

Unit 15 • Session 3

# GOD PROMISED A NEW COVENANT

Jeremiah 17; 31

**WHAT IS GOD LIKE?**
**GOD IS HOLY, GOOD, AND LOVING.**

Before Babylon came and attacked Judah, God sent a prophet named Jeremiah to speak His words to God's people. Jeremiah said, "The sin of the people of Judah is like words carved into a stone—it can't be simply wiped away."

Jeremiah shared more of God's words, saying, "The person who trusts in the Lord, however, will be strong and healthy, like a tree planted by water."

Through Jeremiah, God also said, "Our hearts are deceitful, and we cannot understand them. But God knows our hearts."

Even though people have sinful, deceitful hearts, Jeremiah shared how God promised to make a new covenant with His people. Jeremiah said, "Look, the days are coming when I will make a new covenant with my people. I will put my teaching within them and write it on their hearts. I will be their God, and they will be my people. All my people will know me, from the least to the greatest. I will forgive them and never remember their sin."

*Christ Connection: Like God's people, we all have sinful hearts that do not obey God or love Him rightly. Through Jesus' death on the cross, God made a new covenant. Those who trust in Jesus have their sin forgiven and have the law written on their hearts.*

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4th & 5th Grades

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## Bible Story

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## Unit 15 Memory Verse

The LORD is good to everyone; his compassion rests on all he had made.
Psalm 145:9

## Bible Story Summary:

God sent a prophet named Jeremiah to tell the people of Judah that their sin couldn't be wiped away and that people's hearts are deceitful because of sin. But Jeremiah also shared good news: God would make a new covenant that brings forgiveness for people's sins. God would write His teaching on people's hearts. God's people would know Him, and He would be their God forever.

## Review Questions:

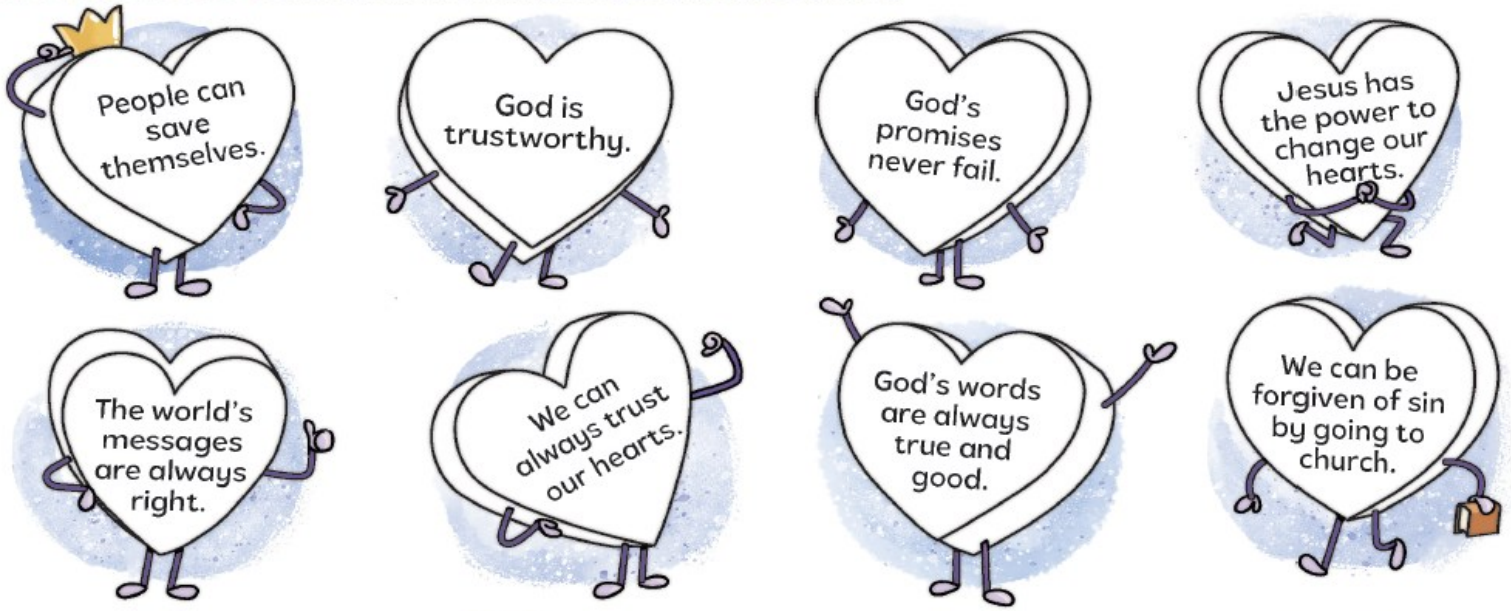
- What promises did the new covenant include?
- How did Jesus fulfill the new covenant?

Name_____

500 Points ☐

KIDSZONE/ROUTE 54 BIBLE SKILLS TABLE

## Can You Trust It? | Color the hearts with messages that can be trusted.




## Better Promises

Jesus fulfilled the new covenant and gives us better promises when we trust in Him. Read the Bible verses to help you place an X in the correct space on the chart.



| | Forgiveness of Sins | Law in Our Hearts | We Know the Lord | Eternal Life |
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| 1 John 2:25 | | | | |
| Matthew 26:28 | | | | |
| Hebrews 8:11 | | | | |
| Hebrews 10:16 | | | | |

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**BIBLE CHECK**

1. Look up **Jeremiah in the Bible**—Is this book in the Old or New Testament? _____
2. Look up **Jeremiah in the Bible**—How many chapters are in this book?_____
3. Look up **Jeremiah in the Bible**—What book comes before this book? _____
4. Look up **Jeremiah in the Bible**—What book comes after this book? _____