

Using your Bible, fill in the blanks below and answer the thought questions about choosing while you are young. Please bring this back to class next week with your Bible.

1. Josiah was _____ year old when he became king, and he reigned in Jerusalem _____ years.
2. Josiah's mother's name was _____.
3. King Josiah sent _____ to the temple of the Lord.
4. Shaphan was to go to _____ the high priest and have him get the money ready.
5. The men appointed to supervise the work on the temple were to pay the workers who repair the temple of the Lord --- the _____, the _____ and the _____.
6. The Book of the Law was found in the _____.
7. _____ tore his robes when he heard the words of the Book of the Law.
8. The king gave orders to _____, _____, _____, _____, and _____ to go and inquire of the Lord about what was written in the Book of the Law.
9. The five went to speak to the prophetess _____.
10. This is what the LORD says: I am going to bring _____ on this place and its people.

Some Thoughts for You.

Isn't it good to know that the world has people in it that can change? Josiah was a person like that. Even though he was a pretty good Young man, he found out he could do better, and he did.

1. Do you have a dream of being something great? Whatever your dream is, make sure God is in on it. Think about your dream again, will God fit anywhere in there?
2. Mentally, walk through the 4 C's as you study the life of Josiah. Do you personally consider your choices, Compare your attitudes and actions to God, Commit to God's ways, and then Count on God to protect and provide for you? Josiah almost fits this to a "T". How about you?
3. If you were told to give up all your CD's, all your "best" clothes, all your cool friends, even your family to do something, would you do it? This was the question from last week. How did you do on it? If you can't let some of this go, or if it is controlling your life, then you might just have an "idol" on your hands. Would you let this replace God in your heart? Get a heart checkup this week. How are you doing?