

FCS Scripture Memorization 2023-2024

God's Promises, Encouragement, and Direction



What to do when you need...

Comfort - Week ending August 18

Matthew 11:28

28 Then Jesus said, "Come to me, all of you who are weary and carry heavy burdens, and I will give you rest.

Confidence - Week ending September 1

Hebrews 11:35-36

35 So do not throw away this confident trust in the Lord.

Remember the great reward it brings you! 36 Patient endurance is what you need now, so that you will continue to do God's will. Then you will receive all that he has promised.

To Make a Decision - Week ending September 8

Psalms 32:8

The Lord says, "I will guide you along the best pathway for your life. I will advise you and watch over you.

Faith - Week ending September 15

Romans 10:17

17 So faith comes from hearing, that is, hearing the Good News about Christ.

Forgiveness - Week ending September 22

Colossians 3:13

13 Make allowance for each other's faults, and forgive anyone who offends you. Remember, the Lord forgave you, so you must forgive others.

Hope - Week ending September 29

Jeremiah 29:11

11 For I know the plans I have for you," says the Lord. "They are plans for good and not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope.

Peace - Week ending October 13

John 16:33

33 I have told you all this so that you may have peace in me. Here on earth you will have many trials and sorrows. But take heart, because I have overcome the world."

Protection - Week ending October 20

Joshua 1:9

9 This is my command—be strong and courageous! Do not be afraid or discouraged. For the Lord your God is with you wherever you go."

To Wait on the Lord - Week ending October 27

1 Peter 5:6-7

6 So humble yourselves under the mighty power of God, and at the right time he will lift you up in honor. 7 Give all your worries and cares to God, for he cares about you.

Wisdom - Week ending November 3

James 1:5-6

5 If you need wisdom, ask our generous God, and he will give it to you. He will not rebuke you for asking. 6 But when you ask him, be sure that your faith is in God alone. Do not waver, for a person with divided loyalty is as unsettled as a wave of the sea that is blown and tossed by the wind.

What the Bible Has to Say About...

Thankfulness - Week ending November 17

Psalms 100:1-5

- 1 Shout with joy to the Lord, all the earth!
- 2 Worship the Lord with gladness.
Come before him, singing with joy.
- 3 Acknowledge that the Lord is God!
He made us, and we are his.
We are his people, the sheep of his pasture.
- 4 Enter his gates with thanksgiving;
go into his courts with praise.
Give thanks to him and praise his name.
- 5 For the Lord is good.
His unfailing love continues forever,
and his faithfulness continues to each generation.

Jesus' Humanity - Week ending December 1

Philippians 2:6-8

- 6 Though he was God,
he did not think of equality with God as something to cling to.
- 7 Instead, he gave up his divine privileges;
he took the humble position of a slave and was born as a human being. When he appeared in human form, 8 he humbled himself in obedience to God and died a criminal's death on a cross.

Jesus' Deity - Week ending December 8

John 10:28-30

28 I give them eternal life, and they will never perish. No one can snatch them away from me, 29 for my Father has given them to me, and he is more powerful than anyone else. No one can snatch them from the Father's hand. 30 The Father and I are one."

Jesus' Birth - Week ending December 15

Luke 2:6-7

6 And while they were there, the time came for her baby to be born. 7 She gave birth to her firstborn son. She wrapped him snugly in strips of cloth and laid him in a manger, because there was no lodging available for them.

Second Semester

What the Bible Has to Say About...

Holiness - Week ending January 12

Hebrews 12:14

14 Work at living in peace with everyone, and work at living a holy life, for those who are not holy will not see the Lord.

The Holy Spirit - Week ending January 19

John 14:16-17

16 And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, who will never leave you. 17 He is the Holy Spirit, who leads into all truth. The world cannot receive him, because it isn't looking for him and doesn't recognize him. But you know him, because he lives with you now and later will be in you.

Leading Someone to Christ - Week ending January 26

Romans 10:9-10

9 If you openly declare that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved.

10 For it is by believing in your heart that you are made right with God, and it is by openly declaring your faith that you are saved.

Love of God - Week ending February 2

Romans 5:7-8

7 Now, most people would not be willing to die for an upright person, though someone might perhaps be willing to die for a person who is especially good. 8 But God showed his great love for us by sending Christ to die for us while we were still sinners.

Obedience - Week ending February 9

Jeremiah 7:23-24

23 This is what I told them: 'Obey me, and I will be your God, and you will be my people. Do everything as I say, and all will be well!'

24 "But my people would not listen to me. They kept doing whatever they wanted, following the stubborn desires of their evil hearts. They went backward instead of forward.

Patience and Perseverance - Week ending February 23

Psalms 37:7

7 Be still in the presence of the Lord,
and wait patiently for him to act.

Don't worry about evil people who prosper
or fret about their wicked schemes.

Pride - Week ending March 1

Psalms 13:10

10 Pride leads to conflict;
those who take advice are wise.

Truth from the Bible About...

Jesus' Death - Week ending March 8

1 Peter 3:18

18 Christ suffered for our sins once for all time. He never sinned, but he died for sinners to bring you safely home to God. He suffered physical death, but he was raised to life in the Spirit.

The Plan of Salvation - Week ending March 22

Ephesians 2:8-9

8 God saved you by his grace when you believed. And you can't take credit for this; it is a gift from God. 9 Salvation is not a reward for the good things we have done, so none of us can boast about it.

Self-Control - Week ending April 12

2 Peter 1:5-6

5 In view of all this, make every effort to respond to God's promises. Supplement your faith with a generous provision of moral excellence, and moral excellence with knowledge, 6 and knowledge with self-control, and self-control with patient endurance, and patient endurance with godliness, 7 and godliness with brotherly affection, and brotherly affection with love for everyone.

Temptation - Week ending April 19

Hebrews 2:18

18 Since He himself has gone through suffering and testing, He is able to help us when we are being tested.

Truth - Week ending April 26

John 16:13

13 When the Spirit of truth comes, He will guide you into all truth. He will not speak on his own but will tell you what He has heard. He will tell you about the future.

Work - Week ending May 3

1 Thessalonians 4:11-12

11 Make it your goal to live a quiet life, minding your own business and working with your hands, just as we instructed you before. 12 Then people who are not believers will respect the way you live, and you will not need to depend on others.

Youth - Week ending May 10

1 Timothy 4:12

12 Don't let anyone think less of you because you are young. Be an example to all believers in what you say, in the way you live, in your love, your faith, and your purity.