

## Weekly Devotional Guide

Aug 11 - 17, 2024

<b>Sunday</b> Aug 11	<b>Reading:</b> 2 Corinthians 13; 1 Chronicles 3-4; Zephaniah 1 <b>Prayer:</b> Praise the King of grace who comes down to us in our need and dependence. He opposes the proud but gives grace to the humble.
<b>Monday</b> Aug 12	<b>Reading:</b> John 1:1-18; 1 Chronicles 5-6; Zephaniah 2 <b>Prayer:</b> Jeff Borden works with <b>SAGE International</b> where he serves as Curriculum Director and teacher. Jeff is pleased to have just finished two years of weekly online classes for the Presbyterian Church of Gambia Timothy House training center. Pray for Jeff as he is currently in Zimbabwe visiting the three cities where they have begun local, indigenously-led study/training centers. This is Jeff's first international trip since a major illness four years ago. Pray for his health, recovery from jet lag, all the travel, and especially for great working relationships. Praise God for good news for Jeff's daughter, Lydia, who is recovering well after two years of treatment for lymphoma. Pray for her continued healing.
<b>Tuesday</b> Aug 13	<b>Reading:</b> John 1:19-34; 1 Chronicles 7-8; Zephaniah 3 <b>Prayer:</b> Repent of believing that matter doesn't matter. Believe God's revelation of not only a new heaven, but also a new earth.
<b>Wednesday</b> Aug 14	<b>Reading:</b> John 1:35-51; 1 Chronicles 9; Haggai 1:1-2:23 <b>Pray for the following members of our Tabernacle family:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jon Rudolph, Sandy Shackelford, Henry, Simon</li> <li>• Daniel, Kate, Eli, Lee, Adalyn, Nate, Remi, Ava Rutherford</li> <li>• Joe, Dawn Santana</li> <li>• Kyle, Laura, Isla, Emrys Sapsford</li> </ul>
<b>Thursday</b> Aug 15	<b>Reading:</b> John 2; 1 Chronicles 10-11; Zechariah 1 <b>Prayer:</b> Pray for grace to move into people's pain in order to remove their sighing and sorrow. Be a reminder of God's promise to, one day, take our tears away.
<b>Friday</b> Aug 16	<b>Reading:</b> John 3:1-21; 1 Chronicles 12; Zechariah 2 <b>Prayer:</b> Pray for <b>Providence Presbyterian Church</b> in <b>Christiansburg</b> as they continue to grow and reach their community.
<b>Saturday</b> Aug 17	<b>Reading:</b> John 3:22-36; 1 Chronicles 13-14; Zechariah 3 <b>Prayer:</b> Pray for the <b>Nursery volunteers</b> as they demonstrate God's loving care towards our little ones and help them to feel safe.

## The Good News of the Gospel

The Future Is Good; Revelation 21:1-5

### New Heaven

*Heaven's Direction (Ps 121:1-2; Is 64:3-4)*

*Heaven's Completion (Phil 1:21-23)*

### New Earth

*Earth's Destruction (2Pet 3:10)*

*Earth's Completion (Is 61:4-7; Phil 3:20-21)*

### All Things New

*The Former Things Have Passed Away*

*These Words are Trustworthy and True*