

IGNITE TEEN HANDOUT

Week 4 – 10/17/2021

Overview of the Bible

Ignite

SET THE WORLD ABLAZE!

Everyone has a story

...including God



The word Bible comes from the Greek word τὰ βιβλία **ta** or **biblia** meaning "**the books**". Therefore, the Bible is not a book it is a collection of writings – 73 books; 46 in the Old Testament or Hebrew Scriptures; 27 in New Testament or Christian Scriptures. These books were written over hundreds of years by countless authors and editors.

scriptures



refers to
sacred writings

**The sacred writings
of the world's
religions are**

The Bible

Christian

The Vedas

Hindu

The Sutras

Buddhist

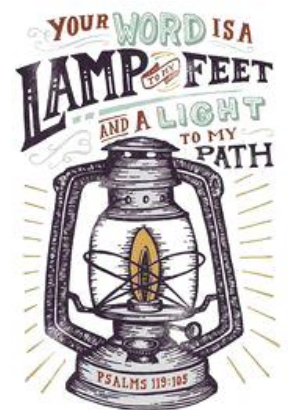
**The Quran
& Hadith**

Islam

The Tanach

The Jewish Bible

INSPIRE
IMAGINE
INNOVATE
ENVISION
NURTURE
CREATE



Testament is another
word for

Navigating
the Bible

Book
Genesis 2:15-22

Chapter

verses

Team Challenge

Proverbs 8:17 - p _____

Jeremiah 29:11 - P _____

John 3:16 - p _____

1 Peter 5:6-7 - p _____

"Is not My Word like a
FIRE?
SAYS THE LORD,
"And like a
HAMMER
that BREAKS
the ROCK in PIECES?"

Jeremiah 23:29

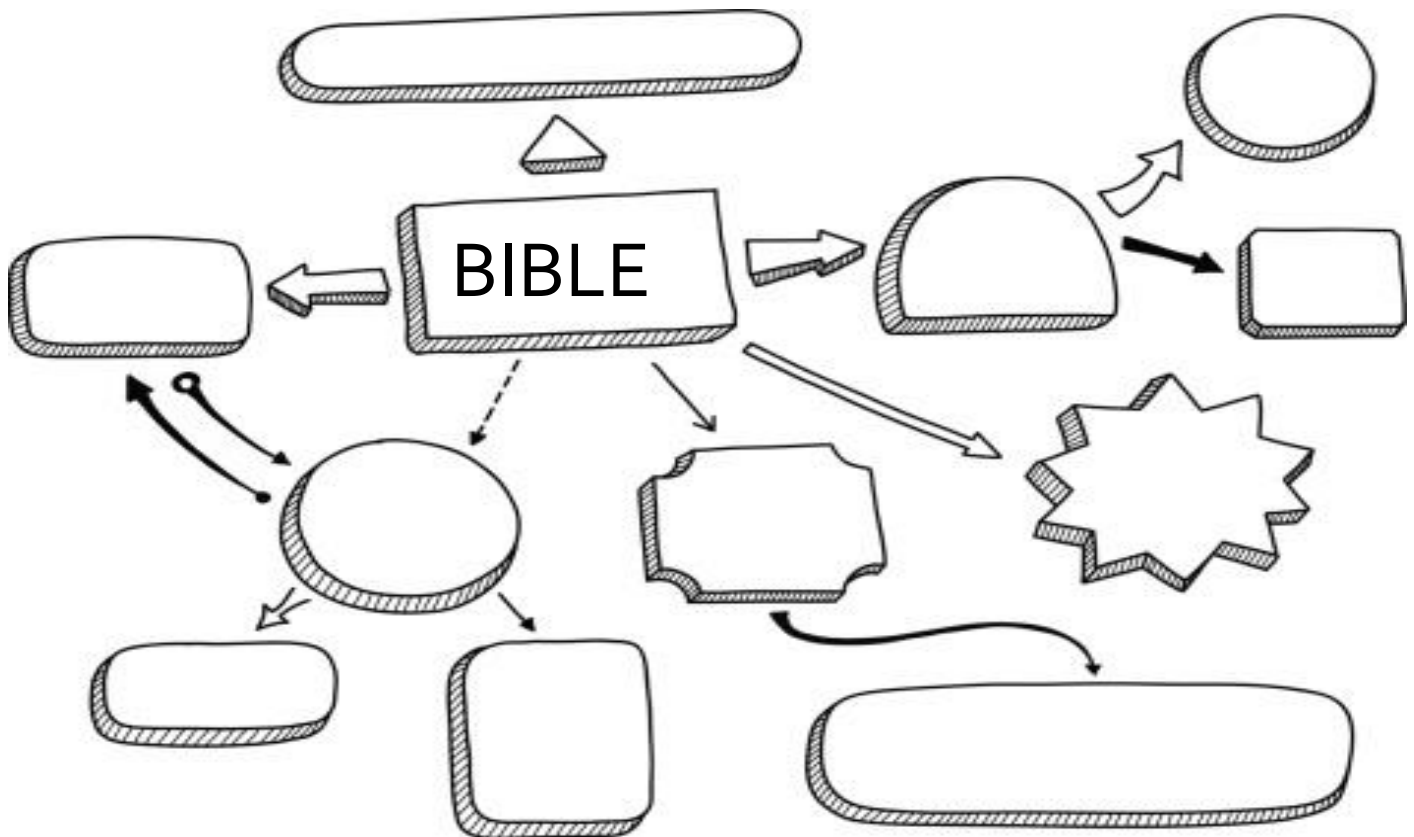
73 Books of the Bible (Catholic)



