Year 7 RS Unit 2: Old Testament Prophets

	for a good reason Sin - to break God's rules Commandment - a law from God
•	<u>Abraham</u>
	 An honest man, who demonstrated throughout his long life continued trust in God. Forms The Covenant with God: in return for his worship and following of God's rules he will be made 'the father of nations' and be given a land of his own.

Prophet - person chosen to speak for God

Covenant - a promise made between God

Sacrifice - to give up something important

Expert Vocabulary

and humankind

Adam

- The first human and prophet.
- Lived in the Garden of Eden.
- Created by God as the apex of creation.
- Along with Eve He disobeyed God by eating from the Tree of Knowledge of Good and Evil.
- Was cast out of Eden as punishment.
 - Serves as a warning to believers to not disobey God but also a reminder of God's forgiveness

Noah

- An honest man who God chose to save from the Flood, which was designed to wash away the sins and bad people of the world.
- Constructed the Ark, in which his family sheltered, along with a selection of
- animals to repopulate the earth. Made a covenant with God that He would never again flood the world.
- Serves as a reminder to listen to God and that God will save the righteous.

Tasked with sacrificing his beloved son, Isaac, but his faith is rewarded when God reveals He never intended to have the boy die. His trust in God is what we can take from his story.

Moses

in the Egyptian royal family. Forced to flee after murdering a guard.

Born a slave, saved from death and raised

- Encounters God in the Burning Bush and is tasked with returning to Egypt to save the Israelites, his people, from slavery.
- Calls down the 10 Plagues to punish Egypt and frees the slaves.
- Is given the 10 Commandment; the main laws of God.
- Believers remember his bravery and determination.

David

enemy, through his faith in God. Becomes the greatest king of Israel,

Shepherd boy, who defeats Goliath, an

- building Jerusalem and dedication it to God.
 - Falls from grace with his illicit affair with another man's wife and subsequent conspiracy to have him killed.
 - He is called out for his crimes and begs forgiveness from God.
- He is a warning that even the great are only on bad decision from failure.