

BIBLICAL LIBRARY (4)**Prophecy**

Sunday 6 August	Genesis 3:1-15
Monday 7 August	Jonah 3:1-10
Tuesday 8 August	Isaiah 9:2-7
Wednesday 9 August	Psalms 22:1-18
Thursday 10 August	Joel 2:28-32
Friday 11 August	Acts 21:4, 30-36
Saturday 12 August	Mark 13:2-13

PEACEFUL SLEEP

Sunday 13 August	Genesis 2:21-25
Monday 14 August	Psalms 3:1-8
Tuesday 15 August	Proverbs 3:21-26
Wednesday 16 August	Proverbs 24:30-34
Thursday 17 August	Mark 4:35-41
Friday 18 August	Mark 5:35-43
Saturday 19 August	1 Corinthians 15:51-58

READINGS IN 2 CORINTHIANS**1 The God of all comfort and mercy**

Sunday 20 August	2 Corinthians 1:1-14
Monday 21 August	2 Corinthians 1:15-2:11
Tuesday 22 August	2 Corinthians 2:12-3:18
Wednesday 23 August	2 Corinthians 4:1-15
Thursday 24 August	2 Corinthians 4:16-5:13
Friday 25 August	2 Corinthians 5:14-21
Saturday 26 August	2 Corinthians 6:1-7:1

2 Living by God's grace

Sunday 27 August	2 Corinthians 7:2-16
Monday 28 August	2 Corinthians 8:1-9:2
Tuesday 29 August	2 Corinthians 9:3-15
Wednesday 30 August	2 Corinthians 10:1-18
Thursday 31 August	2 Corinthians 11:1-15
Friday 1 September	2 Corinthians 11:16-12:13
Saturday 2 September	2 Corinthians 12:14-13:14

FASTING

Sunday 3 September	Isaiah 58:3-11
Monday 4 September	1 Samuel 14:24-30
Tuesday 5 September	Daniel 1:3-17
Wednesday 6 September	1 Kings 21:20-29
Thursday 7 September	Nehemiah 1:1-2:5
Friday 8 September	Ezra 8:21-23
Saturday 9 September	Acts 13:1-3

THE GOSPEL OF MATTHEW (5)**1 He who comes in the name of the Lord**

Sunday 10 September	Matthew 19:1-15
Monday 11 September	Matthew 19:16-30
Tuesday 12 September	Matthew 20:1-16
Wednesday 13 September	Matthew 20:17-34
Thursday 14 September	Matthew 21:1-11
Friday 15 September	Matthew 21:12-27
Saturday 16 September	Matthew 21:28-46

2 Confrontations

Sunday 17 September	Matthew 22:1-14
Monday 18 September	Matthew 22:15-22
Tuesday 19 September	Matthew 22:23-46
Wednesday 20 September	Matthew 23:1-12
Thursday 21 September	Matthew 23:13-28
Friday 22 September	Matthew 23:29-39
Saturday 23 September	Matthew 28:1-20

SOWING AND REAPING

Sunday 24 September	Psalms 65:9-13
Monday 25 September	Deuteronomy 16:13-15
Tuesday 26 September	Nehemiah 5:1-12
Wednesday 27 September	Ruth 2:2-8
Thursday 28 September	John 4:35-38
Friday 29 September	Galatians 6:7-10
Saturday 30 September	1 Corinthians 15:35-44

BIBLICAL LIBRARY (5)**Narrative**

Sunday 1 October	Acts 1:1-11
Monday 2 October	Acts 10:9-47
Tuesday 3 October	Acts 11:1-30
Wednesday 4 October	Acts 13:13-52
Thursday 5 October	Acts 15:1-29
Friday 6 October	Galatians 2:1-14
Saturday 7 October	2 Peter 3:1-16

ALL ONE IN CHRIST

Sunday 8 October	Genesis 1:26-28
Monday 9 October	Psalms 139:13-16
Tuesday 10 October	John 4:1-14
Wednesday 11 October	Acts 17:24-28
Thursday 12 October	1 Corinthians 9:19-23
Friday 13 October	Galatians 3:26-29
Saturday 14 October	Revelation 7:9-12

