



MEMORY VERSE FROM SUNDAY - LUKE 5:27-29

Jesus said to him, "Follow me." Levi got up, left everything behind, and followed him. Then Levi threw a great banquet for Jesus in his home

MONDAY TO SUNDAY READINGS

MONDAY	Luke 6:1-16	The Lord of the Sabbath
TUESDAY	Luke 6:17-26	Beatitudes, Luke's version
WEDNESDAY	John 15:1-11	Abide in Christ and bear fruit
THURSDAY	Mark 3:13-19	Shared life and shared work
FRIDAY	Matthew 9:35-10:8	Sending the 12
SATURDAY	John 1:19-34	The work of John the Baptist
SUNDAY	John 1:35-51	John's followers find Jesus

BIBLE IN 52 WEEKS - WEEK THIRTY EIGHT

Sun (Oct 4): (Completed); Jeremiah 47; Esther 3; Matthew 7
 Mon (Oct 5): (Completed); Jeremiah 48; Esther 4; Matthew 8
 Tue (Oct 6): (Completed); Jeremiah 49; Esther 5; Matthew 9
 Wed (Oct 7): (Completed); Jeremiah 50; Esther 6; Matthew 10
 Thu (Oct 8): (Completed); Jeremiah 51; Esther 7; Matthew 11
 Fri (Oct 9): (Completed); Jeremiah 52; Esther 8; Matthew 12
 Sat (Oct 10): (Completed); Ezekiel 1; Esther 9; Matthew 13

PASTOR ROBB'S NOTES

PROPHETS: Jeremiah ends on the promise of destruction for Judah's enemies. All of the nations that tormented Judah and Israel will themselves be conquered. Even Babylon, which sent Judah into exile, will itself be destroyed.

WRITINGS: We come pretty close to wrapping up the Esther story. God is never mentioned, but the faithfulness, agency, and courage of Esther is on full display. This becomes the source material for the feast of Purim, which is still celebrated today.

NEW TESTAMENT: As we work through the Gospel of Matthew the second time, take note of the themes that are unique to Matthew and the things that make it "the Jewish Gospel," so much of the story is tied to references to the Old Testament, especially Moses.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR OCTOBER 4 - OCTOBER 11

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4

WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY FILL THE WAGON SUNDAY (Little Free Pantry)

9:30 a.m. Worship with Communion
 10:30 a.m. Kids Choir
 11:00 a.m. Kids & Youth Sunday School
 10:45 a.m. Adult Sunday School

MONDAY, OCTOBER 5

12:00 p.m. Bible Study
 2:00 p.m. Pulpit Fiction Live recording on Facebook and on
 YouTube.com/@PulpitFiction

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7

12:00 p.m. Prayer group via FB & Zoom
 5:30 p.m. College Group @ Village Inn
 6:30 p.m. Handbell Choir rehearsal
 7:15 p.m. Sanctuary Choir rehearsal

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10

12:00 p.m. Meal Site

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11

9:30 a.m. Worship
 10:30 a.m. Kids Choir
 11:00 a.m. Kids & Youth Sunday School
 10:45 a.m. Adult Sunday School

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