

Family Discussion Questions
for the
Stewardship Season, Fall 2013

Sept. 29 – Moses

God spoke to Moses and told him to go and help the people. “Don’t be afraid,” God said, “For I will be with you.” Have you ever known someone who needed help? Do you think God will be with you if you try to help someone? Yes!

Oct. 6 – Manna

God made bread come down from the sky when all the people were hungry. “Take just enough,” God said, “And you’ll always have what you need... and so will everyone else!” What does God provide for us to eat today? What are some ways to make sure we’re sharing with everybody?

Oct. 13 – Samuel

God chose Samuel for a very special task, even though he was only a young boy at the time. The old priest Eli helped Samuel to understand God’s call. Do you think God still calls young people to very important tasks? Who in our lives can help us hear and understand what God wants us to do?

Oct. 20 – David

When it came time to choose a new king, God said, “What really matters is on the inside of a person, not on the outside.” So God chose David to be the next king, even though he was the youngest and the littlest of all his brothers. Can you think of any other young people who make a big difference? What do you suppose God sees inside the little ones of the world?

Oct. 27 – Solomon’s Temple

King Solomon built a temple for God – a great big beautiful building, like a church – where God could have a home and the people could worship God. Really what God wanted though was to be *close to the people* because he loved them so much. Where can you and I go to be close to God? What sort of places does God really love to be in? How can we build up those places and make them more “beautiful”?

Nov. 3 – Elijah

One day Elijah was very, very scared and sad about his troubles, so he ran away to a special place where God would sometimes come. And there was a great big wind – like a hurricane or a tornado – and then a mighty earthquake, and then a burning fire... but God was not in any of those big and noisy things. Finally it got very, very quiet... and then at last God spoke to Elijah, telling him that he was not alone. Do you ever get scared or sad about things like Elijah did? Do you have a quiet place to go and be close to God?