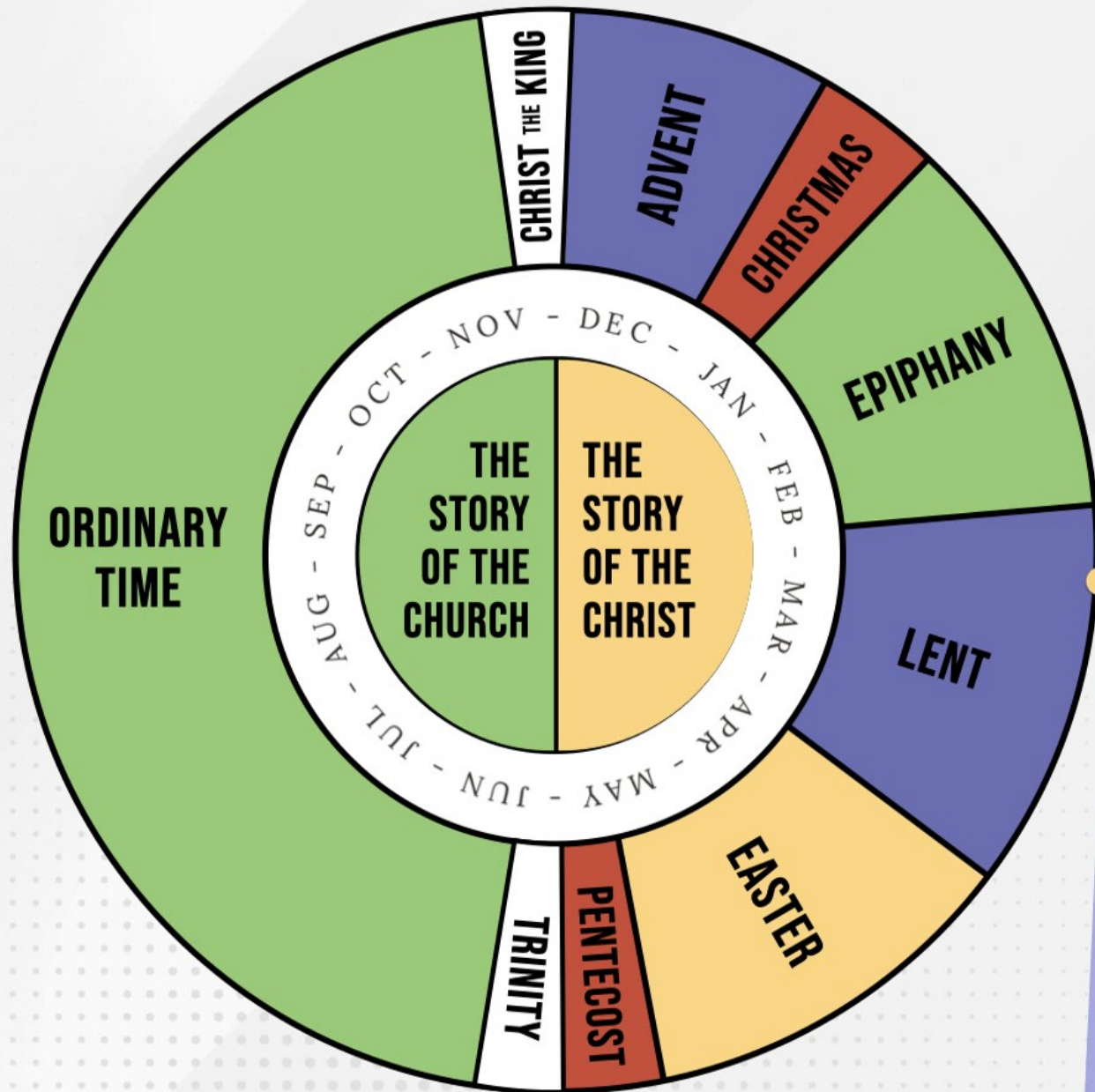


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THE SEASONS OF THE CHRISTIAN CALENDAR



Advent: Anticipation
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Epiphany: Revelation

**CYCLE OF
LIGHT**

*GOD
with us*

Lent: Crucifixion
Easter: Resurrection
Pentecost: Ascension

**CYCLE OF
LIFE**

*GOD
for us*

Trinity: Magnification
Ordinary Time: Mission
Christ the King: Conclusion

**CYCLE OF
LOVE**

*GOD
in us*

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Jesus fulfills & exceeds every template that humankind has for a Savior. He embodies the concept of Rescuer perfectly & eternally.

