

GOD'S STRENGTHENING WORD

DAILY BIBLE READING GUIDE 2025



**Build up your strength
in union with the Lord
and by means of his mighty power.**

Ephesians 6:10 (Good News Translation)

JANUARY 2025
Celebrating Unity in
Christ Jesus

GOD'S STRENGTHENING WORD

- 1 Ephesians 1:1–14
- 2 Ephesians 1:15–23
- 3 Ephesians 2:1–10
- 4 Ephesians 2:11–22
- 5 Ephesians 3:1–21
- 6 Ephesians 4:1–16
- 7 Ephesians 4:17–32
- 8 Ephesians 5:1–20
- 9 Ephesians 6:10–24
- 10 Luke 3:1–20
- 11 Luke 3:21–38
- 12 Luke 4:1–15
- 13 Luke 4:16–30
- 14 Luke 4:31–44
- 15 Luke 5:1–11
- 16 Luke 5:12–32
- 17 Luke 5:33–6:5

Epiphany

- 6 Ephesians 4:1–16
- 7 Ephesians 4:17–32
- 8 Ephesians 5:1–20
- 9 Ephesians 6:10–24
- 10 Luke 3:1–20
- 11 Luke 3:21–38
- 12 Luke 4:1–15
- 13 Luke 4:16–30
- 14 Luke 4:31–44
- 15 Luke 5:1–11
- 16 Luke 5:12–32
- 17 Luke 5:33–6:5

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Begins

- 18 Luke 6:6–16

Ecumenical Sunday

- 19 Luke 6:17–26
- 20 Luke 6:27–49
- 21 Luke 7:1–17
- 22 Luke 7:18–35
- 23 Luke 7:36–50
- 24 John 17:1–26
- 25 Colossians 1:1–14
- 26 Colossians 1:15–23
- 27 Colossians 1:24–29
- 28 Colossians 2:1–19
- 29 Colossians 2:20–3:4
- 30 Colossians 3:5–17
- 31 Colossians 4:2–18

*The Octave for Christian Unity is
January 18–25, 2025.*

FEBRUARY 2025
Sharing God's Love

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- 1 John 13:1–20
- 2 John 13:21–35
- 3 1 John 1:1–10
- 4 1 John 2:1–17
- 5 1 John 2:18–29
- 6 1 John 3:1–10
- 7 1 John 3:11–24
- 8 1 John 4:1–6:1
- 9 John 4:7–21
- 10 1 John 5:1–12
- 11 1 John 5:13–21
- 12 2 John 1–13
- 13 3 John 1–15
- 14 Hosea 1:1–2:1
- 15 Hosea 2:2–23
- 16 Hosea 3:1–4:3
- 17 Hosea 4:4–19
- 18 Hosea 6:1–7:2
- 19 Hosea 8:1–14
- 20 Hosea 9:1–14
- 21 Hosea 9:15–10:15
- 22 Hosea 11:1–11
- 23 Hosea 11:12–12:14
- 24 Hosea 13:1–16
- 25 Hosea 14:1–9
- 26 Psalm 136
- 27 Psalm 138
- 28 Romans 8:18–39

MARCH 2025
Turning to God
in Prayer

GOD'S STRENGTHENING WORD

- 1 Psalm 25
- 2 Psalm 27
- 3 Psalm 31
- 4 Psalm 33
- 5 Psalm 51
- 6 Psalm 40:1–11
- 7 Psalm 61
- 8 Psalm 62
- 9 Psalm 63
- 10 Psalm 64
- 11 Psalm 71
- 12 Psalm 76
- 13 Psalm 77
- 14 Psalm 82
- 15 Psalm 84
- 16 Psalm 88
- 17 Psalm 89:1–18
- 18 Psalm 90
- 19 Psalm 91
- 20 Psalm 102
- 21 Psalm 115
- 22 Psalm 116
- 23 Psalm 121
- 24 Psalm 123
- 25 Psalm 124
- 26 Psalm 125
- 27 Psalm 127
- 28 Psalm 130
- 29 Psalm 131

Great Lent (Orthodox)

- 3 Psalm 31
- 4 Psalm 33

Ash Wednesday

- 5 Psalm 51
- 6 Psalm 40:1–11

World Day of Prayer

- 7 Psalm 61
- 8 Psalm 62

First Sunday in Lent

- 9 Psalm 63
- 10 Psalm 64
- 11 Psalm 71
- 12 Psalm 76
- 13 Psalm 77
- 14 Psalm 82
- 15 Psalm 84

