

Read Joel chapter 1 and answer the questions.

Joel is a minor prophet predicting future judgments on the nation of Israel.

1. From vs. 1, what does it mean the word of the Lord came to Joel?
2. What great disaster has already happened?
3. Why is it important to recall God's past judgments?
4. There are two basis interpretations of the locust plague in chapter 1. Do you think it is a literal locust invasion of locust or an allegory for a invading army?
5. Describe this enemy.
6. Describe the total devastation by this invasion from vs. 7,10 ,11 &12.
7. What is the response from the people?
8. What does Joel tell the people to do in vs.14?
9. What should your response be when you are in a very difficult situation?
10. What is the day of the Lord from vs. 15?
11. What verse indicates a scene more awesome than even a plague of locust could produce?
12. When in the future do you think this judgment described will happen?

