JEREMIAH'S CALL AND ARREST

Jeremiah 1:6-10, 26:8-9, 12-15

Lesson Aim: To understand Jeremiah's divine call, the opposition he faced, and his faithful response, so that believers may stand with courage when facing challenges.

Key Verse: "The Lord said to me, "Do not say, 'I am too young.' You must go to everyone I send you to and say whatever I command you."

- Jeremiah 1:7

Lesson Concepts:

- **1.** Although we may feel inadequate, God promises to put His words in our mouths. (vv. 1:6-9)
- 2. God's call carries both authority and responsibility to eradicate sin and build up righteousness. (v. 1:10)
- 3. Speaking God's truth often causes hostility and rejection, as it confronts sin and challenges our comfort zone. (vv. 26:8-9)
- 4. When we declare God's Word we can stand firm. (v. 26:12)
- 5. When we repent of our sins, God is compassionate and won't punish. (v. 26:13)
- 6. Remain humble in the midst of judgement; never compromise the truth even when at personal risk. (vv.26:14-15)