Week 41, One Year Bible Challenge: "Lawlessness"

Christ the Rock Community Church, Saturday Morning Men's Bible Study

This week's reading October 8-14[1. If you are participating in the Saturday morning class, "The One Year Bible Challenge," you should read the daily materials as set out in "The One Year Bible."]

Jeremiah 10:1 to Jeremiah 25:38

Colossians 3:18 to 2 Thessalonians 2:17

Psalm 78:56 to Psalm 84:12

Proverbs 24:28 to Proverbs 25:15

Next Week's Reading October 15-21

Jeremiah 26:1 to Jeremiah 38:28

2 Thessalonians 3:1 to 1 Timothy 6:21

Psalm 85:1 to Psalm 89:52

Proverbs 25:16 to Proverbs 25:28

Discussion Questions:

Old Testament

- In Jeremiah 12:1, the prophet asks God, "Why are the wicked so prosperous? Why are evil people so happy?" What is the answer to Jeremiah's question?
- Jeremiah 17:9 says, "The heart is deceitful above all things, and it is exceedingly corrupt. Who can know it?" Is this a universal principle, or just something Jeremiah was directing to certain people in his time? Do his words apply today?
- What is the point of Jeremiah smashing the clay jar (or bottle) in Jeremiah 19.10? Read the 19th chapter of Jeremiah.

New Testament

- In 1 Thessalonians 5:11, Paul says the church should "encourage one another and build up each other, just as indeed you are doing." From your personal observations, do you see most believers still following this instruction? Is this an area in which you, personally, could improve? If so, how?
- God told the Thessalonians it was God's will for them is to be holy and refrain from sexual immorality. Does this mean they all did so? Does Paul's advice apply to modern believers? That is, do we all abstain from sexual sin because that is God's will?
 - 1 Thessalonians 4:3.

FOOTNOTE:

Week 9, One Year Bible Challenge: "Jubilant"

Christ the Rock Community Church, Saturday Morning Men's Group

- Men's Bible Study meets every Saturday Morning at Christ the Rock Community Church
- 8am to 10am every Saturday morning
- 11000 Stirling Road, Cooper City, FL 33328
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This Week's Reading (February 28 to March 5)



The Miracle of Christ Healing the Blind, possibly ca. 1570, El Greco (Domenikos Theotokopoulos) (Greek, 1541—1614)

WEEK 9

Leviticus 19:1-Numbers 3:51

Mark 8:11-12:17 Psalm 42:1-47:9

Proverbs 10:17-25

Next Week's Reading (March 6-12)

WEEK 10

Numbers 4:1-16:40 Mark 12:18-15:47 Psalm 48:1-54:7

Proverbs 10:26-11:6

Discussion Questions:

Old Testament

- 1. Most rules are made to address a problem or issue that has actually occurred. Do you think people were literally cursing the deaf, or putting stumbling blocks before the blind? If not, what was the meaning of Leviticus 19:14?
- 2. Does Leviticus 19:28 have a modern application? That is, does God still prohibit tattoos?

- 3. Does reading Chapter 20 of Leviticus make you think there really is nothing new under the sun? That is, the sins of today were practiced in ancient times as well?
- 4. In Numbers 1:2, why did God command Moses to take only a census of only the males? See also, Number 1:20, 22, 24, etc.

New Testament

- 1. Why did Jesus tell the Pharisees that no sign would be given. Shouldn't we consider Jesus' many miracles and teachings to be signs? Mark 8:12.
- 2. If Peter thought Jesus was the Christ (Mark 8:29), then why did Peter rebuke Jesus for telling the disciples he would have to killed and raised after three days? Why did Peter seemingly abandon Jesus if he thought Jesus was the Christ?
- 3. What was special about the unclean spirit in Mark 9:17-29. How did Jesus cast out this unclean spirit?
- 4. In Mark 10:23, Jesus said, "How difficult it is for those who have riches to enter into the Kingdom of God!" So why do many Christians try so hard to acquire riches?

Week 45, One Year Bible Challenge: "A Better Covenant"

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This week's reading November 5-11[1. If you are participating

in the Saturday morning class, "The One Year Bible Challenge," you should read the daily materials as set out in "The One Year Bible." The verses listed on this page will include a couple of extra days each week.]



The Vision of Ezekiel (1630), by Francisco Collantes

Ezekiel 12:1 to Ezekiel 23:49 Hebrews 7:1 to Hebrews 10:39

Psalm 105:37 to 109:31 Proverbs 27:3 to 27:13

Next Week's Reading November 12-18

Ezekiel 24:1 to 38:23

Hebrews 11:1 to James 2:17

Psalm 110:1 to 117:2 Proverbs 27:14 to 28:1

Discussion Questions:[2. The discussion notes are now online] Old Testament

• The parable of the two adulterous sisters contains shocking imagery to describe the sin of Samaria and Jerusalem. Do you think this language could legitimately be applied to our modern society? Ezekiel 23.

New Testament

• Can we lose our salvation by sinning? Hebrews 10:26-27.

FOOTNOTE: