

Dear parents/guardians/grandparents,

The next symbol we are looking at is the Alpha and the Omega. Alpha is the first letter in the Greek alphabet and Omega is the last letter. The very last book in the bible is the book of Revelation. In the book of Revelation, God says, "I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End." Chapter 1 verses 8a and again Chapter 22 verse 13.

Name things that identify beginning.

- How does the day start?
- How do the night start?
- How does a story begin?
- What happens at the beginning of the school year?

Name things that identify ending.

- How does the day end?
- How does the night end?
- How does a story finish?
- What happens at the end of the school year?

The story of endings and beginnings is in the Beginner's Bible. Starting on p. 504, please read together the story of John's vision.

- I wonder how John felt seeing the God.
- I wonder what bad things ended.
- I wonder what the new heaven and new earth looked like.
- I wonder how it will feel having Jesus come back in person.

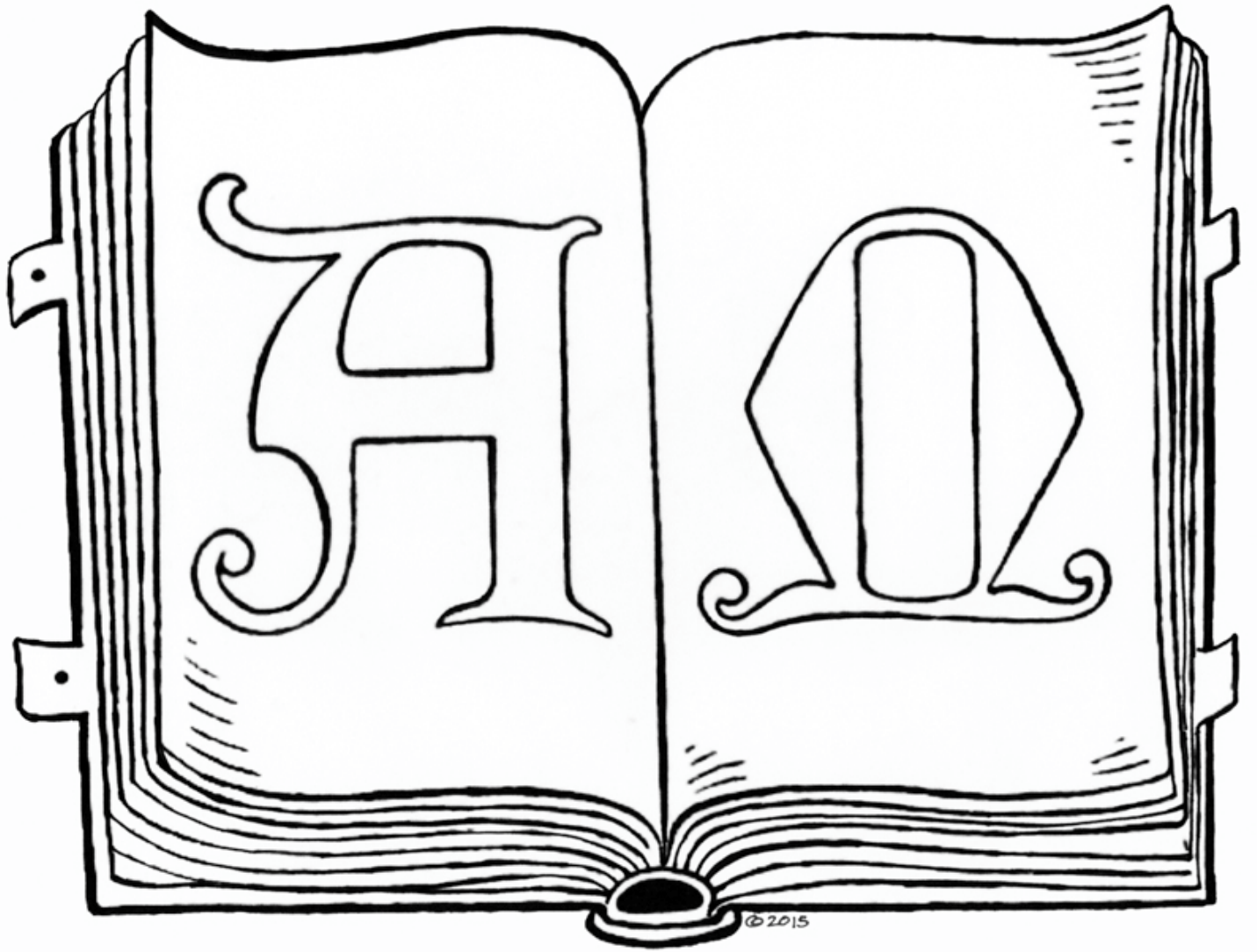
In your packet is a worksheet for making your own timeline of important beginnings and endings and a coloring sheet with the Greek letters on it.

# CREATE YOUR OWN TIMELINE

a timeline of \_\_\_\_\_ life

A horizontal timeline with arrows at both ends. Above the timeline are seven empty circles. Below the timeline are seven vertical boxes, each containing a 'DATE' field, an 'EVENT' field, and four blank lines for notes.

DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE
EVENT	EVENT	EVENT	EVENT	EVENT	EVENT	EVENT



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