

Red Letter Challenge - 40 Day Biblical Reading Plan

April 11 through May 20

Sunday, April 11 | John 1:1-28

Mark your daily readings in your calendar as appointment with Jesus.

Monday, April 12 | John 1:29-51

Pray about a special family - create a family invite to the Mother's Day Service (May 9th)

Tuesday, April 13 | John 2:1-25

Pray for the church as they go through RLC and your special family

Wednesday, April 14 | John 3:1-21

Pray for your family and that special family to connect them to Jesus

Thursday, April 15 | John 3:22-36

Pray for your special family - What does it mean? to become less and Jesus become greater.

Friday, April 16 | John 4:1-42

Share Jesus within your family or your closest Christian friend

Saturday, April 17 | John 4:43-54

Pray for the ill of Bethany & your special family

Sunday, April 18 | John 5:1-15

Pray for your special family that the Holy Spirit make them receptive to your invitation

Monday, April 19 | John 5:16-47

Pray for your special family and list all the places you see God's creative work

Tuesday, April 20 | John 6:1-21

Make a meal or snack and share with others

Wednesday, April 21 | John 6:22-59

If you're medically able, eat nothing but bread and water for breakfast and lunch

Thursday, April 22 | John 6:60-71

Pray for your special family to be receptive to your Mother's Day invite

Friday, April 23 | John 7:1-31

Pray for someone to know that Jesus died for them

Saturday, April 24 | John 7:32-52

Pray that God's living water flow from you to your special family

Sunday, April 25 | John 8:1-30

Light a candle in a dark room. Reflect on Jesus, the Light of the World

Monday, April 26 | John 8:31-59

Look at family pictures. Who do you resemble?

Tuesday, April 27 | John 9:1-41

I once was blind and now I see. How did this happen?

Wednesday, April 28 | John 10:1-21

Spend 30 minutes in complete silence - No phone, computers, music, or TV

Thursday, April 29 | John 10:22-42

Reflect on being in the hand of God...Reflect on the security in Jesus...

Friday, April 30 | John 11:1-16

Are you always patient? Reflect on God's timing versus your timing

Saturday, May 1 | John 11:17-57

Pray for those who are grieving, that they would trust in Jesus, the Resurrection and the Life.

Sunday, May 2 | John 12:1-19

Offer a special monetary gift as a family, in someone's name.

Pray for our Confirmands: Ella Albert, Madison Fibiger, Zakary and Zane Willadsen

Monday, May 3 | John 12:20-50

Plant flower or vegetable seeds...Christians are seed planters.

Have you invited your special family? Next Sunday is Mother's Day!

Pray for our Confirmands: Ella, Madison, Zakary, and Zane

Tuesday, May 4 | John 13:1-20

Take time and examine where you have fallen short and ask God to forgive you (privately)

Have you invited your special family? Next Sunday is Mother's Day!

Pray for our Confirmands

Wednesday, May 5 | John 13:21-38

Judas placed money before Jesus. What material possessions are you putting before Jesus?

Have you invited your special family? Next Sunday is Mother's Day!

Pray for our Confirmands

Thursday, May 6 | John 14:1-14

Pray for your special family that they will be receptive to the Way, the Truth and the Life!

Have you invited your special family? Next Sunday is Mother's Day!

Pray for our Confirmands

Friday, May 7 | John 14:15-31

Put **RLC** bracelet on! Pray for your Special family!

Have you invited your special family? Next Sunday is Mother's Day!

Pray for our Confirmands

Saturday, May 8 | John 15:1-17

Memorize John 15:5 and pray for your Special family

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Pray for our Confirmands

Sunday, May 9 | John 15:18-27

Pray for your special family who you invited.

(Ascension Day - make an effort to attend Ascension service on Thursday 5/13/21)

Monday, May 10 | John 16:1-15

Pray for those that you personally know who have wandered from the faith or don't believe.

(Ascension Day - make an effort to attend Ascension service on Thursday 5/13/21)

Tuesday, May 11 | John 16:16-33

Write a short testimony of a time God changed a grief into joy and place it in your Bible.

(Ascension Day - make an effort to attend Ascension service on Thursday 5/13/21)

Wednesday, May 12 | John 17:1-26

Pray for your Pastor and his family, pray for the Leadership of Bethany, pray for those who don't know Jesus.

(Ascension Day - make an effort to attend Ascension service on Thursday 5/13/21)

Thursday, May 13 | John 18:1-27

Extend the hand of Christ today. Wear something that identifies you as a Christian.

(Ascension Day - make the effort to attend this evening's service)

Friday, May 14 | John 18:28-40

What does it mean to be in the world and not of the world?

Pray for our Confirmands

Saturday, May 15 | John 19:1-30

Write a note of thanks to Jesus for his sacrificial death for you.

Pray for our Confirmands

Sunday, May 16 | John 19:31-42

Do a little baking. As the fragrance spreads, reflect on Jesus' burial.

Pray for our Confirmands

Monday, May 17 | John 20:1-18

Reflect on Jesus Bodily resurrection.

Pray for our Confirmands

Tuesday, May 18 | John 20:19-30

Jesus breathed on the disciples and said, "Receive the Holy Spirit." Pray to be guided by the Holy Spirit

Pray for our Confirmands

Wednesday, May 19 | John 21:1-14

How Is the resurrected Christ in dwelling in you? (Reflect on your Baptism and the Holy Supper)

Pray for our Confirmands

Thursday, May 20 | John 21:15-25 & Acts 1:1-11

Jesus questions Peter to care for his flock.

Pray for our Confirmands