

Daily Bible Reading Plan



2018

The Bible records things that God did and said many years ago. But the Bible teaches us that the things its authors wrote under God's direction are also for us (Rom 15:4; 1 Cor 10:11; 2 Tim 2:14–16). The Bible tells us about God, his world (how it was ruined and how he is repairing it), and our responsibilities in God's world. It is all there to warn us, encourage us, and teach us. We need to know more than just a few favorite verses and Bible stories; we need *all of it*. Reading *the whole Bible*, regularly and repeatedly, will change your life.

This plan is designed to help you read through the Bible in a year. There are readings each day from the Old Testament and New Testaments, with Sunday readings from the Psalms. Some may divide the readings between morning and evening, or even read the Old Testament one year and the New the next. Readings are based on natural divisions in the text, rather than (like many plans) a set number of chapters per day. There are optional additional readings for several holidays (marked †, §, *; see below).

May you grow this year in knowing God as you learn about him and from him through the Bible.

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These suggestions may help as you read.

- *Choose* a place and time to read each day.
- *Pray* for help in understanding.
- *Read* and reread thoughtfully.
- *Write down* what you learn.
- Put what you learn into *practice*.
- Find a *partner*. Pray for each other and share what you learn.
- *Keep going*. The Bible can be difficult, but is always worth it.
- Focus on what you *understand*, not what you don't. The important things are clear.

These questions may help you learn.

1. What do you learn about God? Yourself? Christ? God's grace? God's plan to repair his world?
2. Is there a *truth* to believe? *Promise* to claim? *Sin* to avoid? *Command* to obey? *Example* to follow?
3. What seems to be the *main point*?
4. How does this point *fit* into the book? Into the whole Bible?
5. What is the *most important thing* you need to do? How and when, *exactly*, will you do it?

Optional Additional Readings for Holidays

Easter (Mar.–Apr.)

†30 *Luke 23:26–56*

†31 *Romans 8:1–17*

†1 *Luke 24*

†2 *Acts 2:22–47*

Thanksgiving

§8 *Pss 65, 103* (Oct., Canada)

§22 *Pss 65, 103* (Nov., USA)

Christmas (Dec.)

*23 *Luke 1:26–56*

*24 *Luke 2:1–20*

*25 *Matt 1:18–2:12*

*26 *John 1:1–18*

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January

1	Genesis 1-2	Matthew 1
2	Genesis 3-5	Matthew 2
3	Genesis 6:1-9:17	Matthew 3
4	Genesis 9:18-11:26	Matthew 4
5	Genesis 11:27-14:24	Matthew 5:1-16
6	Genesis 15-17	Matthew 5:17-48
7	Psalms 1-4	
8	Genesis 18-19	Matthew 6:1-18
9	Genesis 20-22	Matthew 6:19-34
10	Genesis 23:1-25:11	Matthew 7:1-29
11	Genesis 25:12-26:35	Matthew 8:1-22
12	Genesis 27-28	Matthew 8:23-9:13
13	Genesis 29-30	Matthew 9:14-38
14	Psalms 5-8	
15	Genesis 31	Matthew 10
16	Genesis 32-34	Matthew 11:1-24
17	Genesis 35-36	Matthew 11:25-12:21
18	Genesis 37-39	Matthew 12:22-50
19	Genesis 40-42	Matthew 13:1-23
20	Genesis 43-45	Matthew 13:24-52
21	Psalms 9-12	
22	Genesis 46-48	Matthew 13:53-14:36
23	Genesis 49-50	Matthew 15:1-28
24	Exodus 1-2	Matthew 15:29-16:12
25	Exodus 3-4	Matthew 16:13-28
26	Exodus 5:1-7:13	Matthew 17:1-23
27	Exodus 7:14-10:29	Matthew 17:24-18:20
28	Psalms 13-17	
29	Exodus 11:1-13:16	Matthew 18:21-19:15
30	Exodus 13:17-15:21	Matthew 19:16-20:16
31	Exodus 15:22-18:27	Matthew 20:17-21:11

