

Thursday 21st

Genesis 33:1-20
Matthew 18:1-20

Friday 22nd

Genesis 34:1-31
Matthew 18:21-35

Saturday 23rd

Genesis 35:1-29
Matthew 19:1-15

Sunday 24th

Genesis 36:1-30
Psalm 30

Monday 25th

Genesis 36:31-43
Matthew 19:16-26

Tuesday 26th

Genesis 37:1-36
Matthew 19:27-20:16

Wednesday 27th

Genesis 38:1-30
Matthew 20:17-34

Thursday 28th

Genesis 39:1-23
Matthew 21:1-22

Friday 29th

Genesis 40:1-23
Matthew 21:23-46

Saturday 30th

Genesis 41:1-24
Matthew 22:1-22

Sunday 31st

Genesis 41:25-45
Psalm 31

DAILY READINGS



*"Be strong, and let your heart
take courage, all you who wait
for the Lord."*

Psalm 31:24

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Dear Friend,

As I sit and write this the polls are open and voting in the EU referendum is underway. By the time that you read this, we will all know which decision has been made, although we may not know exactly what that will mean for us all.

As with much in life, this leaves us with a feeling of uncertainty, and uncertainty is not something that we are comfortable with. For we all like to know what is happening, and we all like to be able to plan ahead.

Yet Jesus, who the writer to the Hebrews tells us is "the same yesterday and today and forever", directs us not to "worry about tomorrow; for tomorrow will care for itself."

Here then is a model for our lives - we should do our best not to worry about those things that we cannot change or affect. For worrying will not help us. But we can trust in our Lord and Saviour and lean on Him in our times of uncertainty, because we know that He is unchanging and that He cares for us and loves us. He is the one who can bring us comfort and security, even in the midst of difficulty and hardship.

May we rest in the One who holds us in His care.
In His name, Martyn

Friday 1st

Genesis 18:16-33
Matthew 10:1-23

Saturday 2nd

Genesis 19:1-29
Matthew 10:24-42

Sunday 3rd

Genesis 19:30-38
Psalm 27

Monday 4th

Genesis 20:1-18
Matthew 11:1-19

Tuesday 5th

Genesis 21:1-34
Matthew 11:20-30

Wednesday 6th

Genesis 22:1-24
Matthew 12:1-21

Thursday 7th

Genesis 23:1-20
Matthew 12:22-37

Friday 8th

Genesis 24:1-41
Matthew 12:38-50

Saturday 9th

Genesis 24:42-67
Matthew 13:1-17

Sunday 10th

Genesis 25:1-34
Psalm 28

Monday 11th

Genesis 26:1-35
Matthew 13:18-35

Tuesday 12th

Genesis 27:1-29
Matthew 13:36-53

Wednesday 13th

Genesis 27:30-46
Matthew 13:54-14:21

Thursday 14th

Genesis 28:1-22
Matthew 14:22-36

Friday 15th

Genesis 29:1-30
Matthew 15:1-20

Saturday 16th

Genesis 29:31-30:13
Matthew 15:21-39

Sunday 17th

Genesis 30:14-43
Psalm 29

Monday 18th

Genesis 31:1-24
Matthew 16:1-12

Tuesday 19th

Genesis 31:25-55
Matthew 16:13-28

Wednesday 20th

Genesis 32:1-32
Matthew 17:1-27