Review Questions

- 1. How many men were killed in the first battle at Ai? About 36 men.
- 2. Why did Israel lose the first battle at Ai? Because of Achan's sin.
- 3. What items did Achan take? Cloak, silver, and a bar of gold.
- 4. Name a commandment that Achan broke. You shall not covet.
- 5. Name another commandment Achan broke. You shall not steal.
- 6. Where did Achan hide the things he took from Jericho? In a hole under his tent.
- 7. What did the Israelites have to do before God would help them win any more battles? *Punish/destroy Achan and his family.*
- 8. How did Israel defeat Ai in the second battle? What strategy did they use? Ambush and diversion by leading Ai's men away while the others burned the city then closed in from behind.
- 9. What did the Gibeonites do to the Israelites that made them end up as their servants? *Tricked Israel into making a promise of peace with them.*
- 10. Who came to save the Gibeonites from the angry Amorite kings and their armies? Joshua and his army.
- 11. God helped Israel by making the kings and their armies panic. Then what did God throw down on them? *Hailstones*.
- **12.** The Amorites were running away when Joshua prayed. What did he ask God to do? *Make the sun stand still so the enemy couldn't hide at night, and he could catch them.*
- 13. How long did God keep the sun up for Joshua? About a day.
- 14. What did Israel's victory over the five kings help them do? Take over a large amount of the land.
- **15.** What lesson did Israel learn from Achan's sin and the battle at Ai? As long as they obeyed, God would fight for them.
- **16. Who can fill in the missing words from our memory verse?** Allow several students to give the missing words (but change up the blanks each time). Joshua 1:9 "Have I not commanded you? Be ______ (strong) and _____ (courageous). Do not be frightened, and do not be dismayed, for the LORD your God is with you wherever you go." (ESV)