

## CHRISTIAN DOCTRINE BIBLE READING PLAN

### SECOND QUARTER – STUDY OF GOD’S WORD, MAN, & CHRIST

| Wk | God’s Word     | MONDAY  | TUESDAY   | WEDNESDAY  | THURSDAY   | FRIDAY  |
|----|----------------|---|---|--|--|---|
| 1  |                | <b>God’s Law</b><br>Deut 5:1-21                           | <b>God’s Law</b><br>Deut 6:1-25                         | <b>Meditate on it</b><br>Psalm 1:1-6; Josh 1:1-8           | <b>Commit to obey</b><br>2 Kings 22:1-20; 23:1-3 | <b>Attributes</b><br>Psalm 19:1-14                        |
| 2  |                | <b>Blessings</b><br>Psalm 119:1-24                        | <b>Strength</b><br>Psalm 119:25-48                      | <b>Blessings</b><br>Psalm 119:57-80                        | <b>Love for</b><br>Psalm 119:97-120              | <b>Blessings</b><br>Psalm 119:129-152                     |
| 3  |                | <b>Protection from sin</b><br>Matt 3:13-17; 4:1-11        | <b>Different Responses</b><br>Mark 4:1-20               | <b>Revealed by Jesus</b><br>John 17:1-16                   | <b>Reveals righteousness</b><br>Romans 10:1-17   | <b>Wisdom of God</b><br>1 Cor 1:18-31; 2:1-14             |
| 4  |                | <b>Good News</b><br>Galatians 1:1-24                      | <b>Spiritual Weapon</b><br>Ephesians 6:10-20            | <b>Life Instruction</b><br>Colossians 3:1-17               | <b>Life Instruction</b><br>1 Timothy 6:3-21      | <b>Equipping</b><br>2 Timothy 3:10-17; 4:1-5              |
| 5  |                | <b>Spiritual Growth</b><br>Heb 4:8-13; 5:11-14; 6:1-3     | <b>Blessings for obedience</b><br>James 1:19-27; 2:1-13 | <b>Inspired by God</b><br>2 Peter 1:3-21                   | <b>Obedience</b><br>1 John 4:7-21                | <b>Obedience</b><br>1 John 5:1-15                         |
|    | <b>Mankind</b> |   |   |  |  |   |
| 6  |                | <b>Made in God’s Image</b><br>Gen 1:26-29; 2:4-25         | <b>Created for God’s Glory</b><br>Ps 8:1-9; Isa 43:6-7  | <b>Fall of Man (Sin)</b><br>Genesis 3:1-24                 | <b>Mankind’s Evil</b><br>Genesis 6:1-22          | <b>God’s Judgment</b><br>Genesis 7:1-24; 8:1              |
| 7  |                | <b>Value of life</b><br>Genesis 9:1-17                    | <b>Mankind’s purpose</b><br>Ecclesiastes 12:1-14        | <b>Immortal Soul/Spirit</b><br>Matt 10:24-33; 16:24-28     | <b>Fragile physical life</b><br>Psalm 49:1-20    | <b>Life beyond death</b><br>Luke 16:19-31                 |
| 8  |                | <b>Tendency to forget God</b><br>Deuteronomy 8:1-19       | <b>Sin Nature</b><br>Psalm 51:1-19                      | <b>Sin Nature</b><br>2 Peter 2:1-10                        | <b>Doesn’t seek God</b><br>Jer 17:1-10; Isa 53:6 | <b>No spiritual understanding</b><br>1 Corinthians 2:1-16 |
|    | <b>Christ</b>  |   |   |  |  |   |
| 9  |                | <b>Incarnation/Humanity</b><br>Deut 18:14-19; Phil 2:1-11 | <b>Anointed Son/Lord</b><br>Ps 2:1-12; 110:1-7          | <b>Eternal King</b><br>Ps 89:1-4; 19-37                    | <b>Light for Gentiles</b><br>Isa 9:1-7; 53:1-12  | <b>Chosen servant of God</b><br>Isa 42:1-9; 49:1-12       |
| 10 |                | <b>Fulfillment of Prophecy</b><br>Isa 61:1-3; Lk 4:14-30  | <b>Son of Man</b><br>Dan 7:13-14; Mk 14:53-65           | <b>Born of Virgin/Bethlehem</b><br>Micah 5:1-5; Lk 1:26-38 | <b>Majestic Messiah</b><br>Luke 9:18-36          | <b>God incarnate</b><br>John 1:1-18                       |
| 11 |                | <b>Authority to give life</b><br>John 5:16-30             | <b>Bread of Life</b><br>John 6:25-59                    | <b>Sent by the Father</b><br>John 8:12-30                  | <b>Great Shepherd</b><br>John 10:1-21            | <b>Way to the Father</b><br>John 14:1-14                  |
| 12 |                | <b>The True Vine</b><br>John 15:1-17                      | <b>Reveals God</b><br>John 17:1-17                      | <b>Divine</b><br>Col 1:15-23; Heb 1:1-14                   | <b>God became Man</b><br>Hebrews 2:5-18; 3:1-6   | <b>Sinless</b><br>Hebrews 4:14-16; 5:1-10                 |
| 13 |                | <b>Our High Priest</b><br>Hebrews 7:11-28                 | <b>Mediator of New Covenant</b><br>Hebrews 8:1-13       | <b>Mediator of New Covenant</b><br>Hebrews 9:1-28          | <b>Once for all sacrifice</b><br>Hebrews 10:1-18 | <b>Coming Again</b><br>Rev 5:1-14; 19:11-16               |

**The following suggestions will help you get the most out of this Bible reading plan.**

1. This plan was developed to help the reader deepen his or her understanding of Christian doctrine. Simply put, “doctrine” is what God teaches us through the Bible. The year-long reading plan will work systematically through topics vital to our faith, such as:
  - a. Theology – the doctrine or study of God
  - b. God’s Word
  - c. Anthropology – the study of the nature man
  - d. Christology – the study of the nature of Christ
  - e. Soteriology – the study of salvation
  - f. Pneumatology – the study of the Holy Spirit
  - g. Ecclesiology – the study of the Church
  - h. Eschatology – the study of end times
2. Use this plan daily in conjunction with prayer, journaling, and meditation on the Scripture passage.
3. This plan gives five days of reading per week. Here are a few ideas for Saturday and Sunday.
  - a. Use these two days to catch up if you’ve gotten behind.
  - b. Reread any passages that particularly stood out to you during the week.
  - c. Work on memorizing one or more verses from that week’s readings.
  - d. Use these two days to read through the Psalms and Proverbs.
4. **Don’t merely read the passage.** Meditate on it and interact with it. Meditation is not emptying your mind. It is deep thinking on spiritual truths. As you read, linger over verses that impact you. Ask God questions and “listen” for His answers. Allow God to apply their truths to your life. Below are examples of questions you can use to interact with the Scriptures you read.
  - a. **Does this passage present some truth that should change what you believe or the way you think about God?**
  - b. **Does this passage prompt you to praise God, thank God for something specific, or truth God in a situation?**
  - c. **Is there something in this passage you should pray for yourself or for someone else?**
  - d. **Does this passage bring to mind a sin you need to confess?**
- e. **Is God using this passage to move you to a particular act of obedience or to make a decision?**