Bible Reading Plan

Capturing the meta-narrative of the Bible and the centrality of Jesus

SCRIPTURE PASSAGE

Designed

We were **designed** for intimate relationship with our Creator, living in the wholeness of life.

Genesis 1:1-2:3 Genesis 2:4-25 Psalm 139:1-24

John 1:1-18

First Creation Narrative Second Creation Narrative God's Beautiful Creation Jesus the Word (Logic of Creation)

Broken

By rejecting God, our relationship with God, each other, our inner-self, and the earth were **broken**.

Genesis 3:1-24 Genesis 6:5-7:10 Psalm 51:1-19 Romans 7:14-25 The Fall
The Flood
David's Confession
The Struggle of Sin

STORY

Promise

God, faithful to his **promise** chose to not give up on the world, but was active in shaping a people that would reflect his love and justice. Genesis 12:1-8; 15:1-6 Exodus 3:1-15; 6:1-8 Exodus 19:1-8; 20:1-17 Leviticus 4:27-35 Micah 6:1-8 Isaiah 53:1-12 God's Promise to Abram
A People Chosen and Released
The Ten Commandments
The Sacrificial System
Prophets Speak for Justice
The Promise of a Saviour

Presence

In Jesus, God took human form. His **presence**, through words, works, and ways, a perfect reflection of God and the life we were originally created to live. Mark 1:9-20 Luke 5:17-26 Mark 4:35-41 Matthew 5:1-6:4 Matthew 7:1-29 Luke 10:25-37 John 4:1-42 John 13:1-17

Jesus Begins Teaching
Jesus Forgives and Heals
Jesus Calms the Storm
Sermon on the Mount (Part 1)
Sermon on the Mount (Part 2)
The Good Samaritan
Jesus and the Samaritan Woman
Jesus Washes His Disciples Feet

Victory

Through Jesus' death and resurrection he demonstrated victory over brokenness and sin, inviting us to live in the truth of his forgiveness and grace. Matthew 26:17-30 John 19:1-42 John 20:1-21 Romans 5:1-21 Colossians 3:1-17 Ephesians 2:1-10 The Last Supper
Jesus is Crucified
The Resurrection
God's Love and Life
Alive with Christ
Living as God's Handiwork

Restoration

One day, Jesus will return for the restoration of all things. In the meantime, and free from fear, we participate in and promote the Kingdom of God through our lives.

John 14:11-27 Matthew 6:5-15 Matthew 28:16-20 Ephesians 4:1-13 Revelation 21:1-14, 22-27

Lead by the Holy Spirit
The Lord's Prayer
The Great Commission
Unity and Maturity in Christ
New Heaven and New Earth

What is God like? What is God saying? What am I going to do about it?