

WEEKLY BIBLE READING GUIDE

Week 12

When studying the Bible, remember to pray first, then ask yourself the following questions about the passage.

- *What is the point the passage is making?*
- *What does this say about God?*
- *How should I apply this in my life?*

Monday – Galatians 4

Why did the Son have to be born of woman and born under the law? (vv. 4–5)

What form did the Galatians' "slavery" take? (vv. 8–11)

What is the point of the allegory of Hagar and Sarah? (vv. 21–31)

Tuesday – Galatians 5

Why does accepting circumcision result in being separated from Christ? (vv. 2–6)

What is the purpose of Christian liberty? (vv. 13–15)

Why does Paul list the fruit of the Spirit? (vv. 16–26)

Wednesday – Galatians 6

What do we do to ourselves when we sin? (vv. 7–8)

What is the motivation Paul gives for doing good? (vv. 8–10)

Why does Paul say he has been “crucified” to the world? (v. 14)

Thursday – Ephesians 1

How does Paul describe the work of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, respectively? (vv. 3–14)

What does it mean that God “predestines” people? (vv. 3–14)

Why does Paul want the Ephesians to know the “riches” and “immeasurable greatness” of the gospel? (vv. 16–22)

Friday – Ephesians 2

In what state is all humanity without Christ? (vv. 1–3)

What is the role of good works in salvation? (vv. 8–10)

Why is it so remarkable that Jews and Gentiles are reconciled? (vv. 11–22)

And so, from the day we heard, we have not ceased to pray for you, asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of his will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, so as to walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him: bearing fruit in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God. – Colossians 1:9–10