



25 Day Christmas Reading Guide



Day 1 – The Word Became Flesh

*John 1:1-18, Galatians 4:4-5,
Deuteronomy 18:15-18*

Day 2 – The Birth of Jesus is Foretold

Luke 1:26-38, Isaiah 7:14

Day 3 – The Birth of John the Baptist is Foretold

Luke 1:5-25, Malachi 4:5

Day 4 – Mary Visits Elizabeth

Luke 1:39-56, 1 Samuel 2:1-10

Day 5 – John the Baptist is Born

Luke 1:57-80, Malachi 4:5-6

Day 6 – An Angel Appears to Joseph

Matthew 1:18-25, Genesis 3:15

Day 7 – The Ancestors of Jesus Part 1

Matthew 1:1-17, Genesis 22:18

Day 8 – The Ancestors of Jesus Part 2

Luke 3:23-38, Jeremiah 23:5

Day 9 – Jesus Is Born in Bethlehem

Luke 2:1-7, Micah 5:2

Day 10 – Shepherds Visit Jesus

Luke 2:8-20, Judges 6:22-23, Judges 13:22

Day 11 – Jesus Presented at the Temple

Luke 2:21-40, Isaiah 25:9

Day 12 – Visitors Arrive from the East

Matthew 2:1-12, Isaiah 60:6

Day 13 – The Escape to Egypt

Matthew 2:13-18, Hosea 11:1

Day 14 – The Return to Nazareth

Matthew 2:19-23, Isaiah 49:7

Day 15 – Jesus Speaks with the Religious Teachers

Luke 2:41-52, Psalm 119:99-100

Day 16 – John the Baptist Exalts Jesus

John 3:22-26, Isaiah 40:3

Day 17 – Jesus Claims to Be God

*John 5:16-30, John 8:48-59,
1 Kings 17:17-24*

Day 18 – Jesus Eases John the Baptist's Doubts

Matthew 11:2-15, Isaiah 35:5, Isaiah 61:1

Day 19 – The Transfiguration

Matthew 17:1-13, Isaiah 6:5, Ezekiel 1:28

Day 20 – Jesus is the Good Shepherd

John 10:1-21, Isaiah 40:11, Psalm 23

Day 21 – Jesus Blesses the Children

Luke 18:15-17, Psalm 34:11, Psalm 103:13

Day 22 – Jesus Predicts His Death Part 1

*Matthew 20:17-19, Mark 10:32-34,
Isaiah 53:1-7*

Day 23 – Jesus Predicts His Death Part 2

*Luke 18:31-34, John 12:20-33,
Isaiah 53:8-12*

Day 24 – Most of the People Do Not Believe in Jesus

John 12:37-43, Zechariah 12:10

Day 25 – Resurrection, Ascension, and Invitation

Luke 24, John 3:13-17, Psalm 16:10, Numbers 21:6-9