

Live the **WORD**

2016-2020

As for me, I shall behold your face in righteousness; when I awake, I shall be satisfied with your likeness.

Psalm 17:15 (ESV)

God wrote a book. God wrote this book so that He might give Himself to us. The words of the Bible are the divinely given communication from the Creator of all things. Do you want to know God? Look in His book. Do you want to be more like Christ? Abide in His Word. Do you want to be satisfied in Christ? Behold His face in His self-revelation.

This Bible reading plan is a tool to equip you for daily seeking the Lord. Our hope and prayer is that this plan will draw you deeper in knowledge and love for your Creator. May the testimony of all Yellow Jackets be, "As for me, I shall behold your face in righteousness; when I awake, I shall be satisfied with your likeness"(Ps. 17:15).

About This Reading Plan

This Bible reading plan is designed to start the first full week of classes in 2016 and end on graduation for the class of 2020. Cedarville students will have several experiences of getting into the Word of God. They will read quickly and intensely on several occasions for their Bible minor classes. Yet, there is value in reading the Bible both quickly and slowly. Reading in large portions provides an overview, reveals major themes, and illuminates textual connections. Reading slowly provides opportunity to think deeply on individual words and phrases. The Holy Spirit uses both, and we intentionally have both built into the experience of students at Cedarville. Therefore, the goal for this reading plan is to encourage students to build a daily time into life when they are getting into the Bible across classes, semesters, and breaks. Grab your Bible, read consistently and carefully alongside the class of 2020, and God will change your life.

Live the **WORD** 2016 Schedule

Week	Date	Reading
1	August 29	Genesis 1–6
2	September 5	Genesis 7–12
3	September 12	Genesis 13–18
4	September 19	Genesis 19–24
5	September 26	Genesis 25–30
6	October 3	Genesis 31–36
7	October 10	Genesis 37–43
8	October 17	Genesis 44–50
9	October 24	Matthew 1–6
10	October 31	Matthew 7–12

Week	Date	Reading
11	November 7	Matthew 13–18
12	November 14	Matthew 19–23
13	November 21	Matthew 24–28
14	November 28	Exodus 1–6
15	December 5	Exodus 7–12
16	December 12	Exodus 13–19
17	December 19	Exodus 20–26
18	December 26	Exodus 27–33

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Week	Date	Reading
1	January 2	Exodus 34–40
2	January 9	Mark 1–6
3	January 16	Mark 7–12
4	January 23	Mark 13–16
5	January 30	Leviticus 1–5
6	February 6	Leviticus 6–11
7	February 13	Leviticus 12–16
8	February 20	Leviticus 17–21
9	February 27	Leviticus 22–27
10	March 6	Luke 1–6
11	March 13	Luke 7–12
12	March 20	Luke 13–18
13	March 27	Luke 19–24
14	April 3	Numbers 1–6
15	April 10	Numbers 7–12
16	April 17	Numbers 13–18
17	April 24	Numbers 19–24
18	May 1	Numbers 25–30
19	May 8	Numbers 31–36
20	May 15	John 1–6
21	May 22	John 7–11
22	May 29	John 12–16
23	June 5	John 17–21
24	June 12	Deuteronomy 1–6
25	June 19	Deuteronomy 7–13
26	June 26	Deuteronomy 14–19

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Week	Date	Reading
1	January 1	1 Samuel 25–31
2	January 8	Psalms 1–6
3	January 15	Psalms 7–13
4	January 22	Psalms 14–20
5	January 29	Psalms 21–27
6	February 5	Psalms 28–34
7	February 12	Psalms 35–41
8	February 19	2 Samuel 1–6
9	February 26	2 Samuel 7–12
10	March 5	2 Samuel 13–18
11	March 12	2 Samuel 19–24
12	March 19	2 Corinthians 1–6
13	March 26	2 Corinthians 7–13
14	April 2	1 Kings 1–6
15	April 9	1 Kings 7–12
16	April 16	1 Kings 13–18
17	April 23	1 Kings 19–22
18	April 30	Psalms 42–49
19	May 7	Psalms 50–57
20	May 14	Psalms 58–65
21	May 21	Psalms 66–72
22	May 28	2 Kings 1–6
23	June 4	2 Kings 7–12
24	June 11	2 Kings 13–18
25	June 18	2 Kings 19–25
26	June 25	Galatians 1–6