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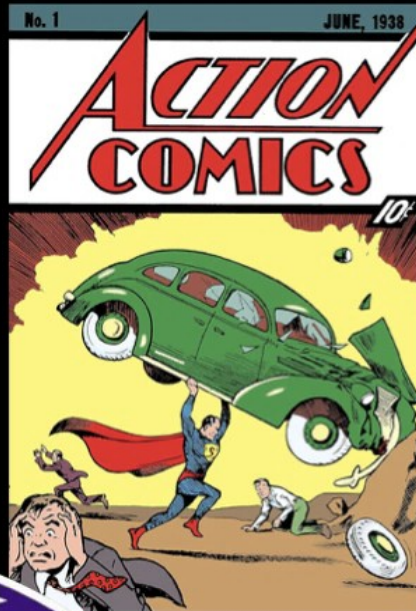


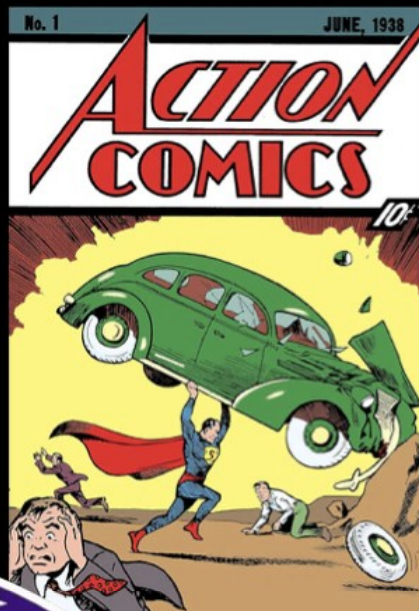
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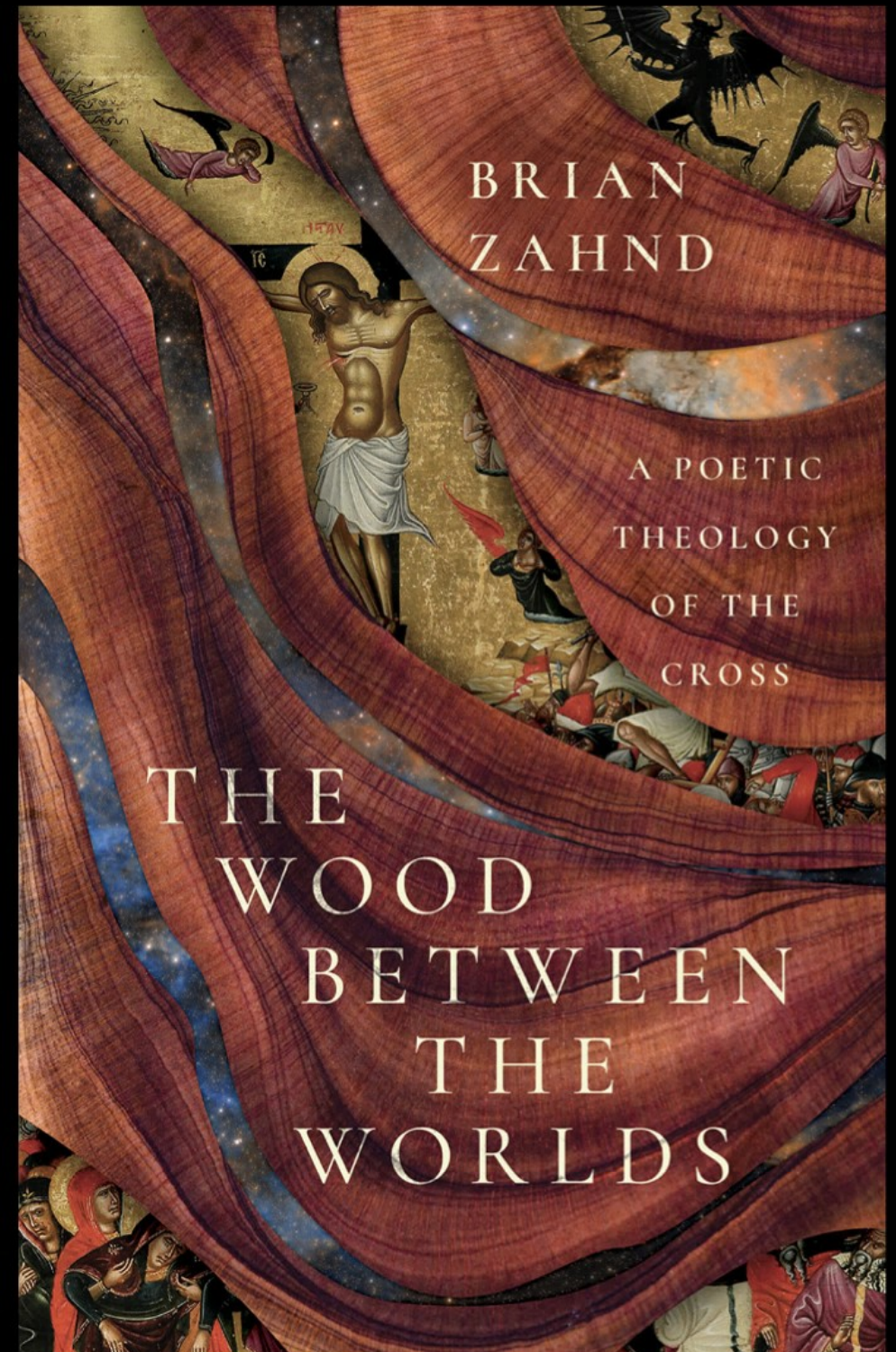
JERRY SIEGEL
(Born in Cleveland, Ohio)
Creator of Superman