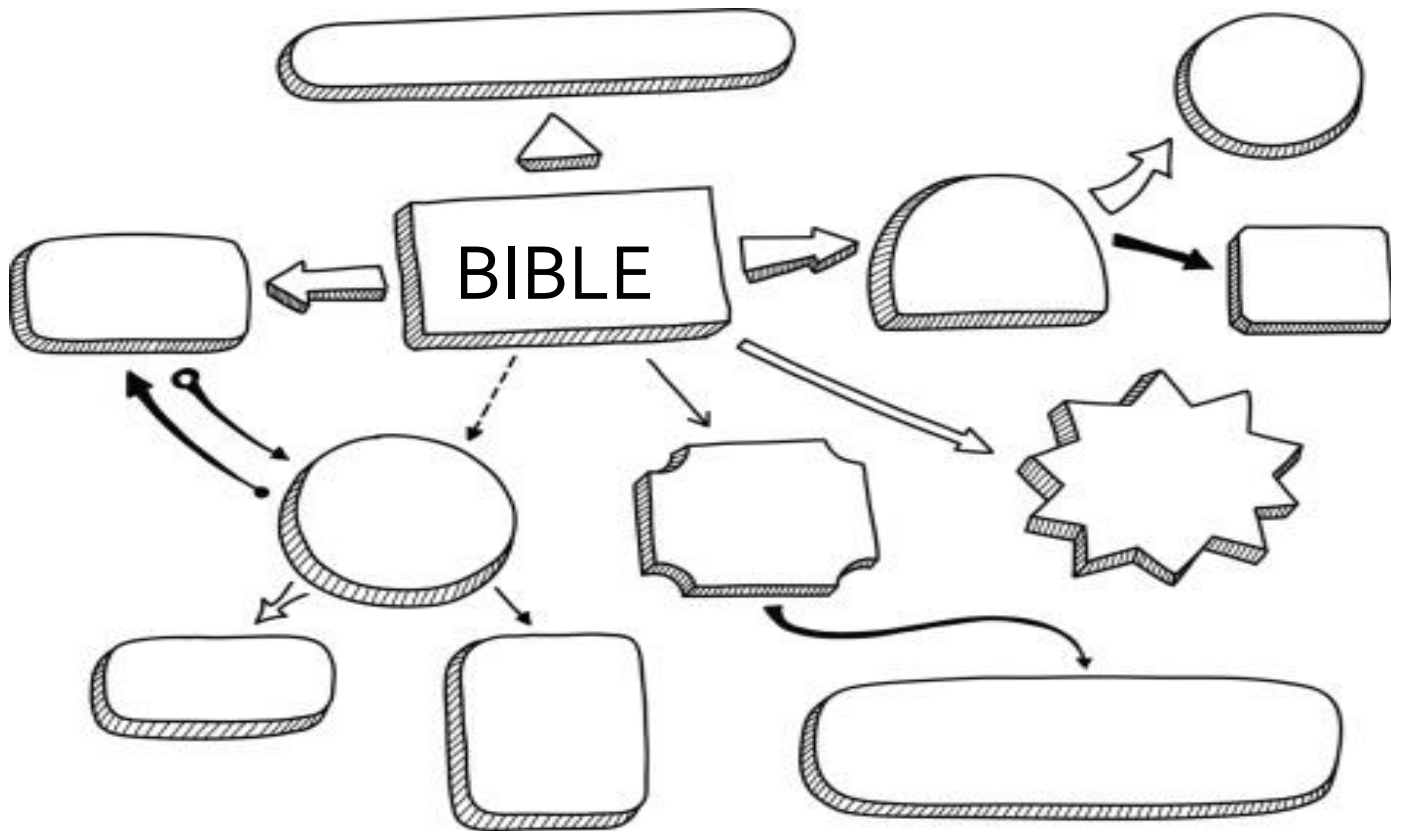
The important ideas!

