Unit 4 Web-Based Resources and Videos

General Resources

The Bible Project Videos, Vocabulary, Reading Strategies

* <https://thebibleproject.com/>

The Bible Project presents a series of free animated videos that focus on various biblical books  
(or categories of books), biblical vocabulary, and strategies for reading the Bible effectively and accurately.

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The Western Wall Webcam

* <https://english.thekotel.org/>

The Western Wall in Jerusalem, also known as the Wailing Wall or the Kotel, is the last remaining part of the Second Temple (i.e., the Temple rebuilt by the returning exiles and later destroyed by the Romans). It is considered to be the holiest site in Judaism. Visitors to the website of the Western Wall Heritage Foundation can view the Wall on a webcam, write a prayer that staff in Jerusalem will print out and place in the Wall, and learn more about both the historical and contemporary significance of this sacred place.

Padlet

* [https://padlet.com](https://padlet.com/)

Padlet is a tool for online collaborative brainstorming. The person who creates the Padlet invites others to contribute; all participants view one another’s responses in real time.

Chapter 13

*Hevruta*

* [www.smp.org/search/?s=resources&q=TX001321&x=0&y=0](http://www.smp.org/search/?s=resources&q=TX001321&x=0&y=0)

This article provides more information about *Hevruta* as a pedagogical strategy.

The Death Penalty

* <https://deathpenaltyinfo.org/documents/FactSheet.pdf>

The Death Penalty Information Center offers some helpful statistics that highlight the injustices of the death penalty.

Artistic Images

* <http://www.abcgallery.com/>
* <https://www.wikiart.org/>

These websites offer online databases of paintings and other artistic images, which are searchable by genre, media, artist, and time period.

Videos and Images of Biblical Characters

* <https://theglorystory.com/>

The Glory Story offers image sets and videos featuring biblical characters and stories.

Chapter 14

Socratic Seminars

* [www.facinghistory.org/resource-library/teaching-strategies/socratic-seminar](https://www.facinghistory.org/resource-library/teaching-strategies/socratic-seminar)
* <http://minds-in-bloom.com/5-steps-to-successful-socratic-seminar_29/>

These two articles provide more information about using Socratic seminars as a pedagogical strategy.

Video: “Turn! Turn! Turn!” by the Byrds

* [www.smp.org/resourcecenter/resource/7859/](https://www.smp.org/resourcecenter/resource/7859/)

This short video discusses the Book of Ecclesiastes and ends with some excerpts of a music video of the 1970s song “Turn! Turn! Turn!” by the Byrds, which is based on Ecclesiastes 3:1–8.