

ST. HEDWIG BIBLE STUDY
THE PROPHETS
LESSON 11
NAHUM

Read the Introduction to the Book of the Prophet Nahum in your Bible [different versions of the Bible might have different dates, timelines, facts and comments]

- 1a. When was this Book written and basically to whom?
- b. What do we know about the author?
2. Most Bible introductions describe the two nations to whom the author addresses this letter. What facts do we learn or know about them?
3. Read Nahum 1:1-5. What do these verses indicate about the power of God?
4. Read Nahum 1:6-8. What contrast do you note in these verses?
5. Read Nahum 1:9-15 [NAB: vss. 1:9-2:1 (verses out of order: vs. 11 follows vs.13)]. From these verses try to identify to whom the Lord is speaking – and what words are spoken regarding each.
6. Read Nahum 2:1-13 [NAB: 2:2-14 (verses out of order: vs.2 follows vs. 3)]. To whom are these words directed, do you think?
7. Read Nahum 3:1-19. What is the final verdict against the nation?

For additional study look up the references in your Bible any or all verses and write some thoughts and/or reflections on them.

Are there any verses in this lesson that are familiar to or significant for you?

How do you think this lesson is applicable for today?