

Easter reading plan

Journeying with Jesus during Holy Week | From Palm Sunday to Easter Sunday

Approaching Each Day

- Invite Jesus into this time of reflection. Remember God is always with you, including in this moment.
- Read the Scripture passages slowly twice in a restful and receiving posture.
- Reflect on the questions below and notice what stands out to you.
- Pray by simply talking to God and listen for what He might be saying to you.

Daily Readings & Reflections

Sunday, March 29 - Sunday, April 5

Palm Sunday | Hosanna in the Highest

Read Psalm 118:26; Matthew 21:1-11

- What is capturing your attention in the text?
- Imagine yourself in this part of the story as Jesus rides by on the donkey. What do you notice?

Monday | Sitting at the Feet of Jesus

Read John 12:1-11

- Picture the scene, with Mary at Jesus' feet and the smell of the perfume filling the air...
- What would you want to say to Jesus if you were sitting at his feet today?

Grab a Bible and a journal. Let's prayerfully read and reflect together.



Tuesday / Jesus Washes Feet

Read John 13:1–20

- Jesus washes the disciples' feet. After He finishes, pay close attention to what he says to them.
- Wonder with Jesus how He might be inviting you to live this out in your life.

Wednesday / Predicting Betrayal and Denial. A New Command is Given.

Read John 13:21–38

- As you notice what is happening in the story, what stands out?
- What might verses 34–35 look like in your life today?

Thursday / Remain in Jesus

Read John 15:1–17

- Who is the vine? The gardener? And the branches?
- Jesus asks us to love each other as He has loved us (v.12). What might this kind of love look like in your life today?

Good Friday / Jesus on the Cross

Read Psalm 22:1-18; John 18:1–40; John 19:1–30; Mark 15:33-41

- Move slowly through these passages and enter the story as much as possible. Notice what stands out most to you as you read.
- Locate the portions of Psalm 22 quoted in the John and Luke passage. How does this expand your understanding of Jesus' experience on the cross?

Saturday / Blood and Water Flowed. Jesus is Buried.

Read John 19:31–42

- What stands out to you about Joseph and Nicodemus?
- Wonder what this moment was like for them as they cared for Jesus' body.

Easter Sunday / The Tomb is Empty...He has Risen!!

Read Matthew 28:1-10 & Isaiah 35:1-2

- Close your eyes and picture what this day may have looked like, sounded like, felt like. What wonderings come to mind?
- What emotions do you read that Mary Magdalene & the other Mary were feeling in Matthew 28:1-10?
- Let gratitude fill your heart for what Jesus has done!