JOE SHUSTER
(Born in Toronto, Ont.)
Artist of Superman





For the early church, martyrdom was an existential reality and an ever-present possibility. This continues to be the case for millions of Christians living in authoritarian regimes and religious cultures hostile to their faith. But for many American Christians, martyrdom is viewed not only as unthinkable, but perhaps even as disgraceful. Americans are so smitten with the lore of cowboy justice, where all wrongs are set right by a hero with a trusty six-shooter, that the notion of dying instead of killing is perceived as weak and ignoble.



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DEUTERONOMY 18:15,17-19

¹⁵ The Lord your God will raise up for you a prophet like me from among you, from your fellow Israelites. You must listen to him... ¹⁷ The Lord said to me: "What they say is good. ¹⁸ I will raise up for them a prophet like you from among their fellow Israelites, and I will put my words in his mouth. He will tell them everything I command him. ¹⁹ I myself will call to account anyone who does not listen to my words that the prophet speaks in my name."



— ACTS 3:22-24 —

22 For Moses said, 'The Lord your God will raise up for you a prophet like me from among your own people; you must listen to everything he tells you. 23 Anyone who does not listen to him will be completely cut off from their people.' 24 "Indeed, beginning with Samuel, all the prophets who have spoken have foretold these days."



— ACTS 7:37 —

37 "This is the Moses who told the Israelites, 'God will raise up for you a prophet like me from your own people.'



JOHN 5:39-40,45-47

³⁹ "You search the Scriptures because you think that in them you have eternal life; and it is they that bear witness about me, ⁴⁰ yet you refuse to come to me that you may have life... ⁴⁵ Do not think that I will accuse you to the Father. There is one who accuses you: Moses, on whom you have set your hope. ⁴⁶ For if you believed Moses, you would believe me; for he wrote of me. ⁴⁷ But if you do not believe his writings, how will you believe my words?"



