# Day 4: READ → Zephaniah 3:14-20 READ & ANSWER → Have you ever gotten in trouble?

What did you do to get in trouble?

What was the consequence for your actions?

Zephaniah was a prophet who delivered messages from God to God's people. Prophets weren't always popular, and sometimes had hard things to say. Zephaniah's message started out by explaining that the people would be punished for sins, because God is just and there are consequences for our actions. However, there is hope, too, which is the focus of this passage. God is near to us. He does not judge us angrily, but removes the weight of our sins through Jesus.

PRAY → God, thank you for sending us Jesus to take away our sins. I rejoice in your holy name! Amen.

\_\_\_\_\_ I completed this weekly devotion with my adopted pet. (You will receive an additional \$2 Kids' Kash this week.) Way to go!

Child's Name:	
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#### November 7/8, 2025

#### PROPHETS TO JUDAH

Micah, Nahum, Habakkuk, Zephaniah

**Big Picture Question:** What is God like? *God is holy, good, and loving.* 

**Main Point:** God sent prophets to tell the people to repent of their sins.

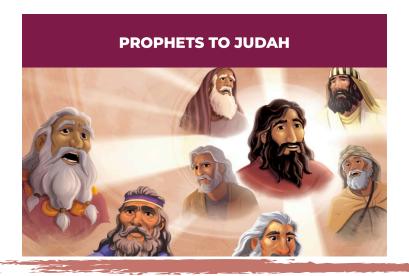
### Day 1: **READ** → **Micah** 6:1-8

READ & DISCUSS → While the Northern Kingdom of Israel had been destroyed by Assyria, the Southern Kingdom of Judah remained. God continued to send prophets to Judah who called the people to repent of their sin. One of the prophets, Micah, was thinking about all that God had done for His people of Israel, and was wondering what He might give God. What kind of offering is good enough for the King of all creation? He realized that God wants us to act justly, love mercy, and walk humbly with Him.

Discuss the following questions...
Why are these things more important than offerings or sacrifices?

How can you show God that in your life you "act justly, love kindness, and walk humbly"?

PRAY → God, please help me walk and live in Your Word by acting justly, loving kindness, and walking humbly with You. Thank you for your love. Amen.



## Day 2: READ → Nahum 1:1-8

READ & CIRCLE → God gave a message to Nahum the prophet. Nahum took God's message to Nineveh, the capital city of Assyria. The Assyrians were mean, evil people. They were enemies of God's people, and God was going to judge them. Nahum told the people what God is like. God is a jealous God. That means He wants people to worship only Him. Nahum said God punishes the guilty, those who do wrong. God does not lose His temper; He is patient. He is powerful, too. No one can stand up against the power of God. Nahum said the Lord is good. He takes care of people who trust in Him. But the people of Nineveh did not trust in Him.

God's message was BAD or GOOD news for Nineveh?

God's message was BAD or GOOD news for the people of God?

PRAY → God, thank You for Your patient love and the message of Jesus that is GOOD NEWS! Amen.

Day 3: READ → Habakkuk 1:1-3; 2:2-4; 3:17-18
READ & RESPOND → What is the best message you have ever received?

God sent a message through the prophet Habakkuk. Habakkuk was not like the other prophets who spoke their messages out loud. Instead, he asked God questions and wrote down His answers. Habakkuk asked God why He allowed wrongdoing to go unpunished. He decided that even though times were hard, he would rejoice in the Lord.

A message from God containing answers or advice was called an oracle. God told Habakkuk to give the written oracle to a messenger called a herald. The herald ran with the message and delivered it to the people.

PRAY → God, I trust you and want to praise and rejoice in you in the hardest of times. Amen.



The LORD is good to all; he has compassion on all he has made.

Psalm 145:9