

Introduction

This month, we will spend time reading the book of Psalms. This book is a collection of different prayers, songs, and praises, many of which were written by David (A man after God's own heart) to God. The entire book of Psalms is divided into five smaller books, and we will read Book 1 this month (Psalms 1-41). The people of God have always taken time to praise Him and His word, to plead for His justice and mercy, and to meditate on His presence. As we think of David's life, we see him go from a humble shepherd boy to slaying Goliath, being hunted by King Saul, becoming the next king of Israel, committing adultery and murder, and becoming a man after God's own heart. In the Psalms, we get to see this hero of the faith pour out his heart and soul to God.

As you read the Psalms each day, meditate on these questions. What was the author likely feeling as he was writing this? Is the author praising God, pleading to God, praising God's Word, or something different? How can this Psalm help you worship God this week? What did you learn about God through this Psalm?

Weekly Assignment

Each week, come up with one question that you have from the week's reading. Once you have written down that question, go and ask it to a parent, grandparent, small group leader, or any other trustworthy adult in your life.

Memory Challenge

Question: What does the law of God require?

Answer: That we love God with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength; and love our neighbor as ourselves.

Passage: Matthew 22: 37-39

And [Jesus] said to him, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself."

Bible Reading

Week 1

- Day 1: Psalms 1-2
- Day 2: Psalms 3-4
- Day 3: Psalms 5-6
- Day 4: Psalms 7
- Day 5: Psalms 8-9
- Day 6: Psalms 10

Week 2

- Day 1: Psalms 11-13
- Day 2: Psalms 14-15
- Day 3: Psalms 16-17
- Day 4: Psalms 18
- Day 5: Psalms 19
- Day 6: Psalms 20-21

Week 3

- Day 1: Psalms 22
- Day 2: Psalms 23-24
- Day 3: Psalms 25
- Day 4: Psalms 26
- Day 5: Psalms 27
- Day 6: Psalms 28

Week 4

- Day 1: Psalms 29
- Day 2: Psalms 30
- Day 3: Psalms 31
- Day 4: Psalms 32-33
- Day 5: Psalms 34
- Day 6: Psalms 35

Week 5

- Day 1: Psalms 36
- Day 2: Psalms 37
- Day 3: Psalms 38
- Day 4: Psalms 39
- Day 5: Psalms 40
- Day 6: Psalms 41

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