APPROACHING LEVITICUS

Sunday 15 October	Luke 2:21-35, 39
Monday 16 October	Leviticus 4:1-35
Tuesday 17 October	Leviticus 9:1-24
Wednesday 18 October	Leviticus 13:1-45
Thursday 19 October	Leviticus 16:1-34
Friday 20 October	Leviticus 25:1-17
Saturday 21 October	Leviticus 27:1-34

READINGS IN ESTHER

Sunday 22 October	Esther 1:1-22
Monday 23 October	Esther 2:1-23
Tuesday 24 October	Esther 3:1-15
Wednesday 25 October	Esther 4:1-17
Thursday 26 October	Esther 5:1-6:14
Friday 27 October	Esther 7:1-8:17
Saturday 28 October	Esther 9:1-10:3

HEALTHY HUMILITY**1 Walk humbly with God**

Sunday 29 October	Luke 1:26-38
Monday 30 October	Psalms 131
Tuesday 31 October	Psalms 146
Wednesday 1 November	Isaiah 57:14-16
(All Saints' Day)	Micah 6:6-8
Thursday 2 November	Job 42:1-6
Friday 3 November	John 13:12-20
Saturday 4 November	

2 'Let the same mind be in you'

Sunday 5 November	John 3:28-31
Monday 6 November	Luke 14:7-14
Tuesday 7 November	Luke 18:9-14
Wednesday 8 November	1 Corinthians 11:17-22
Thursday 9 November	Luke 22:24-27
Friday 10 November	Romans 14:1-6
Saturday 11 November	Luke 1:45-55

HUMAN FRAGILITIES AND FOLLIES

Sunday 12 November	Mark 8:14-21
Monday 13 November	Exodus 32:1-6, 15-24
Tuesday 14 November	Numbers 22:21-35
Wednesday 15 November	Judges 12:4-6
Thursday 16 November	Ezekiel 37:1-14
Friday 17 November	1 Samuel 24:3-7, 11-15
Saturday 18 November	Acts 20:7-12

BIBLICAL LIBRARY (6)**Law**

Sunday 19 November	Deuteronomy 5:1-33
Monday 20 November	Leviticus 1:1-17
Tuesday 21 November	Exodus 21:1-36
Wednesday 22 November	Matthew 5:17-22
Thursday 23 November	Romans 8:1-11
Friday 24 November	Jeremiah 31:23-34
Saturday 25 November	John 13:31-35

HIDDEN HEROES AND HEROINES

Sunday 26 November	Exodus 1:15-21
Monday 27 November	Numbers 27:1-11
Tuesday 28 November	1 Chronicles 12:32
Wednesday 29 November	2 Samuel 21:1-14
Thursday 30 November	1 Chronicles 4:9-10
Friday 1 December	Acts 18
Saturday 2 December	Philippians 2:25-30

EPHESIANS PLUS**1 No longer strangers**

Sunday 3 December	Ephesians 1:1-10
(Advent Sunday)	Ephesians 1:11-14
Monday 4 December	Ephesians 1:15-23
Tuesday 5 December	Ephesians 2:1-10
Wednesday 6 December	Acts 11:1-18
Thursday 7 December	Ephesians 2:11-22
Friday 8 December	Ephesians 3:1-6
Saturday 9 December	

2 A life worthy of your calling

Sunday 10 December	Ephesians 3:7-13
Monday 11 December	Ephesians 3:14-21
Tuesday 12 December	Romans 8:37-39
Wednesday 13 December	Ephesians 4:1-6
Thursday 14 December	Ephesians 4:7-16
Friday 15 December	Ephesians 4:17-24
Saturday 16 December	Ephesians 4:25-32

3 Living in the light

Sunday 17 December	Ephesians 5:1-14
Monday 18 December	1 John 2:7-11
Tuesday 19 December	Ephesians 5:15-21
Wednesday 20 December	Ephesians 5:22-33
Thursday 21 December	Ephesians 6:1-9
Friday 22 December	Ephesians 6:10-17
Saturday 23 December	Ephesians 6:18-24

