

# Just for Parents...

Your Children learned how to Read the Bible today.

A particularly Catholic way of reading the Bible is to follow the daily and weekly lectionary. In this way, you will read the Bible as the Church reads it through the year. You may follow the lectionary throughout the whole year, or for one or more of the key church seasons of Advent, Christmas, Lent, and Easter. To find the Scripture readings of the day, we recommend the web site of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, and in particular this link which will always take you to today's readings—no matter what day it is: <http://www.usccb.org/nab/today.shtml>.

**Highlights of the Bible.** This reading plan walks you through the key events of the Bible. It contains 28 passages, so if you read one passage each day, in a month you will have surveyed the whole Bible.

1. Genesis 1-2 Creation
2. Genesis 3 Sin
3. Genesis 6-9 the Flood
4. Genesis 17-18 covenant with Abraham
5. Genesis 37, 42-45 Joseph and his brothers
6. Exodus 2-4, call of Moses
7. Exodus 12-14 victory over Pharaoh
8. Exodus 19-20 Ten Commandments
9. Judges 13-16 Sampson
10. 1 Samuel 17 David and Goliath
11. 2 Samuel 6-7 God's promise to David
12. 2 Chronicles 1-3 King Solomon
13. 2 Chronicles 34-36 fall of Jerusalem
14. Psalm 51, 139 David's repentance
15. Wisdom 7-9 God's wisdom
16. Micah 1-3 sins of Judah and Israel
17. Isaiah 11-12 promise of hope
18. Malachi 3 the day of the Lord
19. Luke 2 birth and early life of Jesus
20. Matthew 5-7 Sermon on the Mount
21. Luke 15-16 Jesus' parables
22. Mark 15 death of Jesus
23. John 20 resurrection
24. Acts 9 conversion of Paul
25. 1 Corinthians 12-14 Christian community
26. Galatians 1-3 faith and the Law
27. James Christian living
28. Revelation 21-22 the new heaven and earth