Second Sunday in Lent

- 16 Psalm 88
- 17 Psalm 89:1–18
- 18 Psalm 90
- 19 Psalm 91
- 20 Psalm 102
- 21 Psalm 115
- 22 Psalm 116

Third Sunday in Lent

- 23 Psalm 121
- 24 Psalm 123
- 25 Psalm 124
- 26 Psalm 125
- 27 Psalm 127
- 28 Psalm 130
- 29 Psalm 131

Fourth Sunday in Lent

- 30 Psalm 139
- 31 Psalm 143

APRIL 2025
Assurance of Hope
in Christ Jesus

GOD'S STRENGTHENING WORD

- 1 John 8:12–20
- 2 John 8:21–30
- 3 John 8:31–47
- 4 John 8:48–59
- 5 John 11:1–16
- 6 John 11:17–27
- 7 John 11:28–44
- 8 John 11:45–57
- 9 John 12:1–11
- 10 Luke 18:18–43
- 11 Luke 19:1–10
- 12 Luke 19:11–27

Fifth Sunday in Lent

- 6 John 11:17–27
- 7 John 11:28–44
- 8 John 11:45–57
- 9 John 12:1–11
- 10 Luke 18:18–43
- 11 Luke 19:1–10
- 12 Luke 19:11–27

Palm/Passion Sunday

- 13 Luke 19:28–48
- 14 Luke 20:1–18
- 15 Luke 20:19–47
- 16 Luke 22:1–30

Maundy Thursday

- 17 Luke 22:31–71

Good Friday

- 18 Luke 23:1–43
- 19 Luke 23:44–56

Easter Sunday/Pascha

- 20 Luke 24:1–12
- 21 Luke 24:13–35
- 22 Luke 24:36–53
- 23 John 20:1–18
- 24 John 20:19–31
- 25 John 21:1–14
- 26 John 21:15–25
- 27 1 Corinthians 15:1–11
- 28 1 Corinthians 15:12–34
- 29 1 Corinthians 15:35–58
- 30 Romans 15:1–13

MAY 2025
Trusting in God's
Promises

GOD'S STRENGTHENING WORD

- 1 Psalm 85
- 2 Exodus 3:1–22
- 3 Exodus 4:1–17
- 4 Exodus 6:1–13
- 5 Exodus 6:28–7:13
- 6 Exodus 12:1–28
- 7 Exodus 12:29–51
- 8 Exodus 13:11–22
- 9 Exodus 14:1–31
- 10 Exodus 15:1–21
- 11 1 Samuel 16:1–23
- 12 1 Samuel 17:1–11
- 13 1 Samuel 17:12–40
- 14 1 Samuel 17:41–58
- 15 1 Samuel 23:1–29
- 16 1 Samuel 24:1–22
- 17 1 Samuel 26:1–25
- 18 2 Samuel 5:1–25
- 19 2 Samuel 7:1–17
- 20 2 Samuel 7:18–29
- 21 2 Samuel 22:1–30
- 22 2 Samuel 22:31–51
- 23 1 Kings 2:1–12
- 24 1 Kings 4:20–34
- 25 1 Kings 5:1–18
- 26 1 Kings 6:1–14
- 27 1 Kings 6:15–38
- 28 1 Kings 8:1–21
- 29 Acts 1:1–11
- 30 Acts 1:12–26
- 31 Psalm 47

National Day of Prayer

- 1 Psalm 85
- 2 Exodus 3:1–22
- 3 Exodus 4:1–17
- 4 Exodus 6:1–13
- 5 Exodus 6:28–7:13
- 6 Exodus 12:1–28
- 7 Exodus 12:29–51
- 8 Exodus 13:11–22
- 9 Exodus 14:1–31
- 10 Exodus 15:1–21

- 11 1 Samuel 16:1–23
- 12 1 Samuel 17:1–11
- 13 1 Samuel 17:12–40
- 14 1 Samuel 17:41–58
- 15 1 Samuel 23:1–29
- 16 1 Samuel 24:1–22
- 17 1 Samuel 26:1–25
- 18 2 Samuel 5:1–25
- 19 2 Samuel 7:1–17
- 20 2 Samuel 7:18–29
- 21 2 Samuel 22:1–30
- 22 2 Samuel 22:31–51