- How to navigate the Catholic Youth Bible (CYB).
- Sacred Scripture is one of the primary **sources of divine revelation**. God chose to use stories to instruct, delight, enchant, touch, teach, recall, inspire, motivate, challenge and inspire us.
- The Scriptures convey **divinely revealed truth** – truth only God knows and chooses to share with humankind through the work of inspired human storytellers who are guided by the Holy Spirit. This is why you sometimes hear people say that God is the ultimate author of the Bible.
- God uses stories to do this because God not only wants to share information with us, God wants to create an emotional connection with us.
- The compilation of the Bible happened gradually over time and is referred to as the Biblical **canon**.

Bible Mind Map #1 (My personal map)



Bible Mind Map #2 (Class map)



Questions I have about the Bible



1. _____

2. _____

3. _____



The Call of Jeremiah

(Jeremiah 1:1-19)

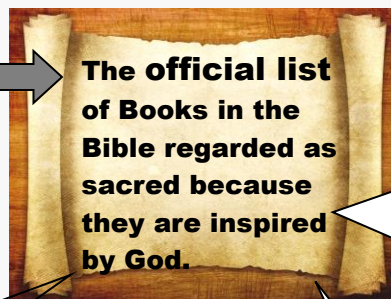
God has revealed himself and inspired individuals throughout salvation history.



- What words or phrases struck you as you heard the story being read?
- What was Jeremiah's response to being called by God?
- What did God ask Jeremiah to do?
- Why did Jeremiah say, "I am too young"? What does age have to do with it?
- How might you learn more about Jeremiah and what the Lord was asking him to do?
- Have you ever felt like God was asking you to do something? If yes, what was it? How did that make you feel? (This would a great place for you or your Peers to share how you felt called to be a catechist/peer)
- If no, what might God be calling you to do/be?
- How would you know God is calling you? To whom or what might you turn for help in listening to God?



The **Canon**
of Scripture
is . . .



Catholic and Orthodox Churches accept 46 books in the Old Testament and 27 in the New Testament for a total of 73 books.

Catholic and Orthodox Churches include some books and parts of other books not accepted as inspired by most Protestant Churches

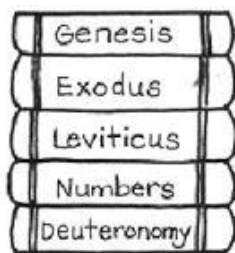
Is that what people mean when they ask you if you have a Catholic Bible?

You got it!

Protestants accept 39 books in the Old Testament and 27 in the New Testament for a total of 66 books.

Salvation **History** is the story of _____ relationship with _____ as revealed in _____

Pentateuch = Torah =



Go AHEAD QUIZ ME – I DARE YOU

The literary genres found in the Bible include
(Check all that apply)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Myth | <input type="checkbox"/> History | <input type="checkbox"/> Song Lyrics |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Law books | <input type="checkbox"/> Science | <input type="checkbox"/> Action Adventure |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Poetry | <input type="checkbox"/> Letters | <input type="checkbox"/> Romance |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Census data | <input type="checkbox"/> Biography | <input type="checkbox"/> Self-help |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Propaganda | <input type="checkbox"/> Prophecy | <input type="checkbox"/> Fables |

The guidance of the Holy Spirit in the development of the Scriptures, whereby the Spirit guided (as in directed, steered, channeled, led) the human authors to teach without error those truths of God that are necessary for our salvation. It is on the basis of inspiration that we can call the Bible the Word of God.

LET'S RECAP...

This week I learned _____

I wish I knew more about _____

The thing I liked best about this week was _____

Before our next session I will

to put my faith into action.

This week I was most inspired by _____
because _____
