



THE STORY

READING SCHEDULE



	Chapter: Topic	Focus	Text
September 19	1: The Beginning of Life as We Know It	Creation	Genesis 1:9
September 26	2: God Builds a Nation	Abraham	Genesis 12-13, 15-17, 21-22, 32-33, Romans 4, Hebrews 11
October 3	3: Joseph: From Slavery to Deputy Pharoah	Joseph	Genesis 37, 39, 41-48, 50
October 10	4: Deliverance	Moses	Exodus 1-7, 10-17
October 17	5: New Commands and A New Covenant	Moses	Exodus 19-20, 24-25, 32-34, 40
October 24	6: Wandering	Moses	Numbers 10-14, 20-21, 25-27
	7: The Battle Begins	Joshua	Joshua 1-2, 6, 8, 10-11, 23-24
October 31	Reformation Sunday	Guest Speaker: Chad Bird	<i>“Christ in the Old Testament”</i>
November 7	8: A Few Good Men...and Women	Judges	Judges 2-4, 6-8, 13-16
November 14	9: The Faith of a Foreign Woman	Ruth	Ruth 1-4
November 21	10: Standing Tall, Falling Hard	Saul	1 Samuel 1-4, 8-13, 15
November 28	11: From Shepherd to King	David	1 Samuel 16-18, 24, 31, 2 Samuel 6, 22; 1 Chronicles 17; Psalm 59
December 5	12: The Trials of a King	David	2 Samuel 11-12, 18-19; 1 Chronicles 22, 29; Psalms 23, 32, 51
December 12	13: The King Who Had It All	Solomon	1 Kings 1-8, 10-11; 2 Chronicles 5-7; Proverbs 1-3, 6, 20-21
January 9	14: A Kingdom Torn in Two	Rehoboam/Jeroboam	1 Kings 12-16
January 16	15: God’s Messengers	Prophets	1 Kings 17-19; 2 Kings 2, 4, 6; Hosea 4-5, 8-9, 14; Amos 1, 3-5, 9
January 23	16: The Beginning of the End	Fall of Israel	2 Kings 17-19; Isaiah 3, 6, 13-14, 49, 53
January 30	17: The Kingdoms’ Fall	Fall of Judah	2 Kings 21, 23-25; 2 Chronicles 33, 36; Jeremiah 1-2, 4-5, 13, 21; Lamentations 1-3, 5; Ezekiel 1-2, 6-7, 36-37
February 6	18: Daniel in Exile	Daniel	Daniel 1-3, 6; Jeremiah 29-31
February 13	19: The Return Home	Ezra	Ezra 1-6; Haggai 1-2; Zechariah 1, 8
February 20	20: The Queen of Beauty and Courage	Esther	Esther 1-9
February 27	21: Rebuilding the Walls	Nehemiah	Ezra 7; Nehemiah 1-2, 4, 6-8; Malachi 1-4
March 6	22: The Birth of the King	Jesus	Matthew 1-2; Luke 1-2; John 1
March 13	23: Jesus’ Ministry Begins	Jesus	Matthew 3-4; 11; Mark 1-3; Luke 8; John 1-4
March 20	24: No Ordinary Man	Jesus	Matthew 5-7, 9, 14; Mark 4-6; Luke 10, 15; John 6
March 27	25: Jesus, the Son of God	Jesus	Matthew 17, 21; Mark 8-12, 14; Luke 9, 22; John 7-8, 11-12
April 3	26: The Hour of Darkness	Jesus	Matthew 26-27; Mark 14-15; Luke 22-23; John 13-14; 16-19
May 1	27: The Resurrection	Jesus (Easter)	Matthew 27-28; Mark 16; Luke 24; John 19-21
May 8	28: New Beginnings	Early Church	Acts 1-10, 12
May 15	29: Paul’s Mission	Early Church	Acts 13-14, 16-20; Romans 1, 3-6, 8, 12, 15; 1 Corinthians 1, 3, 5-6, 10, 12-13, 15, 16; Galatians 1; 3; 5-6; 1 Thessalonians 1-5
May 22	30: Paul’s Final Days	Early Church	Acts 20-23; 27-28; Ephesians 1-6; 2 Timothy 1-4
May 29	31: The End of Time	A New Beginning	Revelation 1-5; 19-22

*Please note that the chapter titles differ in each age group’s book. Therefore, only the topic of each chapter is listed in some cases, rather than the title.