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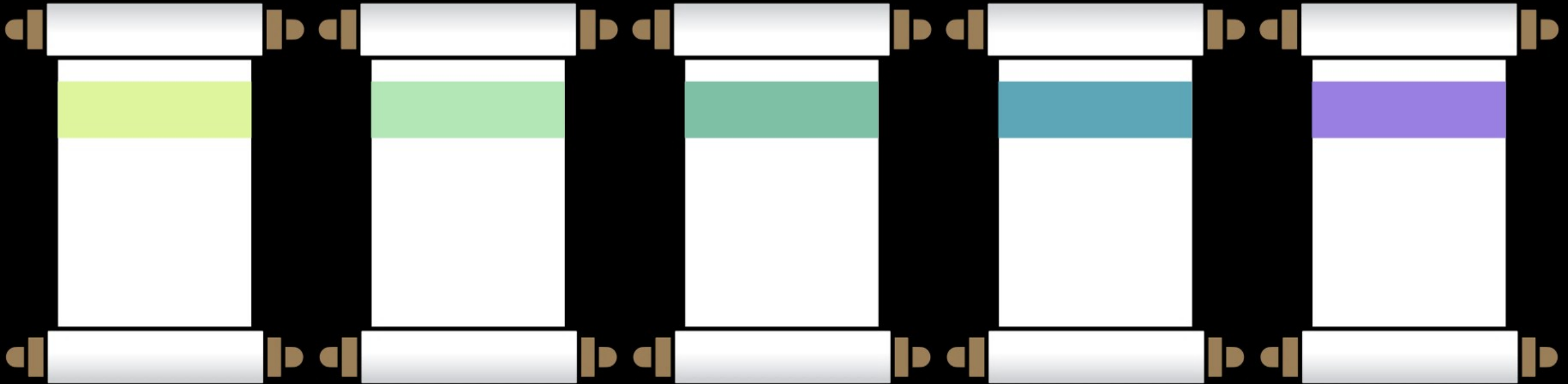
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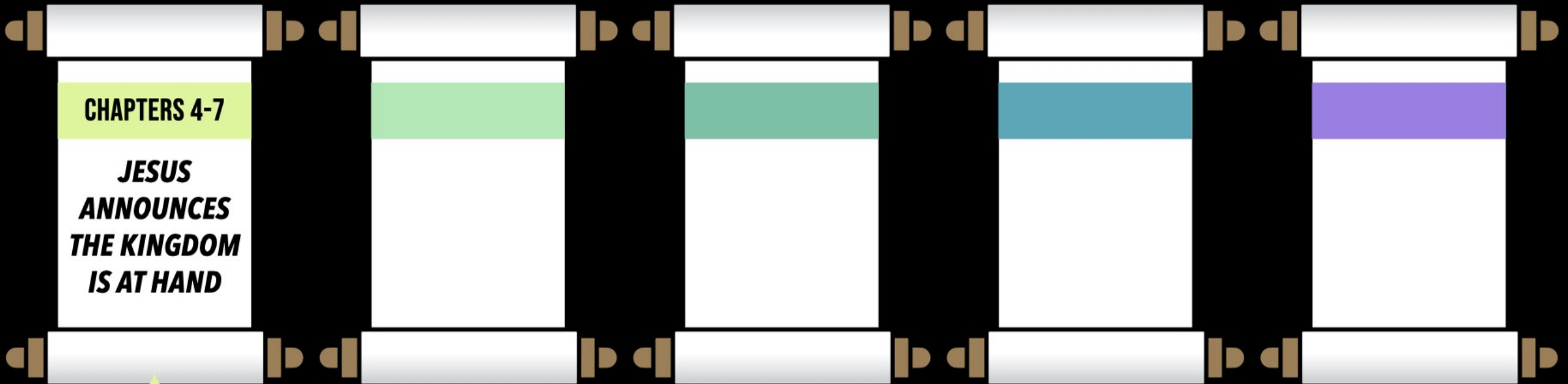


