremiah 21:8-14; 22:1-10; Hosea 11:1-2, 7-10; 12:1-2, 6-14; 1 Corinthians 15:1-8, 12-14, 20-23, 42-45;</p>	Aidsand F. Wright-Riggins III, M. Ingrid Dvirnak, Joy Choquette