

A weekly lesson for children, young people, parents and grandparents, from the GCI Watford Church.

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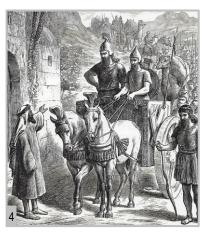
Learning from 1897 (Part 2)

The illustrations and scriptures below can be used to initiate and expand Bible learning. The illustrations are taken from some Bible stories published in 1897 by Cassell & Co Ltd, London. The illustrations are not all in chronological and Biblical order.









- 1. **Elijah on Mt Carmel.** 'The fire of the Lord fell and consumed the burnt sacrifice, and the wood and the stones and the dust, and it licked up the water that was in the trench. Now when all the people saw it, they fell on their faces; and they said, "The Lord, He is God! The Lord, He is God!" '1 Kings 18:38-39
- 2. Elijah passes on to Elisha. 'Elijah passed by him and threw his mantle on him.' 1 Kings 19:19
- 3. **Elijah's spectacular departure.** 'Then it happened, as they continued on and talked, that suddenly a chariot of fire appeared with horses of fire, and separated the two of them; and Elijah went up by a whirlwind into heaven.' 2 Kings 2:11
- 4. **Naaman is healed.** 'Naaman went with his horses and chariot, and he stood at the door of Elisha's house. And Elisha sent a messenger to him, saying, "Go and wash in the Jordan seven times, and your flesh shall be restored to you." ' 2 Kings 5:9-10







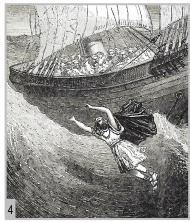


- 1. Jerusalem's walls rebuilt. 'Come and let us build the wall of Jerusalem, that we may no longer be a reproach.' Nehemiah 2:17
- 2. **King Ahasuerus and Esther.** 'The king held out to Esther the golden sceptre that was in his hand. Then Esther went near and touched the top of the sceptre.' Esther 5:2
- 3. **Job's adversity.** 'When Job's three friends heard of all this adversity that had come upon him, each one came from his own place Eliphaz the Temanite, Bildad the Shuhite, and Zophar the Naamathite.' Job 2:11
- 4. 'The wolf also shall dwell with the lamb, the leopard shall lie down with the young goat, the calf and the young lion and the fatling together; And a little child shall lead them.' Isaiah 11:6









- 1. **Jeremiah smashes a pot.** 'You shall break the flask in the sight of the men who go with you, and say to them, "Thus says the Lord of hosts: 'Even so I will break this people and this city, as one breaks a potter's vessel.' " 'Jeremiah 19:10-11
- 2. Nebuchadnezzar: the fiery furnace. '"Look!" he answered, "I see four men loose, walking in the midst of the fire" 'Dan. 3:25
- 3. The lion's den. 'The king gave the command, and they brought Daniel and cast him into the den of lions.' Daniel 6:16
- 4. Thrown overboard. 'They picked up Jonah and threw him into the sea, and the sea ceased from its raging.' Jonah 1:15

New Testament







- 1. An angel appears to shepherds. 'The angel said to them, "Do not be afraid, for behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy which will be to all people. For there is born to you this day in the city of David a Saviour, who is Christ the Lord." Luke 2:10-11
- 2. **Joseph, Mary, Simeon and Anna.** 'He took Him up in his arms and blessed God and said: "Lord, now You are letting Your servant depart in peace, According to Your word; For my eyes have seen Your salvation." 'Luke 2:28-30
- 3. **Jesus in Nazareth.** 'They led Him to the brow of the hill on which their city was built, that they might throw Him down over the cliff.' Luke 4:29







- 1. **The sermon on the mount.** 'Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.' Matthew 5:3
- 2. **Jesus teaches.** 'He began to teach by the sea. And a great multitude was gathered to Him, so that He got into a boat and sat in it on the sea; and the whole multitude was on the land facing the sea. Then He taught them many things.' Mark 4:1-2
- 3. **Jesus displeased.** 'The disciples rebuked those who brought them. But when Jesus saw it, He was greatly displeased and said to them, "Let the little children come to Me, and do not forbid them; for of such is the kingdom of God." ' Mark 10:13-14