Ascension Day

- 29 Acts 1:1–11
- 30 Acts 1:12–26
- 31 Psalm 47

JUNE 2025
Being Renewed by
the Holy Spirit

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- 1 1 Corinthians 12:1–11
- 2 Corinthians 12:12–31
- 3 Corinthians 13:1–13
- 4 Joel 1:1–20
- 5 Joel 2:1–17
- 6 Joel 2:18–32
- 7 Joel 3:1–21
- 8 Acts 2:1–13
- 9 Acts 2:14–28
- 10 Acts 2:29–47
- 11 Acts 3:1–10
- 12 Acts 4:1–22
- 13 Acts 4:23–37
- 14 Acts 5:1–16
- 15 Acts 5:17–42
- 16 Acts 6:1–15
- 17 Acts 7:1–22
- 18 Acts 7:23–34
- 19 Acts 7:35–53
- 20 Acts 7:54–8:3
- 21 Acts 8:4–25
- 22 Acts 8:26–40
- 23 John 14:1–14
- 24 John 14:15–31
- 25 John 15:1–17
- 26 John 15:18–16:4a
- 27 John 16:4b–15
- 28 John 16:16–24
- 29 John 16:25–33
- 30 Romans 8:1–17

Pentecost

JULY 2025
Trusting in God's
Mercy and Forgiveness

AUGUST 2025
Putting Faith
into Action

SEPTEMBER 2025
Learning from
Biblical Teachings

OCTOBER 2025
Pursuing Peace
and Justice

NOVEMBER 2025
Offering God
Thanks and Praise

DECEMBER 2025
Singing for Joy

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- 1 Psalm 32
- 2 Psalm 56
- 3 Psalm 57
- 4 Psalm 68:1-18
- 5 Psalm 68:19-35
- 6 Psalm 78:1-39
- 7 Psalm 78:40-72
- 8 Psalm 80
- 9 Psalm 86
- 10 Psalm 103

- 11 Genesis 32:1-21
- 12 Genesis 33:1-20
- 13 Genesis 37:1-11
- 14 Genesis 37:12-36
- 15 Genesis 39:1-23
- 16 Genesis 40:1-23
- 17 Genesis 41:1-36
- 18 Genesis 41:37-57
- 19 Genesis 42:1-24
- 20 Genesis 42:25-38
- 21 Genesis 43:1-14
- 22 Genesis 43:15-34
- 23 Genesis 44:1-17
- 24 Genesis 44:18-34
- 25 Genesis 45:1-28
- 26 Genesis 46:1-27
- 27 Genesis 46:28-47:12
- 28 Genesis 47:13-31
- 29 Genesis 48:1-22
- 30 Genesis 49:29-50:14
- 31 Genesis 50:15-26

- 1 Galatians 1:1-24
- 2 Galatians 2:1-14
- 3 Galatians 2:15-21
- 4 Galatians 3:1-14
- 5 Galatians 3:15-4:7
- 6 Galatians 4:8-20
- 7 Galatians 4:21-31
- 8 Galatians 5:1-15
- 9 Galatians 5:15-26
- 10 Galatians 6:1-18

- 11 Acts 13:1-12
- 12 Acts 13:13-25
- 13 Acts 13:26-41
- 14 Acts 13:42-52
- 15 Acts 14:1-20
- 16 Acts 14:21-28
- 17 Acts 16:1-15
- 18 Acts 16:16-40
- 19 Acts 17:1-15
- 20 Acts 17:16-34
- 21 Acts 18:1-17
- 22 Acts 18:18-28
- 23 Acts 19:1-20
- 24 Acts 19:21-41
- 25 Acts 20:1-16
- 26 Acts 20:17-38
- 27 Acts 21:1-16
- 28 Acts 21:17-26
- 29 Romans 1:1-18
- 30 Romans 12:1-21
- 31 Romans 13:1-14

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- 1 Luke 8:1-18
- 2 Luke 11:1-13
- 3 Luke 11:14-28
- 4 Luke 11:29-36
- 5 Luke 11:37-54
- 6 Luke 12:1-12
- 7 Luke 12:13-21
- 8 Luke 12:22-40
- 9 Luke 13:18-30
- 10 Luke 14:7-24
- 11 Luke 15:1-10
- 12 Luke 15:11-32
- 13 Luke 18:1-17

- 14 Proverbs 3:1-35
- 15 Proverbs 4:1-27
- 16 Proverbs 10:1-32
- 17 Proverbs 11:1-31
- 18 Proverbs 12:1-28
- 19 Proverbs 13:1-25
- 20 Proverbs 19:1-29

- 21 Ecclesiastes 3:1-15
- 22 Ecclesiastes 5:1-20
- 23 Ecclesiastes 7:1-25
- 24 Ecclesiastes 12:1-14

- 25 Job 28:1-28
- 26 Job 36:5-26
- 27 Job 36:27-37:13
- 28 Job 37:14-24
- 29 2 Chronicles 1:1-12
- 30 Psalm 19

