

The Christmas Bible Reading Plan

This Bible reading schedule is designed for either personal use or to be read as a family from December 1st through December 25th. The twenty-five readings are taken from both the Old and the New Testament and highlight the birth of Jesus and the prophecies that foretold His coming.

Week 1: The Promise of the Coming Savior

<u>Date</u>	<u>Subject</u>	<u>Scripture Reading</u>
1	The Promise of a Savior	Isaiah 9:2,6,7
2	The Righteous Branch	Isaiah 11:1-5
3	The Birthplace of the Messiah	Micah 5:2-5
4	A King who will Reign Wisely and Justly	Jeremiah 23:5-6
5	Preparing the Way of the Lord	Malachi 3:1-4
6	The King Comes Humbly	Zechariah 9:9-10
7	A Prayer for the Messiah's Reign	Psalm 72:18-19

Week 2: The Preparation for the Coming Savior

8	Gabriel's Visit to Zechariah	Luke 1:5-17
9	A Witness to the Light	John 1:6-9
10	Zechariah's Doubt and Silence	Luke 1:18-25
11	Gabriel's Visit to Mary	Luke 1:26-33
12	Nothing is Impossible for God	Luke 1:34-38
13	Mary Visits Elizabeth	Luke 1:39-45
14	Mary's Song of Praise	Luke 1:46-56

Week 3: The Presentation of the Coming Savior

<u>Date</u>	<u>Subject</u>	<u>Scripture Reading</u>
15	Joseph's Dream	Matthew 1:18-21
16	The Prophecy Fulfilled	Matthew 1:22-25
17	The Birth of John the Baptist	Luke 1:57-66
18	Zechariah's Prophetic Word	Luke 1:67-80
19	The Journey to Bethlehem	Luke 2:1-5
20	The Birth of Jesus	Luke 2:6-7
21	The Angels and Shepherds	Luke 2:8-14

Week 4: The Praise of the Coming Savior

22	The Shepherds Visit Jesus	Luke 2:15-20
23	The Wise Men Search for Jesus	Matthew 2:1-6
24	The Wise Men Worship Jesus	Matthew 2:7-12
25	Jesus, The Word Became Flesh	John 1:1-14

Daily Questions for further reflection on the Scripture Readings:

- 1 What name for Jesus (v. 6) is most meaningful to you? Why?
- 2 In what ways does the “Spirit of the Lord” rest on Jesus? (vv. 2-3)
- 3 Why do you think Jesus was born in a little town and not a big city?
- 4 Why do you think Jesus is called, “The LORD Our Righteousness?”
- 5 Who was the messenger God sent to announce the arrival of Jesus?
- 6 When did Jesus come to the people riding on a donkey? (Mt 21:5)
- 7 Why should all nations call Jesus blessed?
- 8 Why was Zechariah visited by the angel? (v. 13)
- 9 Who came to bear witness to the light of Jesus?
- 10 What happened when Zechariah doubted the angel’s message?
- 11 How did Mary respond when she was visited by the angel?
- 12 What did the angel tell Mary about the miraculous birth? (v. 37)
- 13 What did Mary do after the angel departed?
- 14 How did Mary describe her relationship to the Lord? (v. 47)
- 15 What changed Joseph’s mind about leaving Mary? (v. 20)
- 16 What does the name “Immanuel” mean? (v. 23)
- 17 How did people respond to the birth of John the Baptist. (vv. 65-66)
- 18 How does the Lord want us to serve Him? (v. 74)
- 19 What prompted Joseph and Mary to go to Bethlehem?
- 20 Why was Jesus born in a manger and not in a house?
- 21 Who appeared to the shepherds to announce the birth of Jesus?
- 22 What did the shepherds do after the angels departed?
- 23 What title did the wisemen use to describe Jesus? (v. 2)
- 24 In what ways can we express our worship to Jesus?
- 25 Who is the Word that became flesh and dwelt among us?

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A daily reading schedule of the Biblical account of the Christmas story with questions to reflect on each day’s readings. This reading schedule is designed to be used as a personal devotional or a family devotional. Please feel free to share this with family and friends. It is my hope that this will bless you as you prepare to celebrate the birth of our Savior!

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