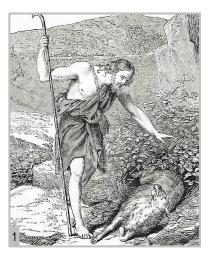
- 1. **The first miracle at a wedding in Cana.** 'Every man at the beginning sets out the good wine, and when the guests have well drunk, then the inferior. You have kept the good wine until now!' John 2:10
- 2. **Jesus with a Samaritan lady at a well.** 'The woman said to Him, "I know that Messiah is coming" (who is called Christ). "When He comes, He will tell us all things." Jesus said to her, "I who speak to you am He." 'John 4:25-26
- 3. **Mary and Martha.** 'Jesus answered and said to her, "Martha, Martha, you are worried and troubled about many things. But one thing is needed, and Mary has chosen that good part, which will not be taken away from her." 'Luke 10:41-42



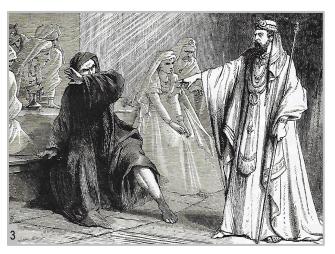




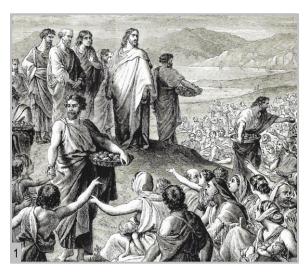
- 1. Jesus stills a storm. 'He arose and rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, "Peace, be still!" ' Mark 4:39
- 2. **Jesus walks on water.** 'So when they had rowed about three or four miles, they saw Jesus walking on the sea and drawing near the boat; and they were afraid. But He said to them, "It is I; do not be afraid." 'John 6:19-20
- 3. **A huge catch of fish.** ''Master, we have toiled all night and caught nothing; nevertheless at Your word I will let down the net." And when they had done this, they caught a great number of fish, and their net was breaking.' Luke 5:5-6







- 1. **The lost sheep.** 'And if he should find it, assuredly, I say to you, he rejoices more over that sheep than over the ninety-nine that did not go astray.' Matthew 18:13
- 2. The good Samaritan. 'Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise." ' Luke 10:37
- 3. **The wedding guest dressed inappropriately.** "Friend, how did you come in here without a wedding garment?" And he was speechless. Then the king said to the servants, "Bind him hand and foot, take him away." Matthew 22:12-13







- 1. **Feeding the 5,000.** 'Jesus said, "Make the people sit down." Now there was much grass in the place. So the men sat down, in number about five thousand. And Jesus took the loaves, and when He had given thanks He distributed them.' John 6:10-11
- 2. **Jesus heals a man born blind.** 'He anointed the eyes of the blind man with the clay. And He said to him, "Go, wash in the pool of Siloam" (which is translated, Sent). So he went and washed, and came back seeing.' John 9:6-7
- 3. The widow's two mites. 'One poor widow came and threw in two mites.' Mark 12:42



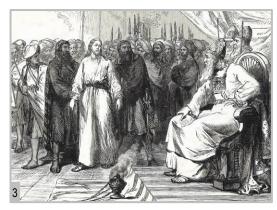




- 1. **The transfiguration.** 'He was transfigured before them. His face shone like the sun, and His clothes became as white as the light. And behold, Moses and Elijah appeared to them, talking with Him.' Matthew 17:2-3
- 2. **The triumphal entry of Jesus into Jerusalem.** 'Then the multitudes who went before and those who followed cried out, saying: "Hosanna to the Son of David! 'Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord!' Hosanna in the highest!" 'Matt. 21:9 3. **Jesus washes His disciple's feet.** 'He poured water into a basin and began to wash the disciples' feet, and to wipe them with the towel with which He was girded.' John 13:5