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February

1	Exodus 19-21	Matthew 21:12-32
2	Exodus 22-24	Matthew 21:33-22:14
3	Exodus 25-27	Matthew 22:15-46
4	Psalms 18	
5	Exodus 28-29	Matthew 23
6	Exodus 30-31	Matthew 24:1-35
7	Exodus 32-34	Matthew 24:36-25:13
8	Exodus 35-37	Matthew 25:14-46
9	Exodus 38-40	Matthew 26:1-30
10	Leviticus 1-3	Matthew 26:31-56
11	Psalms 19-21	
12	Leviticus 4:1-6:7	Matthew 26:57-75
13	Leviticus 6:8-7:38	Matthew 27:1-31
14	Leviticus 8-10	Matthew 27:32-66
15	Leviticus 11-13	Matthew 28
16	Leviticus 14-15	Mark 1:1-20
17	Leviticus 16-17	Mark 1:21-45
18	Psalms 22-24	
19	Leviticus 18-20	Mark 2:1-22
20	Leviticus 21-23	Mark 2:23-3:35
21	Leviticus 24-25	Mark 4:1-34
22	Leviticus 26-27	Mark 4:35-5:20
23	Numbers 1-2	Mark 5:21-6:6
24	Numbers 3-4	Mark 6:6-29
25	Psalms 25-27	
26	Numbers 5-6	Mark 6:30-56
27	Numbers 7	Mark 7:1-30
28	Numbers 8-10	Mark 7:31-8:21

March

1	Numbers 11-12	Mark 8:22-9:13
2	Numbers 13-14	Mark 9:14-32
3	Numbers 15	Mark 9:33-10:12
4	Psalms 28-30	
5	Numbers 16-17	Mark 10:13-31
6	Numbers 18-19	Mark 10:32-52
7	Numbers 20-21	Mark 11:1-26
8	Numbers 22:1-23:26	Mark 11:27-12:12
9	Numbers 23:27-25:18	Mark 12:13-27
10	Numbers 26-27	Mark 12:28-44
11	Psalms 31-33	
12	Numbers 28-30	Mark 13:1-37
13	Numbers 31-32	Mark 14:1-26
14	Numbers 33-36	Mark 14:27-52
15	Deuteronomy 1	Mark 14:53-72
16	Deuteronomy 2-3	Mark 15:1-41
17	Deuteronomy 4-5	Mark 15:42-16:20
18	Psalms 34-35	
19	Deuteronomy 6:1-9:6	Luke 1:1-25
20	Deuteronomy 9:7-11:32	Luke 1:26-56
21	Deuteronomy 12-13	Luke 1:57-80
22	Deuteronomy 14:1-16:17	Luke 2:1-20
23	Deuteronomy 16:18-19:21	Luke 2:21-52
24	Deuteronomy 20:1-23:14	Luke 3:1-20
25	Psalms 36-37	
26	Deuteronomy 23:15-26:19	Luke 3:21-4:13
27	Deuteronomy 27-28	Luke 4:14-44
28	Deuteronomy 29:1-31:13	Luke 5:1-26
† 29	Deuteronomy 31:14-32:52	Luke 5:27-6:16
† 30	Deuteronomy 33-34	Luke 6:17-36
† 31	Joshua 1-2	Luke 6:37-49

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April

† 1	<i>Luke 24; Romans 8:1-17</i>	
† 2	Joshua 3-6	Luke 7:1-17
3	Joshua 7-8	Luke 7:18-35
4	Joshua 9:1-10:27	Luke 7:36-50
5	Joshua 10:28-12:24	Luke 8:1-21
6	Joshua 13-15	Luke 8:22-39
7	Joshua 16-19	Luke 8:40-56
8	Psalms 38-39	
9	Joshua 20-22	Luke 9:1-17
10	Joshua 23-24	Luke 9:18-36
11	Judges 1:1-3:6	Luke 9:37-62
12	Judges 3:7-5:31	Luke 10:1-24
13	Judges 6-8:21	Luke 10:25-42
14	Judges 8:22-9:57	Luke 11:1-28
15	Psalms 40-41	
16	Judges 10-12	Luke 11:29-12:12
17	Judges 13-15	Luke 12:13-34
18	Judges 16	Luke 12:35-13:9
19	Judges 17-18	Luke 13:10-35
20	Judges 19-21	Luke 14
21	Ruth	Luke 15
22	Psalms 42-44	
23	1 Samuel 1:1-4:1	Luke 16:1-18
24	1 Samuel 4:1-7:17	Luke 16:19-17:10
25	1 Samuel 8-10	Luke 17:11-37
26	1 Samuel 11-12	Luke 18:1-30
27	1 Samuel 13-14	Luke 18:31-19:27
28	1 Samuel 15	Luke 19:28-48
29	Psalms 45-47	
30	1 Samuel 16-17	Luke 20:1-19

