

5 year Bible reading plan – week 84

Week 84 – w/c 17/6/18

Monday: Mark 8:22-38. “Denying yourself” (v34) is equivalent to “losing your life for the gospel” (v35). How do you do this in your day to day experience?

Tuesday: Exodus 25:1-40. The tabernacle and furnishings were to be made exactly according to pattern (v40) because they were symbols of the reality of heaven (Hebrews 9) and of God’s presence with them (vv8-9). In what ways can you make your life a sanctuary for God where he is pleased to dwell?

Wednesday: 1 Samuel 31:1-13. Saul’s suicide did not affect the respect the people of Jabesh Gilead had for their king. They did not want his body dishonoured and so took the unusual step of burning the bodies. How do you show your respect for those in authority in our nation?

Thursday: Proverbs 11:10-19. These verses teach about national government, as well as about personal relationships and behavior. Choose one verse and make it your prayer for today either for yourself, someone else, or our nation.

Friday: Jeremiah 15:1-21. In a culture of backsliding and spiritual decline, Jeremiah remained faithful. God makes him a personal promise in verses 19-21 that applies to all who swim against the current of a spiritually empty society. What can you receive from his example?

Weekend: 2 Corinthians 10:12-18. Paul didn’t want to take credit where others had worked in the same area before him. He wanted to work where others had not yet reached out with the gospel (v16). This was rooted in what he knew was God’s call upon his life. How clear are you of what God expects of you in your main daily activity? Ask God to enable you to best represent him in your sphere of service.