

FPCE Bible Study Challenge for June

Okay, I get it. Lists of scripture can be overwhelming. It's easy for me, the pastor, but when a regular person looks at lists, one can just glaze over. I hear you, so we're going to change it up in June. Here's how: below we have three levels for scripture reading; Restart, Gearing Up, Full Steam Ahead. You can pick the level that fits your schedule and go from there. If you get bored with one level, then move to another, or bust out a reading plan of your own and get into the word.

Steve Hammond will restart his Sunday bible study using the Great Course Judaism class. We will have a zoom link where you can join Steve at 11am beginning on Sunday, June 7th. I will lead a class on Thursdays in June on the zoom platform as well. I hope you are well and engage in a reading plan and bible study this June

Peace, *Alan*

PS – Find a translation of the Bible you feel comfortable with and grab a writing instrument. I'm daring you to write in the margins, highlight a verse, circle a word that means something to you now and date it, so when you come back you can go, 'oh, that spoke to me then, and now this part is.' This is a great way to remind ourselves where God has been faithful and note growth in our discipleship.

Restart

This reading plan for the month is for families and those just wondering where to begin. Each week in June has a parable and another story from scripture. There's no pressure for something daily, just read, reflect, draw, write, and pray through these verses.

June 7 – 13: Parable of the Sower Mark 4:1-20; Genesis 1

June 14 – 20: Parable of the Lost Sheep Matthew 18:10-14; 1 Samuel 17:1-11, 38-49

June 21 – 27: Parable of the Good Samaritan Luke 10:25-37; Jonah 1

June 28 – July 4: Parable of Mustard Seed Mark 4:30-32; 1 Kings 19:9-13

Gearing Up

This reading plan for the month is for those wanting a little more, but may not want daily verses. Each week in June will have three readings and a verse to memorize. Again, the hope is you read, reflect, memorize, journal, and pray through these verses.

June 7 – 13: Mark 6:30-44, Genesis 1, Psalm 100; memorize Psalm 46:10a

June 14 – 20: John 1:1-14, Jonah 1&2; memorize Proverbs 3:5-6

June 21 – 27: 1 Corinthians 13, Jonah 3&4; memorize John 3:16-17

June 28 – July 4: Romans 8, Isaiah 6; memorize Galatians 5:22-23

Full Steam

This month-long reading plan continues with a daily scripture verse. On Thursdays, you will find the verses Pastor Alan will lead during his study. This is for those who want to make reading the bible a daily practice.

Color Code for the upcoming month: Sunday, Thursday Bible Study

May 31 – Acts 2:1-21; Pentecost Sermon – Where is the Fire?

June 1 – Lamentations 5 – *last Monday Bible Study*

June 2 – Proverbs 13; 2 Samuel 1 & 2

June 3 – Proverbs 14; Mark 7

June 4 — Job 1-3; Pastor Alan will continue a Thursday bible study

June 5 – Proverbs 15; Mark 8

June 6 – Proverbs 16; Mark 9

June 7 – Communion Sunday 1 Corinthians 1:20-31; Sermon – Not Going to Figure it Out

June 7 – Great Courses in Judaism led by Steve Hammond

June 8 – Proverbs 17, Mark 10

June 9 – Proverbs 18, Mark 11

June 10 – Proverbs 19, Mark 12

June 11 – Overview of Romans

June 12 – Proverbs 20, Mark 13

June 13 – Proverbs 21, Mark 14

June 14 – Romans 5:1-8; Sermon – At This Right Time

June 15 – Proverbs 22, Mark 15

June 16 – Proverbs 23, Mark 16

June 17 – Proverbs 24, Romans 1

June 18 – Romans 1 & 2

June 19 – Proverbs 25, Romans 3

June 20 – Proverbs 26, Romans 4

June 21 – Romans 6:1-11; Sermon – Wanting life, Living dead

June 22 – Proverbs 27, Romans 5

June 23 – Proverbs 28, Romans 6

June 24 – Proverbs 29, Romans 7

June 25 – Romans 3, 4, 5

June 26 – Proverbs 30, Romans 8

June 27 – Proverbs 31, Romans 9

June 28 – Romans 6:12-23; Sermon – Drop the coat, it's a new season

June 29 – Isaiah 1, Romans 10

June 30 – Isaiah 2, Romans 11

July 1 – Isaiah 3 & 4, Romans 12

July 2 – Romans 6, 7, 8

July 3 – Isaiah 5, Romans 13

July 4 – Isaiah 6 & 7, Romans 14

July 5 – Communion Sunday, Romans 7:15-25a; Sermon – The Wrong War