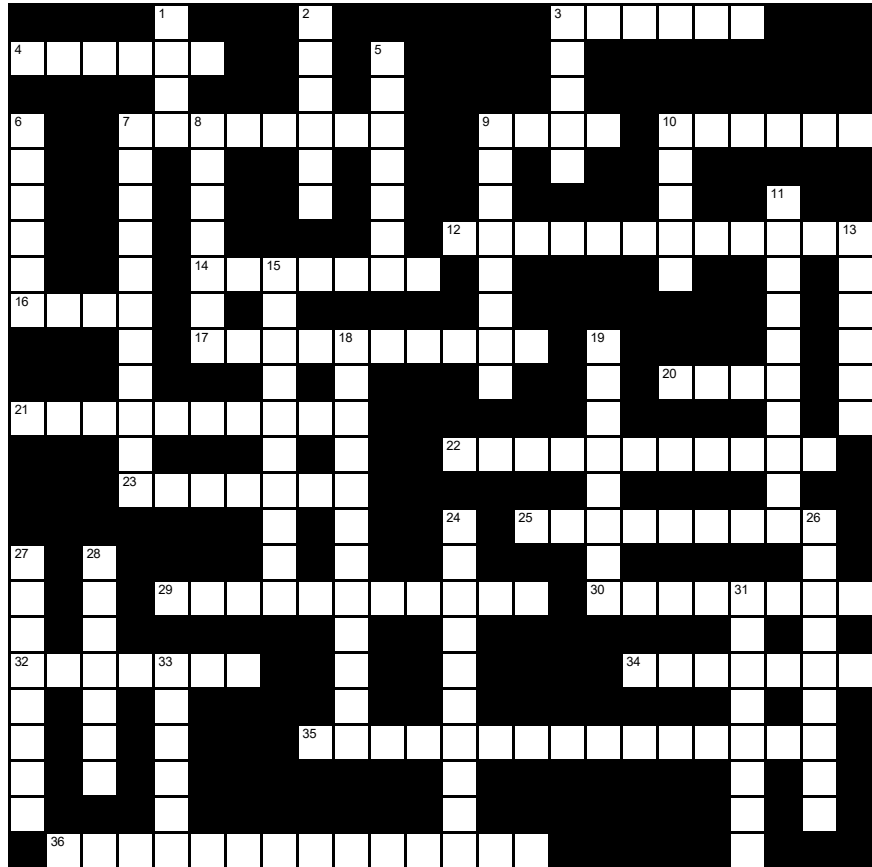


## Chapter 2 *The Old Testament Our Call to Faith and Justice*

### Across

- 3 The historical books tell about the history of Israel first as a collection of \_\_\_\_ (6)
- 4 The \_\_\_\_ books in the Old Testament include the Books of Job, Psalms, Proverbs, Ecclesiastes, Song of Songs, Wisdom, and Sirach (6)
- 7 This empire practiced a military technique of removing their captives to guarantee conquered territories would never again be able to offer resistance (8)
- 9 The most popular god of the Canaanites was the god who brought rain and thus provided for fertile grounds (4)
- 10 Old Testament book that formally introduces the Chosen People (6)
- 12 An ancient form of Egyptian writing, more stylized than pictograms but not based on an alphabet (12)
- 14 During the Easter Vigil, the Church commemorates the important events in salvation history that prefigured the mystery and sacrament of \_\_\_\_ (7)
- 16 Tradition holds that he was Israel's first king (4)
- 17 A blending of two or more religious traditions (10)
- 20 People in Judah later came to be called "Judeans" or "\_\_\_\_" for short (4)
- 21 The earliest form of writing, in which pictures represented words or ideas (10)
- 22 Large settlements were established near the Tigris and Euphrates Rivers in \_\_\_\_ and the Nile in Egypt (11)
- 23 The historical, cultural, social, or political circumstances surrounding an event or record (7)
- 25 David established this as his capital city and extended Israelite political influence eastward across the Jordan (9)
- 29 A term that refers to events or objects that date to a time before the development of writing and the existence of written records (11)
- 30 A group migration or flight away from the homeland into one or more other countries (8)
- 32 A prophet active among the Babylonian exiles (7)
- 34 The "\_\_\_\_ year" was to provide for the return of all purchased land to the original tribal owners, thus preventing a growing rift between the rich and poor (7)
- 35 This land bridge between the two great civilizations is part of what is known as the \_\_\_\_ (7,8)
- 36 \_\_\_\_ can provide clues about the land of Palestine before the arrival of the Israelites. (14)



### Down

- 1 The "twelve tribes of Israel" named for the twelve \_\_\_\_ of Jacob (4)
- 2 He is credited with initiating a major reform among the Hebrews in Judah, centralizing all worship in Jerusalem and restoring a purer form of YHWH worship (6)
- 3 The Hebrew word for "Law" (5)
- 5 The Book of \_\_\_\_ is best treated as a religiously motivated story of the origin of the Hebrew people and their arrangement in "clans" (7)
- 6 The largest body of religious poetry in the Bible is the Book of \_\_\_\_ (6)
- 7 The word meaning "unveiling" (11)
- 8 People trained to write using the earliest forms of writing before literacy was widespread (7)
- 9 The largest motivation for writing was not spiritual or religious, but related to \_\_\_\_ and military needs (8)
- 10 The beginning of the Babylonian \_\_\_\_ apparently involved only the upper classes (5)
- 11 The name Palestine derives from "\_\_\_\_" (10)
- 13 Another name for Palestine (6)
- 15 Means "five books" (10)
- 18 Features the same text in two Egyptian languages, including hieroglyphic, and also Ancient Greek, allowing Greek readers to work out the Egyptian translation (7,5)
- 19 God \_\_\_\_ the authors of Scripture (8)
- 24 Many Canaanites converted to the religion of YHWH and called themselves "\_\_\_\_" to make it clear they no longer worshipped Baal and Asherah (10)
- 26 The \_\_\_\_ is the oldest reference to the Israelites in existence (9)
- 27 A prophet who felt the tragic duty to proclaim to Israel that God had ordained the Babylonian Exile (8)
- 28 The Canaanite goddess of fertility sometimes called the "Queen of Heaven" (7)
- 31 Historical stories or myths about the origins of the earth, humans, other creatures, languages, and cultures (8)
- 33 This second section of the Prophet \_\_\_\_ contains one of the most important images in the book, that of the "Suffering Servant" (6)