

Weekly Devotional Guide
Aug 16 - 22, 2026

When the World Doesn't Make Sense
Ecclesiastes 5:1-7; Empty Words & Full Ears

Sunday Aug 16	Reading: 1 Timothy 1-3 Prayer: Praise the Lord who opens His mouth and speaks to us. What kind of universe would it be if He did not speak?
Monday Aug 17	Reading: Numbers 1-4 Prayer: Pray for Victor and Tatiana Nadchernicinii who minister to students with Cru in their native Moldova . Pray for Victor as he leads a teamwork training for local volunteers in Slobozia. Pray that God would raise up strong spiritual leaders there. Pray, too, for Tatiana's study of a biblical counseling course to better minister to female students and people in the church. Pray for their family as they recently learned that Tatiana is expecting their second child. She has had complications in the past, so please pray that the baby will be healthy and that she will carry this pregnancy to full term.
Tuesday Aug 18	Reading: I Chronicles 5-9 Prayer: Praise the Lord who inclines His ear and hears our cries. What kind of universe would it be if He did not listen?
Wednesday Aug 19	Reading: Psalm 96-98 Pray for the following members of our Tabernacle family: • Danielle, Caleb, Calvin, Connor, Corbin, Catcher, Cordelia, Caylee, Cornelius, Credence, Caspian Whitecotton • David & Stephanie, Sam, Miles Whitehill • Teresa Wildermuth • Stephanie Woleben
Thursday Aug 20	Reading: Proverbs 17-18 Prayer: Pray for grace to be good listeners and to use our words to bless others and point them to Jesus.
Friday Aug 21	Reading: Daniel 7-12 Prayer: Pray for Draper's Valley Presbyterian Church in Draper as they continue to grow and reach their community.
Saturday Aug 22	Reading: John 5-6 Prayer: Pray for wisdom and perseverance for the leaders of our Home Groups .

The God Who Speaks

Draw Near to Listen (Is 55:3; Deut 6:3-9)

Let Your Words Be Few (Prov 10:19; Jam 1:19-20)

The God Who Listens

Incline Your Ear (Ex 2:23-25; lots of Psalms!)

The Curiosity of Jesus (Lk 5:21-23)

Curious Ambassadors