

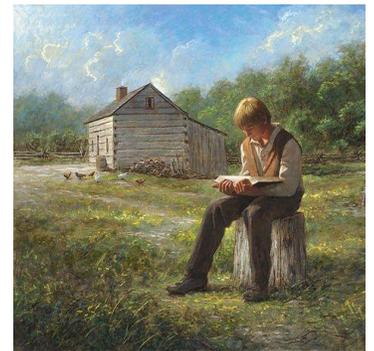
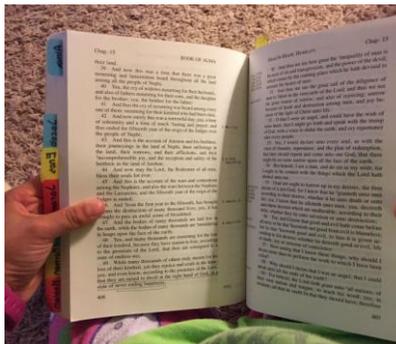
The General Sunday School Association (GSSA) is providing portions of lessons for several age groups on a common topic. Please visit the Church of Christ's Audio Visual Aid (AVA) committee website at www.cocsermons.net and click on the "Resources" tab to view all complete lessons and studies for children and adults. Contact Susan Porter at: porter_susan@sbcglobal.net, or 9 Market Street, Middleville, MI 49333, for more information. The GSSA has a private Facebook group for all members; if you would like to be added contact Betsy Trudgen at trucooking@yahoo.com.

During the April, 2018 General Church Conference, Apostle Placido Koyoc Matu told us that we need to do 3 things: Learn, Change, Grow.

Learn, Change, Grow

Poem by Jeanine Addie, Springfield, MO

As I read and learn more from
the scriptures each day,
I know I need to change the way;
I treat my best friend's younger brother,
For God desires us to love one another.
In my scriptures, I have read,
Words in which Jesus said-
Love thy neighbor as thyself.
So I'm going to work on being
kinder to my friend's brother each day,
As I spiritually grow and follow God's way.



*This lesson is intended for older students but can be tailored for younger ones.

<h3>Learn</h3>	<h3>Change</h3>	<h3>Grow</h3>
<p>How do we learn new things?</p> <p>Make a chart like this one and jot down your thoughts.</p> <p>Read the scriptures on the next page. Choose one to either draw a picture of what it means to you or write a statement of its importance to you.</p>	<p>How do we change our ways?</p> <p>Write your thoughts on your chart.</p> <p>List at least one area that you feel you could improve on.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Alma 3:29</u> Have ye experienced this mighty change in your hearts?</p>	<p>How do we grow spiritually?</p> <p>Jot down your thoughts.</p> <p>Choose one of the scriptures to memorize.</p> <p>Write down how you connect with the scripture.</p>

Alma 18:11

And now my son, I have told you this, that ye may **learn** wisdom, that ye may **learn** of me that there is no other way nor means whereby man can be saved, only in and through Christ.

Alma 17:68

O remember my son, and **learn** wisdom in thy youth; yea, **learn** in thy youth to keep the commandments of God; yea, and cry unto God for all thy support.

Mosiah 1:49

And behold, I tell you these things that ye may **learn** wisdom; that ye may **learn** that when ye are in the service of your fellow beings, ye are only in the service of your God.

2 Nephi 5:12

And I speak them unto you for your sakes, that ye may **learn** and glorify the name of your God.

Matthew 11:29

Take my yoke upon you, and **learn** of me; for I am meek and lowly in heart: and ye shall find rest unto your souls.

1 Peter 3:15

But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts: and be ready always to give an answer to every man that asketh you a reason of the hope that is in you with meekness and fear.

2 Timothy 2:15

Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.

2 Timothy 3:15

And that from a child thou hast known the holy scriptures, which are able to make thee wise unto salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus.

2 Nephi 3:61

O Lord, I have trusted in thee, and I will trust in thee forever.

Mosiah 3:3

And also, we know of their surety and truth, because of the Spirit of the Lord Omnipotent, which hath wrought a mighty **change** in us, or in our hearts, that we have no more disposition to do evil, but to do good continually.

Alma 3:25

And behold, he preached the word unto your fathers, and a mighty **change** was also wrought in their hearts; and they humbled themselves, and put their trust in the true and living God.

Alma 3:46

And now behold, I say unto you my brethren, If ye have experienced a **change** of heart, and if ye have felt to sing the song of redeeming love, I would ask, Can ye feel so now?

Ether 5:15

Behold, it was the faith of Nephi and Lehi, that wrought the **change** upon the Lamanites, that they were baptized with fire and with the Holy Ghost.

Galatians 5:22

But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith.

Psalms 66:1

Make a joyful noise unto God, all ye lands.

Helaman 2:121

And they did fellowship one with another, and did rejoice one with another, and did have great joy.

Matthew 13:23

But he that received **seed into the good ground** is he that heareth the word, and understandeth it; which also beareth fruit, and bringeth forth, some an hundredfold, some sixty, some thirty.

You can join a virtual Sunday School class (ages 12+) by contacting Stephen Stratton at Stratton125@gmail.com. Class is held on Sundays (except Sacrament Sunday) from 10-11:00 am EST.

2 Peter 3:18

But **grow** in grace, and in the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. To him be glory both now and forever. Amen.

1 Nephi 5:215

And it came to pass that they did **grow** exceedingly; wherefore, we were blessed in abundance.

Mosiah 2:23

And ye shall **grow** in the knowledge of the glory of him that created you, or in the knowledge of that which is just and true.

Alma 16:170

But if ye will nourish the word, yea, nourish the tree as it beginneth to **grow**, by your faith with great diligence, and with patience, looking forward to the fruit thereof, it shall take root; and behold, it shall be a tree springing up unto everlasting life.