Week	Date	Reading
27	July 3	Deuteronomy 20–24
28	July 10	Deuteronomy 25–29
29	July 17	Deuteronomy 30–34
30	July 24	Acts 1–6
31	July 31	Acts 7–12
32	August 7	Acts 13–17
33	August 14	Acts 18–22
34	August 21	Acts 23–28
35	August 28	Joshua 1–6
36	September 4	Joshua 7–12
37	September 11	Joshua 13–18
38	September 18	Joshua 19–24
39	September 25	Romans 1–5
40	October 2	Romans 6–11
41	October 9	Romans 12–16
42	October 16	Judges 1–7
43	October 23	Judges 8–14
44	October 30	Judges 15–21
45	November 6	Ruth 1–4
46	November 13	1 Corinthians 1–5
47	November 20	1 Corinthians 6–11
48	November 27	1 Corinthians 12–16
49	December 4	1 Samuel 1–6
50	December 11	1 Samuel 7–12
51	December 18	1 Samuel 13–18
52	December 25	1 Samuel 19–24

Week	Date	Reading
27	July 2	1 Chronicles 1–6
28	July 9	1 Chronicles 7–12
29	July 16	1 Chronicles 13–18
30	July 23	1 Chronicles 19–24
31	July 30	1 Chronicles 25–29
32	August 6	Ephesians 1–6
33	August 13	2 Chronicles 1–6
34	August 20	2 Chronicles 7–12
35	August 27	2 Chronicles 13–18
36	September 3	2 Chronicles 19–24
37	September 10	2 Chronicles 25–30
38	September 17	2 Chronicles 31–36
39	September 24	Philippians 1–4
40	October 1	Ezra 1–5
41	October 8	Ezra 6–10
42	October 15	Nehemiah 1–6
43	October 22	Nehemiah 7–13
44	October 29	Colossians 1–4
45	November 5	Esther 1–10
46	November 12	Job 1–6
47	November 19	Job 7–12
48	November 26	Job 13–18
49	December 3	Job 19–24
50	December 10	Job 25–30
51	December 17	Job 31–36
52	December 24	Job 37–42

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Week	Date	Reading
1	December 31	1 & 2 Thessalonians
2	January 7	1 Timothy 1–6
3	January 14	2 Timothy; Titus
4	January 21	Psalms 73–79
5	January 28	Psalms 80–84
6	February 4	Psalms 85–89
7	February 11	Philemon; Hebrews 1–6
8	February 18	Hebrews 7–13
9	February 25	Psalms 90–98
10	March 4	Psalms 99–106
11	March 11	James
12	March 18	Psalms 107–118
13	March 25	Psalms 119–120
14	April 1	Psalms 121–135
15	April 8	Psalms 136–143
16	April 15	Psalms 144–150
17	April 22	1 Peter 1–5
18	April 29	Proverbs 1–6
19	May 6	Proverbs 7–12
20	May 13	Proverbs 13–18
21	May 20	Proverbs 19–24
22	May 27	Proverbs 25–31
23	June 3	2 Peter 1–3
24	June 10	Ecclesiastes 1–6
25	June 17	Ecclesiastes 7–12
26	June 24	Song of Solomon 1–4

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Week	Date	Reading
1	December 30	Ezekiel 7–13
2	January 6	Ezekiel 14–19
3	January 13	Ezekiel 20–26
4	January 20	Ezekiel 27–33
5	January 27	Ezekiel 34–41
6	February 3	Ezekiel 42–48
7	February 10	Jude; Revelation 1–6
8	February 17	Revelation 7–12
9	February 24	Revelation 13–18
10	March 2	Revelation 19–22

Week	Date	Reading
11	March 9	Daniel 1–6
12	March 16	Daniel 7–12
13	March 23	Hosea 1–7
14	March 30	Hosea 8–14
15	April 6	Joel; Obadiah; Jonah
16	April 13	Amos; Micah
17	April 20	Nahum; Habakkuk; Zephaniah; Haggai
18	April 27	Zechariah; Malachi

Our daily time with the Lord should include personal communication and fellowship with God in prayer. It is an incredible fact of God's love for His children that He desires for us to bring all things to Him. Below are a few categories to guide you in your prayer life.

Adoration of God – The goal of a daily time with the Lord is to know Him and Love Him for who He is. Spend some time in prayer thinking on the character of God and stating to Him your adoration of Him.

Repentance of Sin – Repentance is a regular posture of the Christian to confess sin before God and seek heart change by grace. Spend some time asking the Holy Spirit to illuminate your sinfulness and state your repentance before God.

Supplication for Needs – There is no matter in our lives below God's awareness and concern. Spend time taking the matters on your heart to the Lord.

Intercession for Others – God's children have the opportunity to bear the needs and burdens of others before the One who sustains all things. Spend some time taking to the Lord the needs of others in your life.

Pray Scripture – Prayer is a conversation, and we have God's perfect communication to us in Scripture. Make it a habit to connect your daily Bible reading to your prayer life for the day. What truth in your reading for today is something that should occupy you in prayer? The possibilities are as deep as the truth of God's Word.



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