May

1	1 Samuel 18-20	Luke 20:20-21:4
2	1 Samuel 21-23	Luke 21:5-38
3	1 Samuel 24-25	Luke 22:1-38
4	1 Samuel 26-28	Luke 22:39-65
5	1 Samuel 29-31	Luke 22:66-23:25
6	Psalms 48-50	
7	2 Samuel 1:1-3:5	Luke 23:26-56
8	2 Samuel 3:6-5:25	Luke 24:1-53
9	2 Samuel 6-7	John 1:1-28
10	2 Samuel 8-10	John 1:29-51
11	2 Samuel 11-12	John 2
12	2 Samuel 13-14	John 3
13	Psalms 51-54	
14	2 Samuel 15-17	John 4:1-42
15	2 Samuel 18-20	John 4:43-5:15
16	2 Samuel 21-22	John 5:16-47
17	2 Samuel 23-24	John 6:1-24
18	1 Kings 1-2	John 6:25-71
19	1 Kings 3-4	John 7:1-24
20	Psalms 55-57	
21	1 Kings 5-7	John 7:25-52
22	1 Kings 8	John 7:53-8:30
23	1 Kings 9-11	John 8:31-59
24	1 Kings 12:1-14:20	John 9
25	1 Kings 14:21-16:34	John 10
26	1 Kings 17-19	John 11:1-44
27	Psalms 58-60	
28	1 Kings 20-21	John 11:45-12:11
29	1 Kings 22	John 12:12-50
30	2 Kings 1-3	John 13:1-17
31	2 Kings 4-5	John 13:18-38

June

1	2 Kings 6:1-8:15	John 14:1-14
2	2 Kings 8:16-10:36	John 14:15-31
3	Psalms 61-64	
4	2 Kings 11-13	John 15:1-17
5	2 Kings 14-15	John 15:18-16:15
6	2 Kings 16-17	John 16:16-33
7	2 Kings 18-19	John 17
8	2 Kings 20-21	John 18:1-27
9	2 Kings 22:1-23:30	John 18:28-19:16
10	Psalms 65-67	
11	2 Kings 23:31-25:30	John 19:16-42
12	1 Chronicles 1-2	John 20
13	1 Chronicles 3-5	John 21
14	1 Chronicles 6	Acts 1
15	1 Chronicles 7-9	Acts 2
16	1 Chronicles 10-12	Acts 3
17	Psalms 68	
18	1 Chronicles 13-16	Acts 4:1-31
19	1 Chronicles 17-20	Acts 4:32-5:16
20	1 Chronicles 21-22	Acts 5:17-42
21	1 Chronicles 23-25	Acts 6:1-15
22	1 Chronicles 26-27	Acts 7:1-29
23	1 Chronicles 28-29	Acts 7:30-8:3
24	Psalms 69-70	
25	2 Chronicles 1:1-5:1	Acts 8:4-40
26	2 Chronicles 5:2-7:22	Acts 9:1-31
27	2 Chronicles 8-9	Acts 9:32-10:8
28	2 Chronicles 10:1-14:1	Acts 10:9-48
29	2 Chronicles 14:2-16:14	Acts 11
30	2 Chronicles 17:1-19:3	Acts 12

July

1	Psalms 71-72	
2	2 Chronicles 19:4-21:3	Acts 13
3	2 Chronicles 21:4-24:27	Acts 14
4	2 Chronicles 25-28	Acts 15:1-35
5	2 Chronicles 29:1-31:1	Acts 15:36-16:15
6	2 Chronicles 31:2-33:25	Acts 16:16-40
7	2 Chronicles 34-36	Acts 17
8	Psalms 73-74	
9	Ezra 1-3	Acts 18:1-22
10	Ezra 4-6	Acts 18:23-19:22
11	Ezra 7-8	Acts 19:23-20:6
12	Ezra 9-10	Acts 20:7-38
13	Nehemiah 1-3	Acts 21:1-26
14	Nehemiah 4-7	Acts 21:27-22:21
15	Psalms 75-77	
16	Nehemiah 8-10	Acts 22:22-23:11
17	Nehemiah 11-13	Acts 23:12-35
18	Esther 1-2	Acts 24
19	Esther 3-7	Acts 25:1-22
20	Esther 8-10	Acts 25:23-26:32
21	Job 1-3	Acts 27
22	Psalms 78	
23	Job 4-7	Acts 28
24	Job 8-10	Romans 1:1-17
25	Job 11-14	Romans 1:18-2:16
26	Job 15-17	Romans 2:17-3:8
27	Job 18-19	Romans 3:9-31
28	Job 20-21	Romans 4
29	Psalms 79-81	
30	Job 22-24	Romans 5
31	Job 25-28	Romans 6:1-7:6