CHRISTMAS WITH JOHN

Sunday 24 December	John 1:1-9
Monday 25 December	
(Christmas Day)	John 3:16-21
Tuesday 26 December	John 1:10-14
Wednesday 27 December	John 1:29-34
Thursday 28 December	John 1:43-51
Friday 29 December	John 8:12-19
Saturday 30 December	John 5:16-27
Sunday 31 December	John 14:6-14

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Sunday 1 January	Genesis 1:31, 2:1-3
Monday 2 January	Acts 1:1-5
Tuesday 3 January	Colossians 3:12-17
Wednesday 4 January	Proverbs 3:5-8
Thursday 5 January	Isaiah 43:18-21
Friday 6 January (Epiphany)	Luke 13:18-21
Saturday 7 January	Luke 4:16-21

BIBLICAL LIBRARY (1)**Poetry: singing the Lord's song**

Sunday 8 January	Exodus 15:1-18
Monday 9 January	Judges 5:1-12
Tuesday 10 January	Psalms 137:1-9
Wednesday 11 January	Psalms 126
Thursday 12 January	Luke 1:68-79
Friday 13 January	Lamentations 1:1-22
Saturday 14 January	Song of Solomon 2:10-14

THE GOSPEL OF MATTHEW (1)**1 Starting afresh**

Sunday 15 January	Matthew 3:1-6
Monday 16 January	Matthew 3:7-12
Tuesday 17 January	Matthew 3:13-17
Wednesday 18 January	Matthew 4:1-11
Thursday 19 January	Matthew 4:12-17
Friday 20 January	Matthew 4:18-22
Saturday 21 January	Matthew 4:23-25

2 Teaching the kingdom

Sunday 22 January	Matthew 5:1-12
Monday 23 January	Matthew 5:13-16
Tuesday 24 January	Matthew 5:17-20
Wednesday 25 January	Matthew 5:21-26
Thursday 26 January	Matthew 5:27-32
Friday 27 January	Matthew 5:33-42
Saturday 28 January	Matthew 5:43-48

HEALING DIVISIONS

1 Divisions in the Old Testament

Sunday 29 January	Genesis 33:1-11
Monday 30 January	Genesis 50:14-21
Tuesday 31 January	1 Samuel 15:24-31
Wednesday 1 February	1 Samuel 19:1-18
Thursday 2 February	2 Samuel 14:21-33
Friday 3 February	2 Kings 5:1-15
Saturday 4 February	Daniel 6:1-23

2 Divisions in the New Testament

Sunday 5 February	Luke 11:17-20
Monday 6 February	Luke 12:49-53
Tuesday 7 February	John 2:13-22
Wednesday 8 February	Acts 15:36-41
Thursday 9 February	1 Corinthians 3:3-9
Friday 10 February	Galatians 2:11-21
Saturday 11 February	Philemon 8-21

THE LETTER OF JAMES (1)

Sunday 12 February	James 1:1-12
Monday 13 February	James 1:13-27
Tuesday 14 February	James 2:1-13
Wednesday 15 February	James 2:14-26
Thursday 16 February	James 3:1-12
Friday 17 February	James 3:13-18
Saturday 18 February	James 4:1-12

THE LETTER OF JAMES (2)

Sunday 19 February	James 4:13-17
Monday 20 February	James 5:1-12
Tuesday 21 February	James 5:13-20

EXPLORING THE LORD'S PRAYER

1 Pray in this way

Wednesday 22 February (Ash Wednesday)	Matthew 6:1-6
Thursday 23 February	Matthew 6:7-15
Friday 24 February	Matthew 6:16-24
Saturday 25 February	Matthew 6:25-34

2 Our Father in heaven

Sunday 26 February	John 1:14-18
Monday 27 February	John 17:1-5
Tuesday 28 February	Exodus 3:1-6
Wednesday 1 March	John 17:6-10
Thursday 2 March	Isaiah 2:2-4
Friday 3 March	Psalm 103:19-22
Saturday 4 March	John 18:33-37

3 Your will be done

Sunday 5 March	Psalm 40:4-8
Monday 6 March	Colossians 1:15-20
Tuesday 7 March	John 6:35-40
Wednesday 8 March	Acts 2:43-47
Thursday 9 March	Isaiah 25:6-9
Friday 10 March	1 Kings 19:1-8
Saturday 11 March	Exodus 16:13-18

