

Overview of the Year 3, Fall Quarter

Session Dates, Titles, Scriptures, and Goals

The complete scope and sequence for Year 3 can be found at www.pcusastore.com/GGGdownloads.

The fall quarter typically begins with the first Sunday in September but occasionally is the last Sunday in August. It ends with Christ the King Sunday, the Sunday before Advent begins.

Since the date of Easter changes every year, the number of Sundays after Epiphany and before Lent and after Easter will fluctuate from year to year. Additional sessions are provided, but check your calendar and plan accordingly. You may not use one or more sessions in one year, and you may use extra sessions in another year.

Year 3, Fall 1

Noah and the Ark

Genesis 6:8–8:22

Goal: To act faithfully as Noah did.

Year 3, Fall 2

Rainbow Promise

Genesis 8:22; 9:8–17

Goal: To remember the story of Noah and God's promise.

Year 3, Fall 3

Abram and Sarai Went

Genesis 12:1–8

Goal: To trust and obey God.

Year 3, Fall 4

Jacob Sees the Face of God

Genesis 32:1–33:15

Goal: To recognize forgiveness and reconciliation as a way to fix broken relationships.

Year 3, Fall 5

Miriam Rejoices

Exodus 15:20–21

Goal: To express joyful gratitude for God's gracious presence.

Year 3, Fall 6

Love God, Love Others

Deuteronomy 6:1–9;

Leviticus 19:1–2, 9–18

Goal: To show God's love in our everyday actions.

Year 3, Fall 7

Welcome the Stranger

Ruth 2:1–4, 14–23; 4:13–22

Goal: To offer God's grace in the kindness we show to others.

Year 3, Fall 8

The Shepherd Boy and the Giant

1 Samuel 17

Goal: To have courage when facing bullies.

Year 3, Fall 9

Abigail Makes Peace

1 Samuel 25

Goal: To explore ways that showing hospitality to others can help bring peace.

Year 3, Fall 10

Elisha Helps a Family

2 Kings 4:1–7

Goal: To recognize that God provides for us in unexpected ways.

Year 3, Fall 11

A Girl Shares Her Faith

2 Kings 5:1–14

Goal: To practice sharing our faith with others.

Year 3, Fall 12

King Josiah and Huldah

2 Kings 22

Goal: To know that the Bible can help us to live faithfully.

Year 3, Fall 13

Esther Saves Her People

Esther 4–7

Goal: To discover ways to turn our faith into action.

Year 3, Fall 14

Work for Peace and Justice

Micah 4:1–8

Goal: To explore ways we can work for God's justice and peace.