

# A Church of One Book

## Reading Plan for August 15<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup>

### Whole Book Reading Plan:

Sunday: Matthew 1-4

Monday: Matthew 5-9

Tuesday: Matthew 10-13

Wednesday: Matthew 14-16

Thursday: Matthew 17-20

Friday: Matthew 21-25

Saturday: Matthew 26-27

### Key Chapters Reading Plan:

Sunday: Matthew 1

Monday: Matthew 5

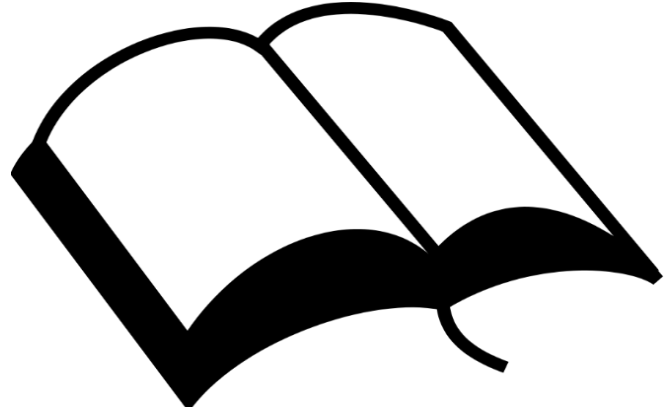
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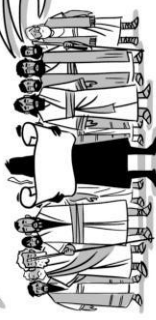
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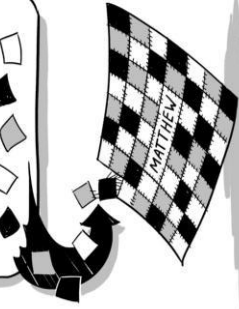
Saturday: Matthew 26-27



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30-40 YEARS OF ORAL TRADITION



**Matthew**  
SEE 9: 1 & 10: 3

# THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO MATTHEW

Things to look for

#1

LOOK UP OLD TESTAMENT QUOTATIONS (THERE ARE A LOT)

#2

LOOK CLOSELY AT THE PEOPLE WHO ACCEPT JESUS

IRREVERENT & UNIMPORTANT + FAITH = TRANSFORMATION

#3

NEW MOSES

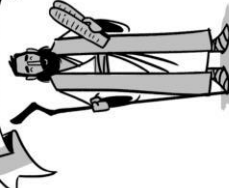
#2

MESSIAH FROM THE LINE OF DAVID

#1

GOD WITH US

NEW MOSES



**MOSES** | **JESUS**

- OUT OF EGYPT
- CROSS THE RED SEA
- WILDERNESS FOR 40 YEARS
- RECEIVES LAW FROM MOUNTAIN

**JESUS** > **MOSES**

- OUT OF EGYPT
- BAPTISM IN THE JORDAN RIVER
- WILDERNESS FOR 40 DAYS
- GIVES LAW FROM MOUNTAIN

**JESUS > MOSES**

- DELIVER FROM SLAVERY
- GIVE NEW DIVINE TEACHING
- SAVE FROM SIN
- INITIATE A NEW COVENANT

1-3 **CONNECT JESUS TO OLD TESTAMENT**

4-7 **ANNOUNCING GOD'S KINGDOM**

8-10 **JESUS BRINGS KINGDOM INTO PEOPLES LIVES**

11-13 **RESPONSES TO JESUS**

14-20 **DIFFERENT EXPECTATIONS ABOUT THE MESSIAH**

4-7 **SERMON ON THE MOUNT** (ch 5-7)

- ESCAPE OPERATION FOR THE WORLD
- CONFRONT EVIL
- RESTORE GOD'S REIGN
- CREATE A NEW FAMILY
- HOW TO LIVE IN GOD'S KINGDOM
- FULFILL THE TORAH
- UPSIDE DOWN KINGDOM
- HEARTS TO LOVE

8-10 **SENDING THE 12** (ch 10)

- EFFECT RECEPTION AND REJECTION
- SENDING OUT
- TEACH THEM
- TRAVEL WITH THEM
- WHILE THEY

11-13 **PARABLES ABOUT THE KINGDOM** (ch 13)

- PARABLES
- COMMENTARY
- JESUS IS THE MESSIAH!
- IS HE THE MESSIAH? ..?
- HE IS NOT THE MESSIAH!
- POSITIVE: GREAT FEELING
- NEUTRAL: WITH THE DUBIOUS
- NEGATIVE: PAINFUL

14-20 **THE UPSIDE DOWN KINGDOM** (ch 16 & 17-20)

- HUMBLE BY SERVING
- REVENGE VS FORGIVE
- GAIN THE WORLD BY GIVING IT AWAY
- SUFFERING SERVANT
- THEY'LL BE PROUD!
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- VICTORIOUS! DEFEATS PAGANS!

21-25 **CLASH OF KINGDOMS**

- CRITIQUE OF THANKS - HYPOCRITES! (ch 23-25)
- ASKING AUTHORITY
- AND THERE AS COMPROMISED BELIEFS OF HYPOCRISY
- OFFENDED - DARING TO KILL JESUS

**Immanuel** = GOD WITH US



IMMANUEL = VIRGIN BIRTH

26-28 **PASSOVER MEAL** - NEW MEANING

- REFLECTS THE STORY OF... RESCUE FROM SLAVERY
- RESCUE FROM SLAVERY
- DEATH OF PASSOVER LAMB
- RESCUE FROM... EVIL & SIN
- DEATH OF JESUS

14-20 **DIFFERENT EXPECTATIONS ABOUT THE MESSIAH**

- HE'S INNOCENT BUT... LET HIM BE CRUCIFIED!
- PILATE
- YOU'RE NOT THE MESSIAH!
- YOU HAVE BLASPHEMED GOD!
- SANHEDRIN (JEWISH LEADERS)

11-13 **RESPONSES TO JESUS**

- NOT A FAILURE
- POURFILLED OLD TESTAMENT PROPHETIC PROMISES
- SUFFERING SERVANT
- INSTEAD OF JUDGING THEM HE IS JUDGED ON THEIR BEHALF

14-20 **DIFFERENT EXPECTATIONS ABOUT THE MESSIAH**

- HE IS KING OF THE WORLD
- TELL ALL NATIONS THE GOOD NEWS
- JOIN THE KINGDOM
- TEACHINGS
- BY BAPTIZED
- BE WITH YOU
- Immanuel!

**BOOKS OF MOSES** (TORAH)

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