August

1	Job 29-31	Romans 7:7-25
2	Job 32-34	Romans 8:1-17
3	Job 35-37	Romans 8:18-39
4	Job 38:1-40:5	Romans 9:1-29
5	Psalms 82-85	
6	Job 40:5-42:17	Romans 9:30-10:21
7	Proverbs 1-2	Romans 11
8	Proverbs 3-4	Romans 12
9	Proverbs 5-7	Romans 13
10	Proverbs 8-9	Romans 14:1-15:13
11	Proverbs 10-11	Romans 15:14-33
12	Psalms 86-88	
13	Proverbs 12-13	Romans 16
14	Proverbs 14-15	1 Corinthians 1:1-17
15	Proverbs 16-17	1 Corinthians 1:18-2:16
16	Proverbs 18-19	1 Corinthians 3
17	Proverbs 20:1-22:16	1 Corinthians 4
18	Proverbs 22:17-24:34	1 Corinthians 5
19	Psalms 89	
20	Proverbs 25-26	1 Corinthians 6
21	Proverbs 27:1-28:14	1 Corinthians 7
22	Proverbs 28:15-29:27	1 Corinthians 8
23	Proverbs 30-31	1 Corinthians 9
24	Ecclesiastes 1-2	1 Corinthians 10:1-11:1
25	Ecclesiastes 3-4	1 Corinthians 11:2-34
26	Psalms 90-92	
27	Ecclesiastes 5:1-8:1	1 Corinthians 12:1-31
28	Ecclesiastes 8:2-9:12	1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13
29	Ecclesiastes 9:13-12:14	1 Corinthians 14
30	Song of Songs 1:1-5:1	1 Corinthians 15:1-34
31	Song of Songs 5:2-8:14	1 Corinthians 15:35-58

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September

1	Isaiah 1:1-2:5	1 Corinthians 16
2	Psalms 93-96	
3	Isaiah 2:6-4:6	2 Corinthians 1:1-2:11
4	Isaiah 5	2 Corinthians 2:12-3:18
5	Isaiah 6:1-8:18	2 Corinthians 4:1-5:10
6	Isaiah 8:19-10:19	2 Corinthians 5:11-6:13
7	Isaiah 10:20-12:6	2 Corinthians 6:14-7:16
8	Isaiah 13-14	2 Corinthians 8:1-9:15
9	Psalms 97-101	
10	Isaiah 15-17	2 Corinthians 10:1-11:15
11	Isaiah 18-20	2 Corinthians 11:16-12:10
12	Isaiah 21-23	2 Corinthians 12:11-13:13
13	Isaiah 24-27	Galatians 1
14	Isaiah 28-29	Galatians 2
15	Isaiah 30-32	Galatians 3:1-25
16	Psalms 102-104	
17	Isaiah 33-35	Galatians 3:26-4:20
18	Isaiah 36-39	Galatians 4:21-5:12
19	Isaiah 40-41	Galatians 5:13-6:18
20	Isaiah 42:1-44:5	Ephesians 1:1-2:10
21	Isaiah 44:6-45:25	Ephesians 2:11-3:21
22	Isaiah 46-48	Ephesians 4:1-24
23	Psalms 105-106	
24	Isaiah 49-50	Ephesians 4:25-5:21
25	Isaiah 51:1-52:12	Ephesians 5:22-6:24
26	Isaiah 52:13-55:13	Philippians 1:1-26
27	Isaiah 56-57	Philippians 1:27-2:30
28	Isaiah 58-59	Philippians 3:1-4:1
29	Isaiah 60-62	Philippians 4:2-23
30	Psalms 107-108	

