## **Bible Reading Plan 2023**



## November 2023 - Jeremiah and Lamentations: Prophecy of Destruction and Restoration

The book of Jeremiah recounts Israel's unfaithfulness to God and the prophecies of destruction that were to come. The northern kingdom of Israel had been overtaken years before and Judah was finally at a breaking point. This came about because of Judah's immorality and idolatry and the inevitable consequences of their sin. The Babylonians would destroy Jerusalem and lead most of them into exile, but God had a plan to one day bring them back. Before then, however, they were to live and grow and thrive in exile and there would be hope and a future for them. Likewise, the book of Lamentations gives voice to the distress and sadness that they must have been feeling, all the while calling them to seek God's mercy as they return to Him in full surrender. Jeremiah, the author of these books, was known as "the weeping prophet," because of the message that he must deliver but also because of the picture of repentance of which we must all come to at some point.

NOV 1	Jeremiah 1-2	NOV 16	Jeremiah 31-32	
NOV 2	Jeremiah 3-4	<b>NOV 17</b>	Jeremiah 33-34	
NOV 3	Jeremiah 5-6	<b>NOV 18</b>	Jeremiah 35-36	
NOV 4	Jeremiah 7-8	<b>NOV 19</b>	Jeremiah 37-38	
NOV 5	Jeremiah 9-10	<b>NOV 20</b>	Jeremiah 39-40	
NOV 6	Jeremiah 11-12	<b>NOV 21</b>	Jeremiah 41-42	
NOV 7	Jeremiah 13-14	<b>NOV 22</b>	Jeremiah 43-44	
NOV 8	Jeremiah 15-16	<b>NOV 23</b>	Jeremiah 45-46	
NOV 9	Jeremiah 17-18	NOV 24	Jeremiah 47-48	
<b>NOV 10</b>	Jeremiah 19-20	<b>NOV 25</b>	Jeremiah 49-50	
<b>NOV 11</b>	Jeremiah 21-22	<b>NOV 26</b>	Jeremiah 51	
NOV 12	Jeremiah 23-24	<b>NOV 27</b>	Jeremiah 52	
<b>NOV 13</b>	Jeremiah 25-26	<b>NOV 28</b>	Lamentations 1-2	
<b>NOV 14</b>	Jeremiah 27-28	<b>NOV 29</b>	Lamentations 3	
<b>NOV 15</b>	Jeremiah 29-30	<b>NOV 30</b>	Lamentations 4-5	

## **Application Questions**

Is there a...

Sin to confess? Promise to claim? Example to follow? Command to obey? Stumbling block to avoid?

## **Bible Memorization**

The steadfast love of the LORD never ceases; his mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness.

Lamentations 3:22-23

