

Review Questions

1. What prophet did we read about today? *Amos.*
2. Why is the book of Amos in the minor prophets? Is his message less important than the major prophets? *No, his message from God is just as important. The word minor just means the book is shorter than the major ones.*
3. What was Amos' job before God called him to be a prophet? *Shepherd, farmer.*
4. What nation did God send Amos to? *Northern nation of Israel.*
5. Where was Amos from? *Judah.*
6. What had the Israelites been doing for 250 years? *Sinning against God.*
7. How can God punish sin since he is a God of love? *God is loving, but he is also just and must punish sin.*
8. What word means an enemy, one who opposes? *Adversary.*
9. Why did God say he would send an adversary against Israel? *Because they refused to repent of their sins.*
10. What punishment was Amos referring to when he said the people had "cleanness of teeth"? *Lack of food/bread; a famine.*
11. What punishment did God send to devour the people's crops? *Locusts.*
12. Name another warning God sent that the Israelites ignored. *Drought (lack of rain), blight, mildew, war, pestilence.*
13. Why had God sent these punishments? What did he want the people to do? *Return to him; repent of their sins.*
14. Because the Israelites refused to repent, what adversary would God send against them? *The Assyrians.*
15. What lesson can we learn from God's warnings in the book of Amos? What do we need to prepare for? *God's coming judgment.*
16. What is the only way we can be saved from the punishment of our sins? *Repent and trust in Jesus to save us.*
17. If we are repentant, how should we respond when God corrects us or shows us sin in our lives? *Ask for forgiveness and turn from the sin; stop doing it.*
18. What attribute of God means that he is all-knowing: omnipotent, omniscient, or omnipresent? *Omniscient.*
19. What book of the Bible is our new memory verse from? *Proverbs.*
20. According to the memory verse, who does God reprove? *Him who he loves.*