October

1	Isaiah 63-64	Colossians 1:1-23
2	Isaiah 65-66	Colossians 1:24-2:23
3	Jeremiah 1:1-3:5	Colossians 3:1-17
4	Jeremiah 3:6-4:31	Colossians 3:18-4:18
5	Jeremiah 5-6	1 Thessalonians 1:1-2:16
6	Jeremiah 7:1-9:6	1 Thessalonians 2:17-4:12
7	Psalms 109-112	
§ 8	Jeremiah 9:7-11:23	1 Thessalonians 4:13-5:28
9	Jeremiah 12-13	2 Thessalonians 1
10	Jeremiah 14-15	2 Thessalonians 2
11	Jeremiah 16-17	2 Thessalonians 3
12	Jeremiah 18-20	1 Timothy 1
13	Jeremiah 21:1-23:8	1 Timothy 2
14	Psalms 113-116	
15	Jeremiah 23:9-24:10	1 Timothy 3
16	Jeremiah 25-26	1 Timothy 4
17	Jeremiah 27-29	1 Timothy 5:1-6:2
18	Jeremiah 30-31	1 Timothy 6:3-21
19	Jeremiah 32-33	2 Timothy 1
20	Jeremiah 34-36	2 Timothy 2
21	Psalms 117-118	
22	Jeremiah 37-38	2 Timothy 3
23	Jeremiah 39-41	2 Timothy 4
24	Jeremiah 42-45	Titus 1
25	Jeremiah 46-48	Titus 2
26	Jeremiah 49	Titus 3
27	Jeremiah 50	Philemon
28	Psalms 119:1-88	
29	Jeremiah 51	Hebrews 1:1-2:4
30	Jeremiah 52	Hebrews 2:5-3:6
31	Lamentations 1-2	Hebrews 3:7-4:13

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November

1	Lamentations 3-5	Hebrews 4:14-5:10
2	Ezekiel 1-3	Hebrews 5:11-6:20
3	Ezekiel 4-7	Hebrews 7
4	Psalms 119:89-176	
5	Ezekiel 8-11	Hebrews 8
6	Ezekiel 12-14	Hebrews 9
7	Ezekiel 15-16	Hebrews 10:1-18
8	Ezekiel 17-18	Hebrews 10:19-39
9	Ezekiel 19-20	Hebrews 11:1-22
10	Ezekiel 21-22	Hebrews 11:23-12:3
11	Psalms 120-124	
12	Ezekiel 23-24	Hebrews 12:4-17
13	Ezekiel 25-26	Hebrews 12:18-29
14	Ezekiel 27-28	Hebrews 13
15	Ezekiel 29-30	James 1
16	Ezekiel 31-32	James 2
17	Ezekiel 33-34	James 3
18	Psalms 125-129	
19	Ezekiel 35-37	James 4
20	Ezekiel 38-39	James 5
21	Ezekiel 40-41	1 Peter 1:1-12
§ 22	Ezekiel 42-44	1 Peter 1:13-2:12
23	Ezekiel 45-46	1 Peter 2:13-3:7
24	Ezekiel 47-48	1 Peter 3:8-4:11
25	Psalms 130-134	
26	Daniel 1-2	1 Peter 4:12-5:14
27	Daniel 3-4	2 Peter 1
28	Daniel 5-6	2 Peter 2
29	Daniel 7-8	2 Peter 3
30	Daniel 9	1 John 1:1-2:6

December

1	Daniel 10-12	1 John 2:7-27
2	Psalms 135-137	
3	Hosea 1-3	1 John 2:28-3:24
4	Hosea 4-7	1 John 4
5	Hosea 8-10	1 John 5
6	Hosea 11-14	2 John
7	Joel 1:1-2:17	3 John
8	Joel 2:18-3:21	Jude
9	Psalms 138-141	
10	Amos 1-2	Revelation 1
11	Amos 3-4	Revelation 2
12	Amos 5-6	Revelation 3
13	Amos 7-9	Revelation 4-5
14	Obadiah	Revelation 6
15	Jonah	Revelation 7:1-8:1
16	Psalms 142-144	
17	Micah 1-3	Revelation 8:2-9:21
18	Micah 4-5	Revelation 10-11
19	Micah 6-7	Revelation 12
20	Nahum	Revelation 13
21	Habakkuk	Revelation 14
22	Zephaniah	Revelation 15-16
* 23	Psalms 145-147	
* 24	Haggai	Revelation 17
* 25	<i>Matthew 1:18-2:12</i>	
* 26	Zechariah 1-4	Revelation 18
27	Zechariah 5-8	Revelation 19
28	Zechariah 9-11	Revelation 20
29	Zechariah 12-14	Revelation 21
30	Psalms 148-150	
31	Malachi	Revelation 22