

Saturday 21st

Ecclesiastes 2:1-11
Acts 28:11-31

Sunday 22nd

Ecclesiastes 2:12-26
H&P 253, 274 & 642

Monday 23rd

Ecclesiastes 3:1-22
Romans 1:1-7

Tuesday 24th

Ecclesiastes 4:1-16
Romans 1:8-23

Wednesday 25th

Ecclesiastes 5:1-17
Romans 1:24-32

Thursday 26th

Ecclesiastes 5:18-6:12
Romans 2:1-24

Friday 27th

Ecclesiastes 7:1-22
Romans 2:25-3:8

Saturday 28th

Ecclesiastes 7:23-8:17
Romans 3:9-20

DAILY READINGS



*"Bless the Lord, O my soul,
and all that is within me,
bless his holy name."*

Psalm 103:1

FEBRUARY 2015

Dear Friend,

This month we finish reading through the book of Job. As I mentioned as we began to read the book the first time, Job is a book that many people find difficult. It tackles the age-old question of suffering, but the problem many readers find is that it doesn't provide us with an answer to the perennial question of, 'why do we suffer?'

There are things that we can gain from Job though. Firstly, having read the whole book we are reminded that we cannot know the mind of God. Even though life can be a struggle, and even though God can appear to be absent, the reality is that God cares for us and we often cannot see how He is working in our lives.

The other great lesson of the book of Job is one of a pastoral nature. It shows us examples of both good and bad in caring for those who suffer. The end of chapter 2 shows us great care. These friends of Job come and sit with him in the situation he is in. It is after that week of simply being with Job that these friends make matters worse by speaking unhelpfully.

May we trust in God's care for us, and may we seek to care for those whom we know who suffer at this time.

In His name, Martyn

Sunday 1st

Job 28:1-28
H&P 175, 381 & 734

Monday 2nd

Job 29: 1-25
Acts 21:1-16

Tuesday 3rd

Job 30:1-23
Acts 21:17-26

Wednesday 4th

Job 30:24-31:15
Acts 21:27-39

Thursday 5th

Job 31:16-40
Acts 21:40-22:21

Friday 6th

Job 32:1-22
Acts 22:22-30

Saturday 7th

Job 33:1-33
Acts 23:1-11

Sunday 8th

Job 34:1-30
H&P 440 & 591

Monday 9th

Job 34:31-35:16
Acts 23:12-35

Tuesday 10th

Job 36:1-33
Acts 24:1-23

Wednesday 11th

Job 37:1-24
Acts 24:24-25:5

Thursday 12th

Job 38:1-30
Acts 25:6-12

Friday 13th

Job 38:31-39:8
Acts 25:13-22

Saturday 14th

Job 39:9-40:2
Acts 25:23-26:1

Sunday 15th

Job 40:3-24
H&P 708 & 747

Monday 16th

Job 41:1-34
Acts 26:2-23

Tuesday 17th

Job 42:1-17
Acts 26:24-32

Wednesday 18th

Psalm 98
Acts 27:1-12

Thursday 19th

Psalm 103
Acts 27:13-38

Friday 20th

Ecclesiastes 1:1-18
Acts 27:39-28:10