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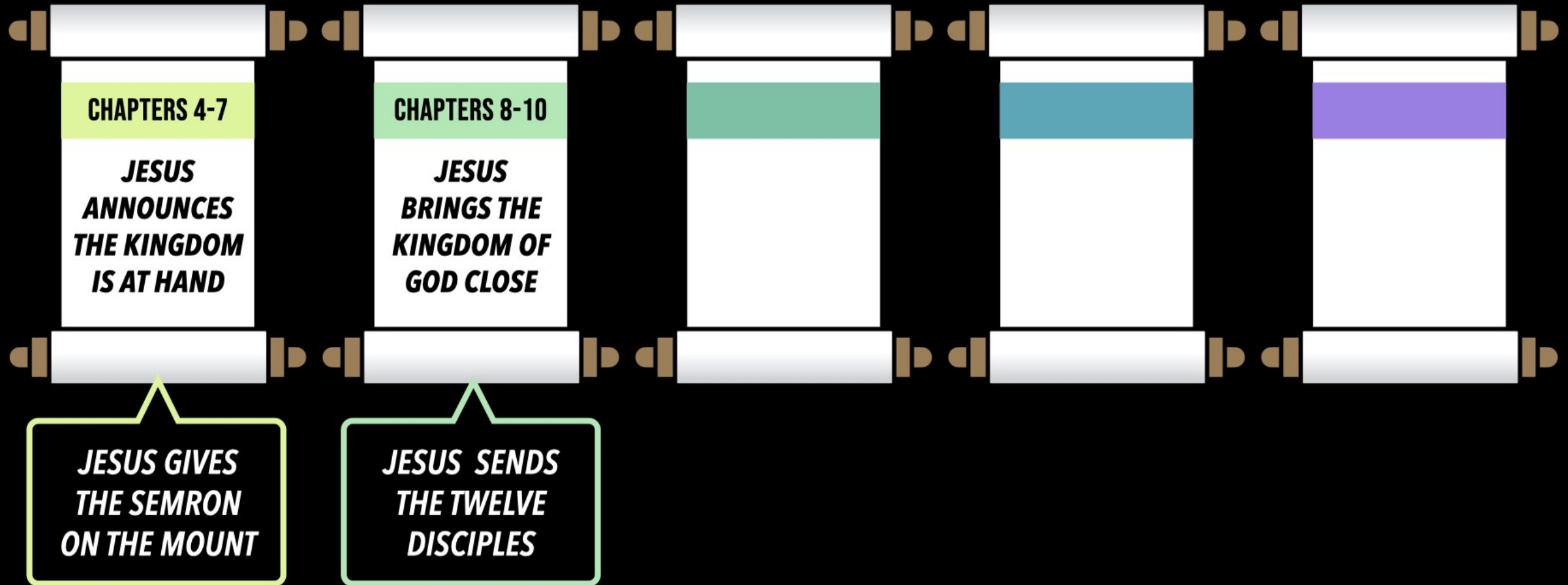
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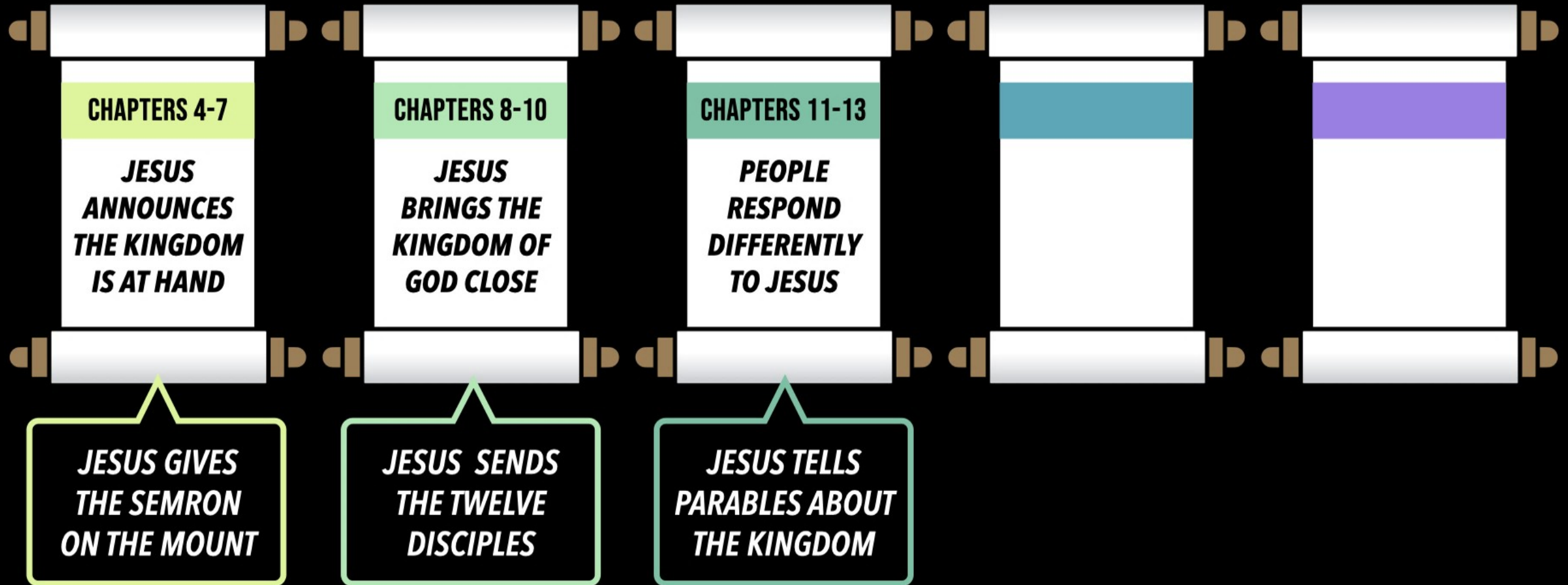


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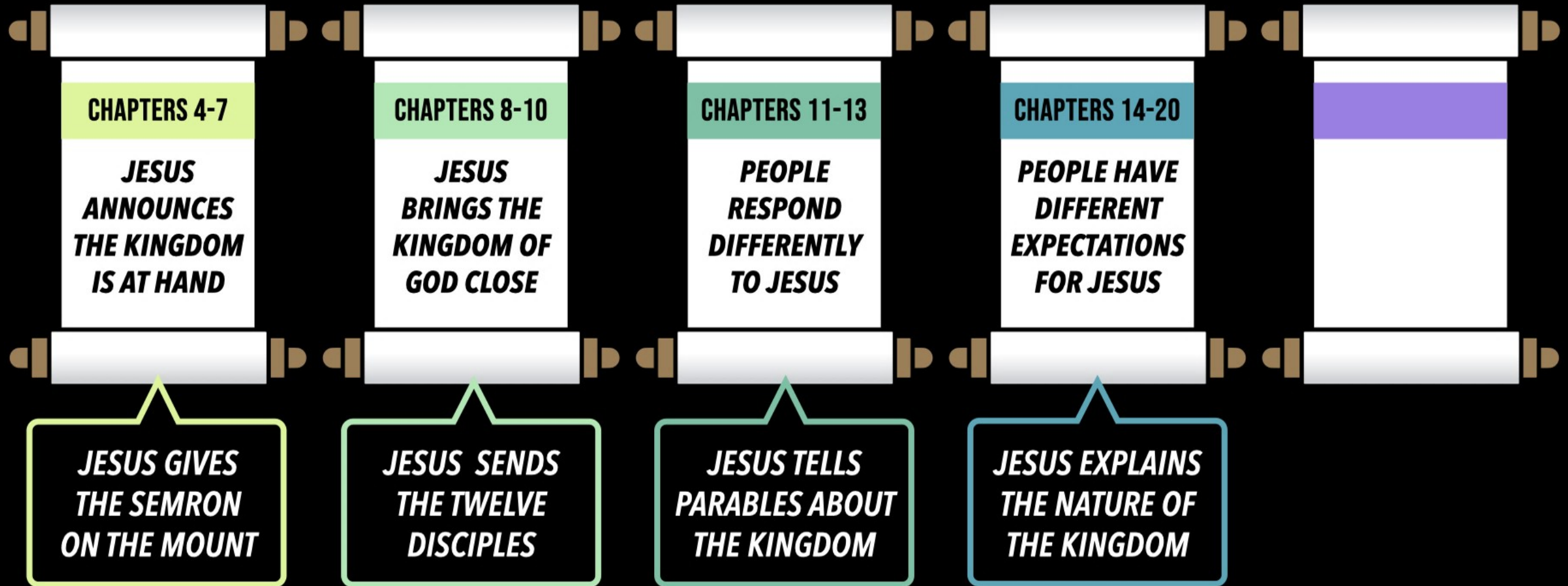


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HEBREWS 3:1-6

¹ Therefore, holy brothers and sisters, who share in the heavenly calling, fix your thoughts on Jesus, whom we acknowledge as our apostle and high priest. ² He was faithful to the one who appointed him, just as Moses was faithful in all God's house. ³ Jesus has been found worthy of greater honor than Moses, just as the builder of a house has greater honor than the house itself.



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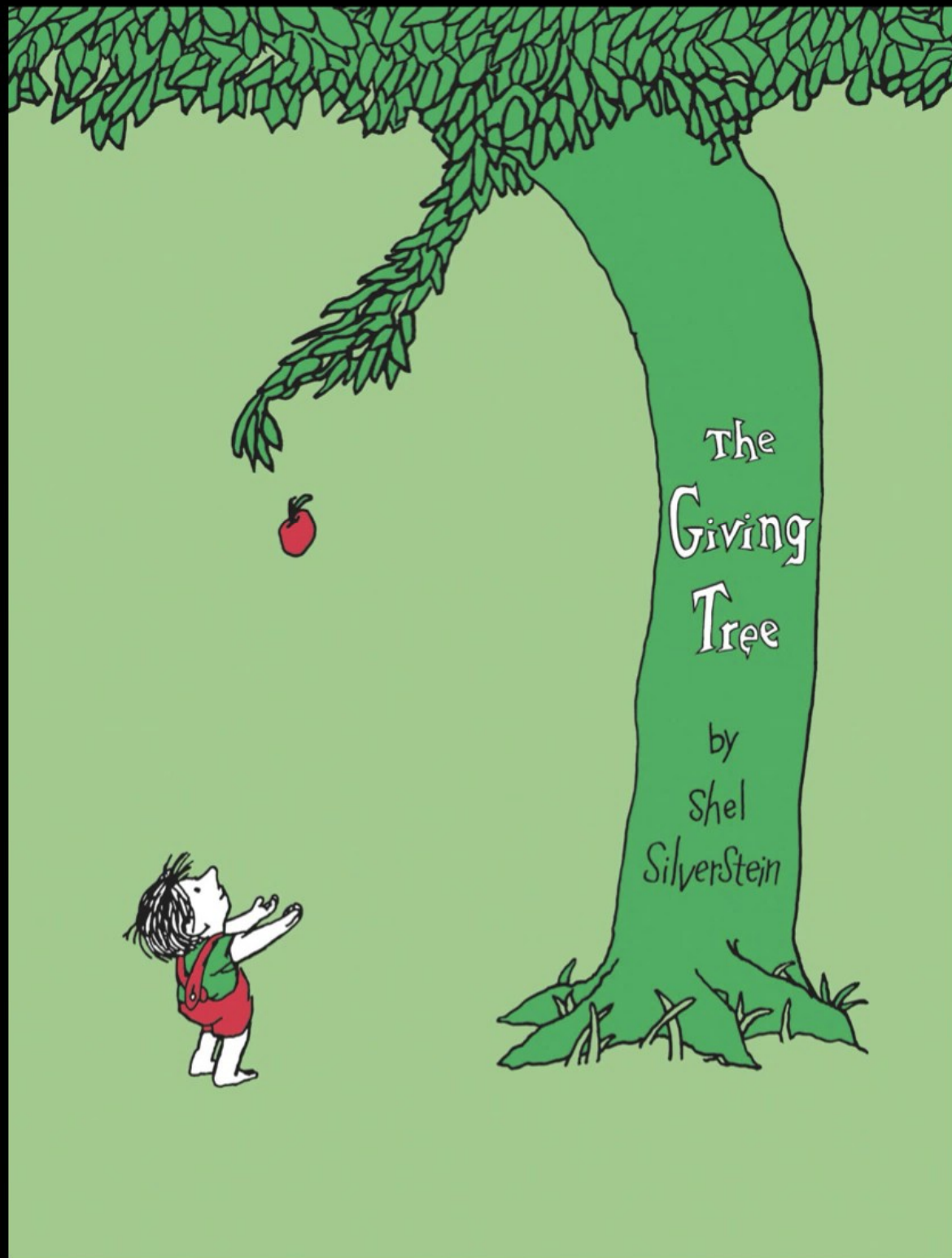
⁴ For every house is built by someone, but God is the builder of everything. ⁵ "Moses was faithful as a servant in all God's house," bearing witness to what would be spoken by God in the future. ⁶ But Christ is faithful as the Son over God's house. And we are his house, if indeed we hold firmly to our confidence and the hope in which we glory.



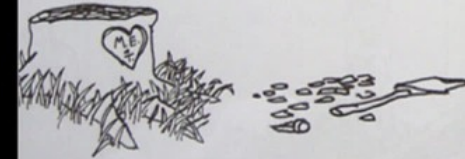
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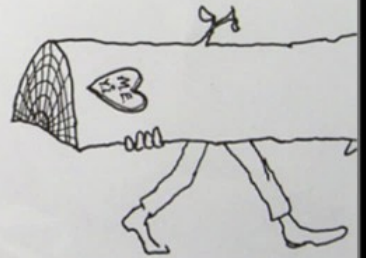
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And so the boy cut down her trunk



and made a boat and sailed away.



"I don't need very much now,"
said the boy,
"just a quiet place to sit and rest.
I am very tired."
"Well," said the tree,
straightening herself up
as much as she could,
"well, an old stump is good
for sitting and resting.
Come, Boy, sit down.
Sit down and rest."



