

August 2011

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	<p>1 Read: Psalm 65-67 Romans 2 Memory: James 1:17 Pray: Yordy Family Pray: Hausa Peoples, Sahel Africa</p>	<p>2 Read: Psalm 68-69 Romans 3 Memory: James 1:17 Pray: Zimmerman Family Pray: Kanuri Peoples, Sahel Africa</p>	<p>3 Read: Psalm 70-72 Romans 4 Memory: James 1:17 Pray: Adams Family Pray: Songhai Peoples, Sahel Africa</p>	<p>4 Read: Psalm 73-74 Romans 5 Memory: James 1:17 Pray: Anderson Family Pray: Swahili Peoples, Sahel Africa</p>	<p>5 Read: Psalm 75-77 Romans 6 Memory: James 1:17 Pray: Andree Family Pray: Jewish Peoples, Jews/Eurasians</p>	<p>6 Read: Psalm 78 Romans 7 Memory: James 1:17 Pray: Socorro Angeles Pray: Peoples of the Caucasus, Jews/Eurasians</p>
<p>7 Read: Psalm 79-81 Romans 8:1-18 Memory: 2 Peter 3:9 Pray: Bachman Family Pray: ConneXions Schools in China</p>	<p>8 Read: Psalm 82-84 Romans 8:19-39 Memory: 2 Peter 3:9 Pray: Baldwin Family Pray: Albanian Peoples, Jews/Eurasians</p>	<p>9 Read: Psalm 85-87 Romans 9 Memory: 2 Peter 3:9 Pray: Barnett Family Pray: Bosnian Peoples, Jews/Eurasians</p>	<p>10 Read: Psalm 88-89 Romans 10 Memory: 2 Peter 3:9 Pray: Barrett Family Pray: Siberian Peoples, Jews/Eurasians</p>	<p>11 Read: Psalm 90-92 Romans 11:1-21 Memory: 2 Peter 3:9 Pray: Chris Bause Pray: Malay Peoples, Malay World</p>	<p>12 Read: Psalm 93-95 Rom. 11:22-36 Memory: 2 Peter 3:9 Pray: Beachey Family Pray: Acehnese Peoples, Malay World</p>	<p>13 Read: Psalm 96-98 Romans 12 Memory: 2 Peter 3:9 Pray: Beachy Family Pray: Komering Peoples, Malay World</p>
<p>14 Read: Psalm 99-102 Romans 13 Memory: Psalm 62:5-6 Pray: Linda Beveridge Pray: ConneXions Schools in India</p>	<p>15 Read: Psalm 103-104 Romans 14 Memory: Psalm 62:5-6 Pray: Borsa Family Pray: Minangkabau Peoples, Malay World</p>	<p>16 Read: Psalm 105-106 Rom. 15:1-20 Memory: Psalm 62:5-6 Pray: Brady Family Pray: Rejang Peoples, Malay World</p>	<p>17 Read: Psalm 107-108 Rom. 15:21-33 Memory: Psalm 62:5-6 Pray: Brandt Family Pray: Sundanese Peoples, Malay World</p>	<p>18 Read: Psalm 109-111 Romans 16 Memory: Psalm 62:5-6 Pray: Carlson Family Pray: Balinese Peoples, Malay World</p>	<p>19 Read: Psalm 112-115 1 Corinthians 1 Memory: Psalm 62:5-6 Pray: Keith Carrington Family Pray: Madurese Peoples, Malay World</p>	<p>20 Read: Psalm 116-118 1 Corinthians 2 Memory: Psalm 62:5-6 Pray: Ryan Carrington Family Pray: Sasak Peoples, Malay World</p>
<p>21 Read: Psalm 119:1-48 1 Corinthians 3 Memory: Psalm 62:7 Pray: Scott Carrington Family Pray: Israel</p>	<p>22 Read: Ps. 119:49-104 1 Corinthians 4 Memory: Psalm 62:7 Pray: Audrey Carroll Pray: Buginese Peoples, Malay World</p>	<p>23 Read: Ps. 119:105-176 1 Corinthians 5 Memory: Psalm 62:7 Pray: Heather Carroll Family Pray: Gorontalo Peoples, Malay World</p>	<p>24 Read: Psalm 120-123 1 Corinthians 6 Memory: Psalm 62:7 Pray: Sonia Carroll Family Pray: Muslims of the Philippines, Malay World</p>	<p>25 Read: Psalm 124-127 1 Cor. 7:1-24 Memory: Psalm 62:7 Pray: Connie Chandler Pray: Khmer Peoples, South East Asia</p>	<p>26 Read: Psalm 128-131 1 Cor. 7:25-40 Memory: Psalm 62:7 Pray: Charles Family Pray: Bouyei Peoples, South East Asia</p>	<p>27 Read: Psalm 132-135 1 Corinthians 8 Memory: Psalm 62:7 Pray: Jim Chupp Family Pray: Lao Peoples, South East Asia</p>
<p>28 Read: Psalm 136-138 1 Corinthians 9 Memory: Psalm 62:8 Pray: Terry Chupp Family Pray: Our Teaching Ministry in Other Nations</p>	<p>29 Read: Psalm 139-141 1 Cor. 10:1-13 Memory: Psalm 62:8 Pray: Ciesielski Family Pray: Li Peoples, South East Asia</p>	<p>30 Read: Psalm 142-144 1 Cor. 10:14-33 Memory: Psalm 62:8 Pray: Luis Cintron Family Pray: Thai Peoples, South East Asia</p>	<p>31 Read: Psalm 145-147 1 Cor. 11:1-15 Memory: Psalm 62:8 Pray: Jason Clements Family Pray: Black Thai Peoples, South East Asia</p>			