4 Bread of heaven

Sunday 12 March	John 6:48-51
Monday 13 March	Psalm 103:8-17
Tuesday 14 March	Acts 7:54-60
Wednesday 15 March	John 21:15-19
Thursday 16 March	Psalm 27:7-12
Friday 17 March	Ephesians 6:10-20
Saturday 18 March	John 17:11-14

5 Deliver us from evil

Sunday 19 March	Psalm 56
Monday 20 March	Psalm 121
Tuesday 21 March	John 17:15-19
Wednesday 22 March	Psalm 145:10-13
Thursday 23 March	1 Chronicles 29:10-13
Friday 24 March	John 17:20-26
Saturday 25 March	Revelation 11:15-19

THE GOSPEL OF MATTHEW (2)

1 Passiontide: the coming of the kingdom

Sunday 26 March	Matthew 24:1-14
Monday 27 March	Matthew 24:15-28
Tuesday 28 March	Matthew 24:29-44
Wednesday 29 March	Matthew 24:45-51
Thursday 30 March	Matthew 25:1-13
Friday 31 March	Matthew 25:14-30
Saturday 1 April	Matthew 25:31-46

2 Holy Week: the way of the cross

Sunday 2 April (Palm Sunday)	Matthew 26:1-16
Monday 3 April	Matthew 26:17-35
Tuesday 4 April	Matthew 26:36-56
Wednesday 5 April	Matthew 26:57-75
Thursday 6 April (Maundy Thursday)	Matthew 27:1-26
Friday 7 April (Good Friday)	Matthew 27:27-44
Saturday 8 April	Matthew 27:45-66

CELEBRATIONS

Sunday 9 April (Easter)	Luke 24:13-35
Monday 10 April	Leviticus 23:4-14
Tuesday 11 April	Daniel 5:1-12
Wednesday 12 April	Luke 15:22-24
Thursday 13 April	Luke 5:27-32
Friday 14 April	John 2:1-10
Saturday 15 April	1 Corinthians 11:23-26

JUDGES OF ISRAEL

1 Deborah and Gideon

Sunday 16 April	Judges 2:6-23
Monday 17 April	Judges 3:12-31
Tuesday 18 April	Judges 4:1-24
Wednesday 19 April	Judges 5:19-31
Thursday 20 April	Judges 6:11-32
Friday 21 April	Judges 7:1-21
Saturday 22 April	Judges 8:22-35

2 Jephthah and Samson

Sunday 23 April	Judges 10:6-11:11
Monday 24 April	Judges 11:29-40
Tuesday 25 April	Judges 13:2-25
Wednesday 26 April	Judges 14:1-20
Thursday 27 April	Judges 16:4-22
Friday 28 April	Judges 16:23-31
Saturday 29 April	Judges 19:10-30

BIBLICAL LIBRARY (2)

History

Sunday 30 April	Judges 6:1-10
Monday 1 May	Ruth 1:1-19, 4:11-17
Tuesday 2 May	1 Samuel 16:1-23
Wednesday 3 May	1 Kings 1:1-48
Thursday 4 May	2 Chronicles 36:1-23
Friday 5 May	Ezra 1:1-2:70
Saturday 6 May	Nehemiah 6:1-16

PLACES OF WORSHIP

Sunday 7 May	Exodus 33:1-11
Monday 8 May	1 Kings 3:1-9
Tuesday 9 May	2 Chronicles 7:11-22
Wednesday 10 May	Acts 17:1-4
Thursday 11 May	Romans 16:3-5
Friday 12 May	John 4:19-24
Saturday 13 May	Revelation 21:1-3

THE GOSPEL OF MATTHEW (3)

1 Healer and teacher

Sunday 14 May	Matthew 7:1-12
Monday 15 May	Matthew 7:13-29
Tuesday 16 May	Matthew 8:1-13
Wednesday 17 May	Matthew 8:14-27
Thursday 18 May (Ascension)	Matthew 8:28-9:1
Friday 19 May	Matthew 9:2-17
Saturday 20 May	Matthew 9:18-38

