



## WEEKLY GPS

GROW

PRAY

STUDY

### MEMORY VERSE FROM SUNDAY - MATTHEW 26:1B-2

[Jesus] said to his disciples, “You know that the Passover is two days from now. And the Human One will be handed over to be crucified.”

### SUNDAY TO SUNDAY READINGS

SUNDAY	Matthew 26:1-25	Predicted, anointed, betrayed
MONDAY	Matthew 18:15-20	Greatness in the Kingdom
TUESDAY	Matthew 18:23-35	Parable of forgiveness
WEDNESDAY	Psalms 32	The forgiven one is truly happy
THURSDAY	Matthew 19:1-12	A difficult teaching
FRIDAY	Matthew 19:13-30	Another difficult teaching
SATURDAY	Matthew 20:1-16	Parable of the workers in the vineyard

### BIBLE IN 52 WEEKS - WEEK SEVEN

Sun (Feb 22): Genesis 43; Judges 19; Psalm 43; Matthew 27

Mon (Feb 23): Genesis 44; Judges 20; Psalm 44; Matthew 28

Tue (Feb 24): Genesis 45; Judges 21; Psalm 45; Luke 1

Wed (Feb 25): Genesis 46; 1 Samuel 1; Psalm 46; Luke 2

Thu (Feb 26): Genesis 47; 1 Samuel 2; Psalm 47; Luke 3

Fri (Feb 27): Genesis 48; 1 Samuel 3; Psalm 48; Luke 4

Sat (Feb 28): Genesis 49; 1 Samuel 4; Psalm 49; Luke 5

### PASTOR ROBB'S NOTES

We come pretty close to the conclusion of the Joseph story as well as the entire book of Genesis. Next week is big transition from Genesis to Exodus.

The transition from Judges to Samuel. Judges ends with some horrific violence, and the people in disarray with no leader. Samuel will “fix” that, but first we have his birth story, which has many parallels to the Gospels birth stories of Jesus.

This week we get Easter and Christmas. You’ll see Matthew doesn’t have a lot of post-resurrection stuff (Luke and John have a lot more). We also see the birth stories in Luke which, and it is truly a happy coincidence that Samuel’s birth story is also this week.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR FEBRUARY 22 - MARCH 1

### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 22

#### 1ST SUNDAY OF LENT

9:30 a.m. Worship

10:45 a.m. Sunday School for All Ages

12 - 4 p.m. Change Makers Retreat

### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 23

10:00 a.m. Two Rivers Readers

12:00 p.m. Bible Study

### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25

12:00 p.m. Prayer group on Zoom

12:15 p.m. Prayer group on Facebook

6:00 p.m. Handbell rehearsal

7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26

5:30 p.m. *The Chosen* Lenten Study

### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28

11:00 a.m. Young Lions Roar

11:00 a.m. Operation Safety Net

12:00 p.m. Meal Site

12:00 p.m. NAACP Community Day at 2<sup>nd</sup>

Baptist

### SUNDAY, MARCH 1

#### 2ND SUNDAY OF LENT

#### FILL THE WAGON SUNDAY

*(Little Free Pantry donations)*

9:30 a.m. Worship with Communion

10:45 a.m. Sunday School for All Ages

### CLERGY, STAFF, AND LAY LEADERSHIP

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