- 1. **Jesus in the garden of Gethsemane.** 'He went a little farther, and fell on the ground, and prayed that if it were possible, the hour might pass from Him. And He said, "Abba, Father, all things are possible for You. Take this cup away from Me; nevertheless, not what I will, but what You will." 'Mark 14:35-36
- 2. **Judas betrays Jesus.** 'Judas, one of the twelve, with a great multitude with swords and clubs, came from the chief priests and the scribes and the elders. Now His betrayer had given them a signal, saying, "Whomever I kiss, He is the One." 'Mk. 14:43-44 3. **Jesus is brought before the high priest.** 'They led Jesus away to the high priest; and with him were assembled all the chief priests, the elders, and the scribes.' Mark 14:53







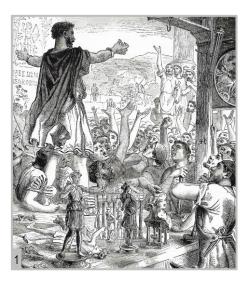
1. **Jesus is crucified.** 'When they had come to the place called Calvary, there they crucified Him, and the criminals, one on the right hand and the other on the left. Then Jesus said, "Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they do." 'Luke 23:33-34 2. **Jesus ascends.** 'As He went up, behold, two men stood by them in white apparel, who also said, "Men of Galilee, why do you stand gazing up into heaven? This same Jesus, who was taken up from you into heaven, will so come in like manner." 'Acts 1:10-11 3. **Peter speaks on the day of Pentecost.** 'Then Peter said to them, "Repent, and let every one of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins; and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit." 'Acts 2:38



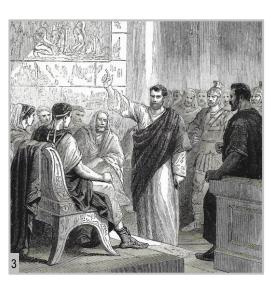




- 1. Peter and John heal a lame man. "In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, rise up and walk." Acts 3:6
- 2. Stephen is stoned. 'They cast him out of the city and stoned him.' Acts 7:58
- 3. **An angel releases Peter from prison.** 'An angel of the Lord stood by him, and a light shone in the prison; and he struck Peter on the side and raised him up, saying, "Arise quickly!" And his chains fell off his hands.' Acts 12:7



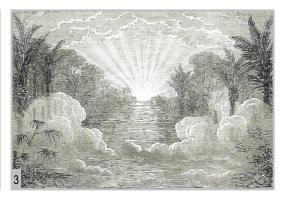




- 1. Riot in Ephesus. 'The whole city was filled with confusion.' Acts 19:29
- 2. Uproar in Jerusalem. 'All the city was disturbed; and the people ran together, seized Paul, and dragged him out.' Acts 21:30
- 3. Paul brought before King Agrippa. 'Agrippa and Bernice had come with great pomp, and had entered the auditorium with the commanders and the prominent men of the city, at Festus' command Paul was brought in.' Acts 25:23







- 1. **Paul bitten by a viper.** 'Paul had gathered a bundle of sticks and laid them on the fire, a viper came out because of the heat, and fastened on his hand.' Acts 28:3
- 2. **Shipwreck off Malta.** 'Striking a place where two seas met, they ran the ship aground; and the prow stuck fast and remained immovable, but the stern was being broken up by the violence of the waves.' Acts 27:41
- 3. A pure river of water of life. 'He showed me a pure river of water of life, clear as crystal, proceeding from the throne of God and of the Lamb. In the middle of its street, and on either side of the river, was the tree of life.' Revelation 22:1-2

See if you can memorize some, or all, of these words:

'While they looked steadfastly toward heaven as He went up, behold, two men stood by them in white apparel, who also said, "Men of Galilee, why do you stand gazing up into heaven? This same Jesus, who was taken up from you into heaven, will so come in like manner as you saw Him go into heaven." '

Acts 1:10-11

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