

Fulwood Church Challenge 6!

This sixth challenge is a basic introduction to the Bible and it is presented to interest anyone from 2 to 92+.

The tasks are fun to do and you simply need to read them and decide which activities you want to complete. (The younger ones might want to look at

the green version of the tasks.) This Challenge also includes some fact sheets to give you further information – look out for Bear and Friends as they think about books. At the end you will be awarded a badge. This is what you need to do:



1. Decide whether you want to do the tasks online using our private Facebook group, or offline with paper copies of the booklets.
2. If you want the paper booklets, please contact [Janet Wales](#) and she will make sure you get a printed copy.
3. If you want to work online, we will add you to the private Facebook group where you can download the booklets in PDF form and choose to upload your comments, photos and videos to each task in Unit 1. Send a message to Fulwood Methodist Church on Facebook and we'll add you or your parent/guardian into the group. If you don't have a Facebook account but want the PDF booklets, we can email them to you. Let us know by emailing [Janet Wales](#).
4. Decide which activities you want to complete. You can 'pick and mix' any colour or keep to one. Young people and adults might prefer to work with the yellow activities. Try to do at least one activity from each section.
5. Complete the tasks – Make! Learn! Change! Pray! Extra!
6. Post photos of your work on our Facebook site or email [Janet Wales](#) by Sunday 30th May.
7. Your badge will be awarded at the beginning of June.

Extra

Just in case you want to do a little more.

- + Look at *Bear & Friends 4* - different kinds of books

Take a photo or draw a picture of you and your favourite toy holding a Children's Bible.

- + Look at fact sheet 4 – different types of books in the Bible. Colour in the different sections of the diagram. Fact sheet 5 gives more detail to help you.

Can you guess these Bible stories -emojis?

<https://www.biblesociety.org.uk/explore-the-bible/bible-articles/guess-the-emoji-bible-story/>

Create your own emoji version of the nativity.

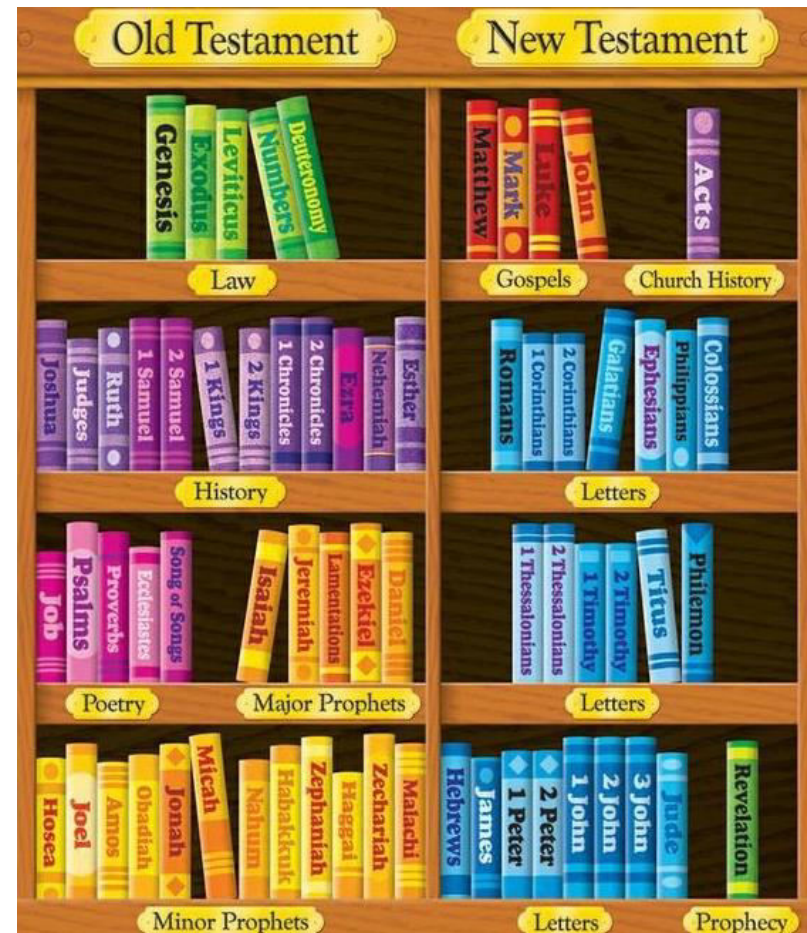
- + Read the first part of the article from the Bible Society about different forms of reading.