2 Lord of the Sabbath

Sunday 21 May	Matthew 10:1-15
Monday 22 May	Matthew 10:16-33
Tuesday 23 May	Matthew 10:34-42
Wednesday 24 May	Matthew 11:1-19
Thursday 25 May	Matthew 11:20-12:8
Friday 26 May	Matthew 12:9-21
Saturday 27 May	Matthew 12:22-37

SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITIES AND LOVE IN ACTION

1 Display his glory

Sunday 28 May (Pentecost)	Isaiah 61:1-3
Monday 29 May	Deuteronomy 15:7-11
Tuesday 30 May	Deuteronomy 15:12-15
Wednesday 31 May	Psalm 8:1-9
Thursday 1 June	Proverbs 31:8-9
Friday 2 June	Isaiah 1:16-20
Saturday 3 June	Amos 5:1-15

2 Maintain constant love for one another

Sunday 4 June	John 19:38-42
Monday 5 June	Acts 9:36-41
Tuesday 6 June	Acts 10:1-8
Wednesday 7 June	Acts 16:12-15, 40
Thursday 8 June	Romans 12:6-21
Friday 9 June	Luke 6:27-36
Saturday 10 June	1 Peter 4:7-11

BIBLICAL LIBRARY (3)

Apocalyptic

Sunday 11 June	Ezekiel 10:1-22
Monday 12 June	Daniel 7:1-28
Tuesday 13 June	Revelation 13:1-18
Wednesday 14 June	Revelation 19:1-21
Thursday 15 June	Revelation 20:1-15
Friday 16 June	Revelation 4:1-11
Saturday 17 June	Revelation 5:1-14

WHO IS MY FAMILY?

Sunday 18 June	Mark 3:31-35
Monday 19 June	Romans 8:12-17
Tuesday 20 June	Galatians 4:1-7
Wednesday 21 June	John 19:25b-27
Thursday 22 June	1 John 3:1-14
Friday 23 June	Romans 14:10-21
Saturday 24 June	Ephesians 3:14-19

READINGS IN AMOS

Sunday 25 June	Amos 1:1-2:3
Monday 26 June	Amos 2:10-3:12
Tuesday 27 June	Amos 4:1-13
Wednesday 28 June	Amos 5:18-27
Thursday 29 June	Amos 6:8-7:9
Friday 30 June	Amos 8:1-14
Saturday 1 July	Amos 9:1-15

THE GOSPEL OF MATTHEW (4)

1 Parables and controversies

Sunday 2 July	Matthew 13:1-17
Monday 3 July	Matthew 13:18-43
Tuesday 4 July	Matthew 13:44-58
Wednesday 5 July	Matthew 14:1-21
Thursday 6 July	Matthew 14:22-36
Friday 7 July	Matthew 15:1-20
Saturday 8 July	Matthew 15:21-39

2 Son of Man, Son of God

Sunday 9 July	Matthew 16:1-12
Monday 10 July	Matthew 16:13-28
Tuesday 11 July	Matthew 17:1-13
Wednesday 12 July	Matthew 17:14-27
Thursday 13 July	Matthew 18:1-9
Friday 14 July	Matthew 18:10-20
Saturday 15 July	Matthew 18:21-35

FAITHFULNESS

1 God's faithfulness to us

Sunday 16 July	Psalm 33
Monday 17 July	Psalm 145:13b-21
Tuesday 18 July	Isaiah 42:1-9
Wednesday 19 July	Lamentations 3:22-33
Thursday 20 July	1 Corinthians 1:4-9
Friday 21 July	2 Timothy 2:11-13
Saturday 22 July	1 Thessalonians 5:23-24

2 Faithful people, faithful living

Sunday 23 July	Luke 2:26-38
Monday 24 July	Luke 16:10-13
Tuesday 25 July	2 Corinthians 5:17-6:10
Wednesday 26 July	Revelation 7:13-17
Thursday 27 July	Acts 21:7-14
Friday 28 July	Galatians 5:13-23
Saturday 29 July	1 Thessalonians 1

3 People of faith

Sunday 30 July	Genesis 41:33-46
Monday 31 July	Acts 4:13-20
Tuesday 1 August	Romans 16:1-2
Wednesday 2 August	Acts 16:19-31
Thursday 3 August	John 11:1-7, 17-27
Friday 4 August	Colossians 4:12-13
Saturday 5 August	John 20:11-18