- 1 Psalm 37
- 2 Psalm 52
- 3 Psalm 94
- 4 Psalm 96

- World Communion Sunday**
- 5 1 Corinthians 11:17-34
- 6 Psalm 97
- 7 Psalm 98
- 8 Psalm 99
- 9 Exodus 20:1-17
- 10 Leviticus 25:1-22
- 11 Leviticus 25:23-38
- 12 Leviticus 25:39-55

- 13 Numbers 27:1-11
- 14 Numbers 36:1-13
- 15 Deuteronomy 1:1-18
- 16 Deuteronomy 4:1-14
- 17 Deuteronomy 4:15-40
- 18 Deuteronomy 4:41-49
- 19 Deuteronomy 5:1-22
- 20 Deuteronomy 5:23-33
- 21 Deuteronomy 6:1-25
- 22 Deuteronomy 7:1-11
- 23 Deuteronomy 7:12-26
- 24 Deuteronomy 16:18-17:1

- 25 Micah 1:1-16
- 26 Micah 2:1-13
- 27 Micah 3:1-12
- 28 Micah 4:1-5:1
- 29 Micah 5:2-15
- 30 Micah 6:1-16
- 31 Micah 7:1-20

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- 1 Psalm 8
- 2 2 Chronicles 5:1-14
- 3 Ezra 1:1-11
- 4 Ezra 3:1-13
- 5 Ezra 4:24-5:17
- 6 Ezra 6:1-12
- 7 Ezra 6:13-22
- 8 Ezra 7:1-10
- 9 Ezra 7:11-28

- 10 Nehemiah 8:1-18
- 11 Nehemiah 12:27-47
- 12 Haggai 1:1-15
- 13 Haggai 2:1-23
- 14 Psalm 113
- 15 Psalm 118
- 16 Psalm 105:1-22
- 17 Psalm 105:23-45
- 18 Psalm 106:1-23
- 19 Psalm 106:24-48
- 20 Psalm 107:1-22
- 21 Psalm 107:23-43
- 22 Psalm 135
- 23 Psalm 144
- 24 Psalm 145
- 25 Psalm 146
- 26 Psalm 147

- Thanksgiving Day**
- 27 Psalm 148
- 28 Psalm 149
- 29 Psalm 150

- First Sunday of Advent**
- 30 Psalm 34

- 1 Psalm 24
- 2 Matthew 24:1-28
- 3 Matthew 24:29-51
- 4 Matthew 25:1-30
- 5 Matthew 25:31-46
- 6 Jeremiah 31:1-14

- Second Sunday of Advent**
- 7 Jeremiah 33:1-11
- 8 Jeremiah 33:12-26
- 9 Isaiah 2:1-5
- 10 Isaiah 9:1b-7
- 11 Isaiah 11:1-9
- 12 Isaiah 11:10-16
- 13 Isaiah 12:1-6

- Third Sunday of Advent**
- 14 Isaiah 25:1-9
- 15 Isaiah 26:1-19
- 16 Isaiah 35:1-10
- 17 Ezekiel 36:1-15
- 18 Ezekiel 36:16-38
- 19 Ezekiel 39:21-29
- 20 Zephaniah 3:1-20

- Fourth Sunday of Advent**
- 21 Luke 1:1-25
- 22 Luke 1:26-56
- 23 Luke 1:57-80
- 24 Luke 2:1-21

- Christmas Day**
- 25 John 1:1-18
- 26 John 1:19-34
- 27 John 2:1-12
- 28 Zechariah 9:9-17
- 29 Zechariah 10:1-12
- 30 Revelation 19:1-10
- 31 Psalm 30

Everything written in the Scriptures was written to teach us, in order that we might have hope through the patience and encouragement which the Scriptures give us.

Romans 15:4 (Good News Translation)

Getting the Most Out of Your Daily Bible Reading

As you read the Bible each day, allow the Scriptures to speak to you. This daily “dialogue” between you and the biblical text will reveal new understandings about God, and about yourself.

Pray with focus and openness to see what God has for you: *God, connect with me here, as I seek you in your Word.*

Read the selected passage of Scripture slowly. Take note of intriguing words or phrases. Read them a second time.

Reflect on what strikes you as you read. Think through what God is communicating to you at this point in your life.

Respond to the passage. Speak to God directly about what’s on your mind and heart. Look for ways to live out what you’ve uncovered. Enhance your daily Bible reading with a daily devotional keyed to each day’s reading by visiting

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