DEVELOPING A DAILY DEVOTIONAL LIFE

BASIC POINTS (DISCIPLINE WEIGHS OUNCES, REGRET WEIGHS TONS):

- 1. Do something.** An hour is 60 times better than a minute. But a minute is infinitely better than nothing. Establish a routine.
 - 2. Daily.** Israel ate manna daily. Jesus is our true Manna from heaven. Set aside time.
- Initial target: 15-30 minutes a day, every day.** Set aside a place. Put God first. Wrap the other events of your life around your time with God.

THE BASIC ELEMENTS OF A DEVOTIONAL TIME:

- Thanksgiving, praise, worship** (Ps. 150:6). Focus on God first.
- Repentance and confession of sin** (1 John 1:9).
- Scripture praying** (e.g., Eph. 1:16-23) **and confession** (e.g., Ps. 91; 121; 133).
- Word** (Ps. 119:11):

- Learn a verse a week.
- Read 3 chapters a day and meditate on the truths.
- Read a devotional (optional).

Prayer (Eph. 6:18):

- Fellowship with God (1 John 1:3). Talk to Him as a friend.
- Petition with thanksgiving (Phil. 4:6; Matt. 6:11):
- Authorities (1 Tim. 2:1-4):

- Govt.
- Church
- Employer/School

Israel (Ps. 122:6-7)

Prayer list:

- Unbelievers you know
- Your own family (Acts 16:31)
- Your spouse/future spouse
- Your children and their (future) spouses
- Missionaries/unreached peoples
- Your church family

Wait on God – be quiet before Him and listen.

Thanksgiving:

- For who God is.
- For what God has done.
- For what God is going to do. Thank Him in advance. That is faith.

Life's Foundations

Gifting	Fruitfulness	Ministry
Character		
Relationship with God		
Time	Communication	

SUGGESTED RESOURCES:

- My Utmost for His Highest* by Oswald Chambers. Excellent daily devotional.
- Operation World* by Patrick Johnson. Pray for every nation in a year.
- To Enjoy Him Forever* by Malcolm Webber. God’s purpose for us is to know Jesus.
- The Arrival Kit* by Ralph W. Neighbour. 11 weeks of daily material (15 min. a day).
- One Minute Bible*. 1 year of Bible study @ 1 minute per day. Great for devotions with teens & children. 1440 minutes a day; can you give God one?
- Smith Wigglesworth Devotional*. Build your relationship with God and your faith.
- Fifty Days Devotional Set* by Rick Joyner. Yield to the heart and purpose of God.