<https://www.biblesociety.org.uk/explore-the-bible/bible-articles/from-scrolls-to-scrolling-how-technology-has-shaped-our-bible-reading/>

Check our Pinterest board, Facebook group and your challenge bag for more.



The Bible



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Instructions for this challenge booklet

You can do as few or as many of the suggested activities as you like on your own or with others from your household, try to do at least one from each section. Green activities have been designed with younger children in mind, blue for older children, and yellow with young people and adults in mind.

Activity	Create	Think	Learn	Change	Pray	Extra
Date completed						

***Don't forget to let us know that
you've completed your
activities by 30th May so we
can give you your badge!***

Why not log into our private facebook group (Fulwood Methodist Church Challenge) and join in with other members of the church who are completing these challenges? You can upload pictures of your creations and comment with your thoughts and reflections. We'd love to hear from you.



Pray... gratefully

God loves to hear from us.



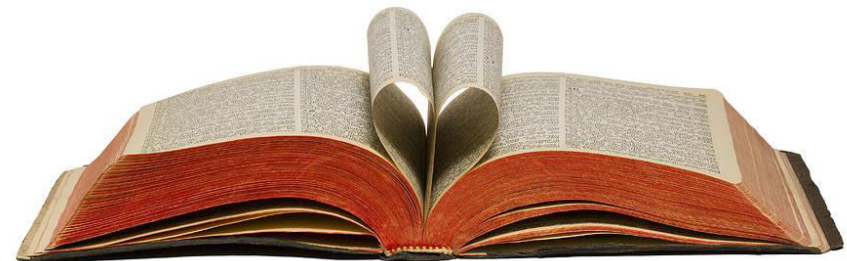
Dear God, thank you for giving us the Bible so that we can learn more about You and the way You want us to live. Amen.



Think about how the Bible can help you. Thank God for the gift of the Bible.



Spend time in prayer, thanking God for everything the Bible means to you and asking for His guidance as you continue to read and study it.



Change... deepen your understanding

Consider how you and others relate to the Bible.

- ➔ What is your favourite Bible story?
Draw a picture of it. Post a photo of it.
Ask an adult what their favourite Bible story is.
- ➔ Ask an adult what is their favourite Bible story. Can you find an image of it on Google or draw your own?
- ➔ Share your favourite Bible story with someone else. Find an illustration on Google or create your own.
Remember there are different kinds of books in the Bible. See fact sheet 4.



Create... a book!

You can do this however you like, but here are some ideas if you get stuck.

- ✎ Make a book! It can be about anything you want - you and your family, a recipe book, a holiday etc. It can have pictures and words or just pictures. (Template on Pinterest if needed)
- ✎ What is your favourite book? Draw a picture of a scene from the book and explain it to a friend or an adult. Take a photo of your drawing.

Visit this link and add your ideas about what the Bible means to you.

https://jamboard.google.com/d/12M7IkBt_RzKH7pkGapK45TInstwZpE72YOrjxcOURk/viewer?f=0

- ✎ Book interview! Answer some or all of these questions:
What is your favourite book?
Which book makes you laugh?
Which book has made you cry?
Which book changed the way you think?



Think... about the Bible

The Bible is a collection of books, like a library.



What do you see when you go to the library?
Take a photo and post it on Facebook or draw a picture. Look at *Bear & Friends 1*.

Most of the books in the Bible would have been written on scrolls. Can you make a scroll? (See template/instructions on Pinterest). Look at *Bear & Friends 2*.



The Bible is made up of two parts – the Old and New Testaments. Testament means ‘pact’ or ‘agreement’. Look at fact sheet 2.



Some books of the Bible would have been written as codices (papyrus type paper folded like a book). Look at this short video clip about the story of writing and books.
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2AuDhWiO2D4>



Learn... about Jesus using scripture

The Bible tells us about God, Jesus and how to live.



Read/listen to Luke 4:6-24 - the story about Jesus reading from a scroll in a synagogue service. He is reading from the book of Isaiah which we can find in the first part (Old Testament) of our Bible.

Look at *Bear & Friends 3 - Different types of books*.



Look at fact sheet 3 – *The anatomy of the Bible*. Colour in the different shapes of information.



See Facebook post for more details.

