Called by God

God called leaders to help the Israelites keep their covenant with God. God calls each member of today's Church to join in the work of the Church.

What do you remember about these early leaders? Identify who was called in each example. Choose from Deborah, Eli, Hannah, Samuel, Saul.

Called to
give birth to a son dedicated to God.

Hannah

Called to
help the Israelites conquer a ruthless Canaanite leader.

Deborah

Called to
become the first king of the Israelites.

Saul

Called to
become a wise leader of his people and a prophet.

Samuel

Called to
live in the Temple and guide a future prophet.

Eli

Write down what you feel called to do as a Catholic witness at this time in your own life.

I am called to e.g., show respect for others and their property, be friendly to peers who are left out, report bullying to responsible adults,

be of service to others

Parents, Catechists, Teachers: Today, each person is the Church has a mission, a calling from God. Whether we belong to the clergy, a religious order, or the laity we all are called to proclaim God’s holy name to help bring about God’s kingdom.