

The Orthodox Faith: Old Testament

Class	Date	Topics	Readings
1	Feb 17	Introduction: Scripture & Church, the Old Testament	
2	Feb 24	HW- Remembered Story vs. Read Scripture Creation & Ancestral Sin Noah & the Flood; Tower of Babel	(TBD) Genesis 1-4 Genesis 6-9, 11
3	Mar 17	Ancestors of Faith – Abraham & Sarah Children of the Promise – Isaac & Jacob Joseph Story	Genesis 12, 15, 17, 18 Genesis 24, 27, 28:10-22, 32:22-32 Genesis 37, 39-42, 44-45
4	Mar 24	Moses, Passover & the Exodus from Egypt Mt. Sinai – Theophany, 10 Commandments, Covenant Law/Torah – Deuteronomy Wandering in the Wilderness – Rebellion & Miracles	Exodus 1-4:17; 5; 11-14 Exodus 19-20, 40 Deuteronomy 6, 8, 34 Numbers 6:22-26, 11-12
5	Mar 31	Sacrifice, Priesthood, Purity Holiness Code – sexuality, sabbatical, jubilee, business, stewardship Conquest of the Promised Land Conquest continued – Joshua & Judges, Sampson	Leviticus 1; 8; 11-12; 15-16 Leviticus 17:3-7; 18, 19:19; 19:9-10, 35-36; 23; 25:1-12; 27:30-33. Deuteronomy 20; Joshua 6-7 Joshua 23-24; Judges 2-3:6; 13-16
6	April 7	Samuel & the Rise of Saul Chosen Child -- King David & Royal Dynasty Adultery and repentance Prayer of Farewell	1 Samuel 1; 8-10:16; 1 Samuel 16, 17 ; Ruth, 2 Samuel 5; 7; 1 Chronicles 29:10-19 2 Samuel 11-12:25; Psalm 51 1 Chronicles 29:10-19
7	April 21	King Solomon – Temple, Palace & People A House Divided – Israel & Judah Prophets – Elijah & Elisha	1 Kings 2-3; 4:29-34; 9; 11:1-25 1 Kings 11:26-12:33; 16:29-34; 17-18; 19:1-18 2 Kings 2:1-14; 4:8-37; 5:1-27; 17