

BIBLE READING PLAN, 7TH SEPTEMBER - 4TH DECEMBER

## MINUTES A DAY DAYS PER WEEK JESUS WE FOLLOW

#### What's this about?

It has always been God's deepest desire to live in close relationship with us, he is the suitor who seeks us out, the bridegroom who longs to live with humanity as a man with his love. The Bible ends with this as a reality in the new heaven and new earth, but new creation starts with the outpouring of God's Spirit, God and Christians living together now! In this series, tracing the story of the early church through the book of Acts, we follow our calling to be people born of the Spirit, shaped by the Spirit, led by the Spirit and empowered by the Spirit for mission.

#### How do I do that?

We'll be reading our Bibles for 10 minutes a day, 5 days a week. In this series we focus on the birth of the church through the gift of the Holy Spirit, reminding ourselves the same Spirit desires to bring us into close friendship with the Lord and work similar wonders in our lives as he helps us live like heaven is near.

#### When is this happening?

"People of the Spirit" begins on Monday 7th September and will finish on Friday 4th December.

Each week's reading will form the basis of the talk on the upcoming Sunday morning.

#### TIPS FOR STUDY & REFLECTION

#### PRAY:

Holy Spirit, please speak to me through these Scriptures

#### READ:

What does the passage say? (Try reading it in different translations.)

#### ASK:

What does the passage mean? (A good Bible commentary can help.)

#### APPLY:

- What does this passage tell me about how the Spirit brings God's kingdom?
- Am I allowing the Holy Spirit to interrupt my plans and lead me where he wishes?
- How do the lives of the early Spirit-filled believers challenge me in how I am living right now?
- How can I work with the Holy Spirit to make earth a little more heavenly today?



FOR GOD'S PROMISE OF THE HOLY SPIRIT
IS FOR YOU AND FOR YOUR FAMILIES...

**ACTS 2:39** 

#### RIVER CHURCH READING PLAN

#### SEPTEMBER 2020

М	Т	w	Т	F	S	S
<b>7th</b> Acts 1:1-11	<b>8th</b> Acts 1:12-26	<b>9th</b> John 14:1-14	<b>10th</b> John 14:15-27	11th Ezekiel 36:22-27 & Joel 2:28-29		
<b>14th</b> Acts 2:1-13	<b>15th</b> Acts 2:14-28	<b>16th</b> Acts 2:29-47	<b>17th</b> John 3:1-21	18th 2 Corinthians 5:1-21		
21st Acts 3	<b>22nd</b> Acts 4	<b>23rd</b> Acts 5	<b>24th</b> Acts 6	<b>25th</b> Acts 7		
<b>28th</b> Acts 8:1-25	<b>29th</b> Acts 8:26-40	<b>30th</b> Acts 9:1-19				

#### RIVER CHURCH READING PLAN

#### OCTOBER 2020

М	Т	W	Т	F	S	S
			1st Acts 9:20-31	<b>2nd</b> Acts 9:32-43		
<b>5th</b> Acts 10:1-16	<b>6th</b> Acts 10:17-33	<b>7th</b> Acts 10:34-48	8th Acts 11:1-30	<b>9th</b> Acts 12:1-24		
<b>12th</b> <i>Matthew</i> 28:18-20	13th Ephesians 2:11-22	<b>14th</b> Ephesians 3	<b>15th</b> 2 Timothy 1: 1-8	<b>16th</b> 1 Corinthians 15:1-11		
<b>19th</b> Acts 12:25-13:12	<b>20th</b> Acts 13:13-41	<b>21st</b> Acts 13:42-52	<b>22nd</b> Acts 14:1-18	<b>23rd</b> Acts 14:19-28		
<b>26th</b> Acts 15:1-11	<b>27th</b> Acts 15:12-21	<b>28th</b> Acts 15:22-29	<b>29th</b> Acts 15:30-41	<b>30th</b> Galatians 3:19-25		

### **RIVER CHURCH READING PLAN**NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2020

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<b>2nd</b> Acts 16:1-15	<b>3rd</b> Acts 16:16-40	<b>4th</b> Acts 17:1-21	<b>5th</b> Acts 17:22-34	<b>6th</b> Acts 18:1-17		
9th Acts 18:18-28	<b>10th</b> Acts 19:1-20	<b>11th</b> Acts 19:21-41	<b>12th</b> Acts 20:1-16	<b>13th</b> Acts 20:17-38		
<b>16th</b> Acts 21:1-25	17th Acts 21:26-40	<b>18th</b> Acts 22:1-21	<b>19th</b> Acts 22:22-29	<b>20th</b> Acts 22:30-23:10		
<b>23rd</b> Acts 23:11-22	<b>24th</b> Acts 23:23-35	<b>25th</b> Acts 24:1-21	<b>26th</b> Acts 24:22-25:12	<b>27th</b> Acts 25:13-27		
<b>30th</b> Acts 26:1-18	<b>1st</b> Acts 26:19-32	<b>2nd</b> Acts 27:1-12	<b>3rd</b> Acts 27:13-44	4th Acts 28:1-31		

# **YOUR NOTES**