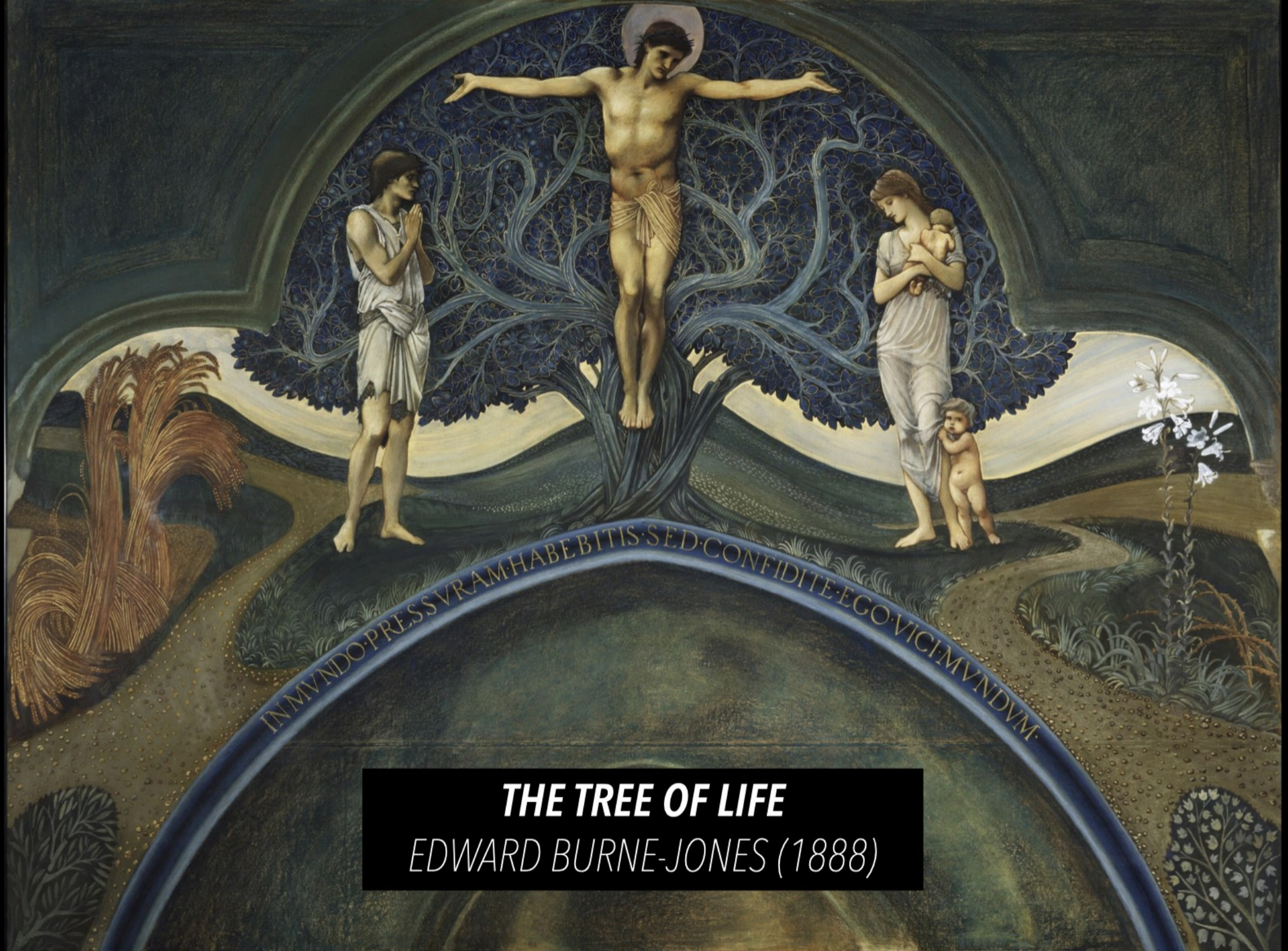
And the boy did.



**CRUCIFIXION, ALLEGORY OF REDEMPTION, MYSTERY
OF THE FALL, AND THE REDEMPTION OF MAN**
GIOVANNI DA MODENA (1420)



CROSS OF CREATION
WINFIELD BEVINS (2022)



THE TREE OF LIFE
EDWARD BURNE-JONES (1888)



**JESUS CHRIST, SON OF GOD, ASSEMBLING
& PROTECTING HUMANITY THROUGH HIS
SACRIFICE ON THE CROSS**

FRANS FLORIS (1562)

DEUTERONOMY 21:22-23

22 And if a man has committed a crime punishable by death and he is put to death, and you hang him on a tree, 23 his body shall not remain all night on the tree, but you shall bury him the same day, for a hanged man is cursed by God. You shall not defile your land that the Lord your God is giving you for an inheritance.



GALATIANS 3:13

*13 Christ redeemed us from the curse of the law
by becoming a curse for us—for it is written,
"Cursed is everyone who is hanged on a tree."*



2 CORINTHIANS 5:21

21 For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.



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A photograph of several people sitting around a light-colored wooden table. Their hands are clasped together on the table in a gesture of prayer or solidarity. The lighting is warm and soft, creating a peaceful atmosphere. A semi-transparent teal banner is overlaid across the middle of the image, containing white text.

Pray with us.

Find someone with an “I’ll pray” sticker.
(Stickers are available at the tables in back.)

Prayer Team members are in the front,
in the back by the Care Room, and in the balcony.