

# SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSONS (Adult)

## QUARTER THEME: CALL IN THE NEW TESTAMENT

### Unit 1: Beginning of a Call

- Dec 6** “Call to Be Heir” *Lesson focus: Listen to Jesus, heir of all things.*  
**Matthew 1:1-6** (Jesus: The Son of David), **16-17** (Jesus: The Messiah), **Hebrews 1:1-5** (Jesus: Heir of All Things)
- Dec 13** “Called to Be Emmanuel” *Lesson focus: Don't be afraid to follow God's command.*  
**Matthew 1:18-19** (Joseph Hears the News), **20-21** (An Angel Appears to Joseph), **22-25** (Joseph Obeys the Lord)
- Dec 20** “Called to Worship” *Lesson focus: Are you willing to answer God's call to worship?*  
**Matthew 2:7-8** (A Pretense of Worship), **9-12** (Joy in Worship), **13-15** (Obedience is Worship)
- Dec 27** “Called to Prepare” *Lesson focus: Prepare for Jesus to change you.*  
**Matthew 3:1-6** (Preparing Hearts), **7-10** (Provoking Hearts), **11-12** (Prevailing Upon Hearts)

### Unit 2: Jesus and Calls in Ministry

- Jan 3** “Called to Proclaim” *Lesson focus: Spread Jesus' message of good news for a hurting world.*  
**Luke 4:14-19** (Proclaiming Freedom), **20-22a** (Proclaiming Fulfillment)
- Jan 10** “Called to Follow” *Lesson focus: Participate in Jesus' mission.*  
**Luke 5:1-5** (Setting Out with Doubt), **6-11** (Responding without Hesitation)
- Jan 17** “Called in Authority” *Lesson focus: Trust that Jesus has the authority to make you whole.*  
**Mark 2:1-4** (Jesus Heals the Sick), **5-7** (Jesus Forgives Sin), **8-12** (Jesus Reveals His Nature)
- Jan 25** “Called for the World's Belief” *Lesson focus: Show Jesus through unity and love.*  
**John 17:14-19** (Jesus Prayed for His Disciples), **20-23** (Jesus Prayed for the Church), **24** (Jesus Expressed His Will)

### Unit 3: The Call of Women

- Jan 31** “Called to Prophecy” *Lesson focus: Value women's voices like God does.*  
**Luke 2:36-38** (A Prophetess Acknowledges Jesus), **16-21** (Sons and Daughters Will Prophecy), **Acts 21:8-9** (Philip's Four Daughters Prophecy)
- Feb 7** “Called to Testify” *Lesson focus: Ask Jesus to reveal Himself to your community through your witness.*  
**John 4:25-30** (The Samaritan Woman's Testimony), **31-38** (The Disciple's Opportunities for Evangelism), **39-42** (The Fruit of the Samaritan Woman's Testimony)
- Feb 14** “Called to Support” *Lesson focus: Listen! Jesus calls you by name to testify.*  
**Luke 8:1-3** (Women Healed by Jesus), **John 20:10-18** (Mary's Encounter with the Risen Lord)
- Feb 21** “Called to Explain” *Lesson focus: Work together to spread the Gospel.*  
**Acts 18:1-3** (Paul Meets Priscilla and Aquila), **18-21** (Priscilla and Aquila Join Paul), **24-26** (Priscilla and Aquila Teach Apollos)
- Feb 28** “Called to Serve” *Lesson focus: Don't let worldly divisions limit your service.*  
**Acts 16:11-15, 40** (Lydia and Her Household Accept the Lord), **1 Corinthians 1:26-27** (God Chooses the Foolish Things), **28-30** (No One May Boast)