

Spend your...

Summer In Scripture

These passages follow the lectionary and the Jacob's Well Summer sermon series.

JUNE 7

Mark 3:20-35; 1 Samuel 8:4-11, 16-20; Psalm 138;
2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1

JUNE 14

Mark 4:26-34; 1 Samuel 15:34-16:13; Psalm 20;
2 Corinthians 5:6-10, 14-17

JUNE 21

Mark 4:35-41; 1 Samuel 17:32-49; Psalm 9:9-20;
2 Corinthians 6:1-13

JUNE 28

Mark 5:21-43; 2 Samuel 1:1, 17-27; Psalm 130;
2 Corinthians 8:7-24

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Here are some simple steps to engaging God's Word. Start by praying and asking God to be revealed during your time in the Scriptures.

1. Read:

What does the text say?

Ask, "What is going on in this passage?" Simple questions like, "Who?" "What?" "Why?" help to understand what the text is about.

2. Meditate:

What is God saying to me through the text?

Is there something that God wants to reveal to you through the passage? How does this passage connect with your life?

3. Pray:

What do I want to say to God about the text?

Prayer is a way to ask for greater understanding, confess struggles and failures, and seek courage to respond to what you may be called to based on what you've read.

4. Act:

What do I want to do based on my prayer?

Finally, you act. Prayer should move us to action, even if it is only in an attitude or a new awareness.