## Lent 2024 Reading Plan

"Lent is the season that...calls us back to God, back to basics, back to the spiritual realities of life. It calls us to put to death the sin and the indifference we have in our hearts toward God and our fellow persons. And it beckons us to enter once again into the joy of the Lord--the joy of a new life born out of a death to the old life."

-Robert E. Webber

During Lent, we take time to identify with Jesus' journey toward the cross and its significance for our own lives. It is a call to recognize sin, deny it, repent of it, and experience the healing, joy, and life found in our salvation won by Jesus' death for us. Use this card as a prompt prayer and reflection during this season of Lent.

## Each day of Lent (except Sundays), set aside time to do the following:

- **1 -** Begin with 2 to 5 minutes of uninterrupted silence with Jesus
- 2 Read the daily Scripture reading
- **3 -** Pause and reflect on the reading (see prompts on back)
- 4 Repeat steps 2 & 3 at least one time
- **5 -** Pray the prayer of confession
- **6 -** Conclude with a worship song

## **Prayer of Confession:**

Gracious Heavenly Father, I look to your Son, Jesus, today and ask to be reminded of the many ways in which you have shown me grace and mercy through his sacrifice. I know that I am called to follow the way of Jesus, to carry my own cross, to go wherever you lead, and to extend your grace and mercy to those around me. However, I often fail to follow you. I fall short. I ask that today you would create in me a new and contrite heart, that you renew my resolve to follow your way as I confess my sins to you now. Take a few minutes to be honest with God and yourself and confess your sins to him.

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- What stands out to you in this passage?
- What does the passage tell you about God?
- What does the passage tell you about yourself?
- What might be God's invitation to you in response? What is your next step in response?

Feb 14: Psalm 103

**Feb 15:** Genesis 9:8-17

Feb 16: Mark 1:9-15

**Feb 17:** 1 Peter 3:18-22

Feb 19: Psalm 25:1-9

**Feb 20:** Joel 2:1-2, 12-17

Feb 21: John 14:23-31

**Feb 22:** Revelation 3:14-21

Feb 23: Psalm 63

**Feb 24:** Proverbs 3:1-12

Feb 26: Mark 8:31-38

**Feb 27:** Colossians 3:1-11

Feb 28: Psalm 22:22-30

Feb 29: Genesis 17:1-7, 15-16

Mar 1: Matthew 11:25-30

**Mar 2:** Romans 4:13-25

Mar 4: Psalm 1

**Mar 5:** Exodus 20:1-17

**Mar 6:** John 2:13-22

**Mar 7:** 1 Corinthians 1:18-25

Mar 8: Psalm 19

Mar 9: Isaiah 40:27-31

Mar 11: John 3:14-21

Mar 12: Ephesians 2:1-10

Mar 13: Psalm 107:1-3, 17-22

Mar 14: Numbers 21:4-9

Mar 15: Matthew 6:1-6, 16-21

Mar 16: James 5:13-20

Mar 18: Psalm 51:1-13

Mar 19: Jeremiah 31:31-34

Mar 20: John 12:20-33

Mar 21: Hebrews 5:5-10

Mar 22: Psalm 119:9-16

Mar 23: Joshua 1:7-9

**Mar 25:** John 12:1-11

**Mar 26:** John 12:20-36

Mar 27: John 13:21-32

Mar 28: John 13:1-17, 31-35