

**READ THROUGH THE BIBLE STUDY SCHEDULE FOR 3/18/13 TO 3/24/13**

**MONDAY, MARCH 18, 2013** Read Proverbs 10 and 11

Proverbs 10-15 contains mostly proverbs that contrast the wicked and the righteous. As you read, remember that in Christ's cross you are the righteous persons whom these proverbs speak. They describe our Lord's picture of you.

**TUESDAY, MARCH 19, 2013** Read Proverbs 12 and 13

Today's reading touches a variety of topics, all related to living wisely in a world full of temptations to ignore wisdom. As you read, let the Holy Spirit speak to your heart about any foolish attitudes or actions that have taken root in your life.

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20, 2013** Read Proverbs 14 and 15

These two chapters conclude the antithetical proverbs, those that contrast the wicked and the righteous. As you read, notice this contrast (usually signaled by the word *but*). Also pay attention to the note of humility that graces the description of God's righteous people.

**THURSDAY, MARCH 21, 2013** Read Proverbs 16 and 17.

Chapter 16 begins the synthetic proverbs- those in which the two parts of each wise saying are linked by the word *and*. The second part of each synthetic proverb in chapters 16-22 adds more information, an explanation, or an example to the first part. As you read today, notice the advice Solomon gives about wise words.

**FRIDAY, MARCH 22, 2013** Read Proverbs 18 and 19

Many of the proverbs you will read today deal with the care and nurture of relationships- with other people and with the Lord. As you read, ask the Lord what He would like you to see about the relationships He has given you.

**SATURDAY, MARCH 23, 2013** Read Proverbs 20 and 21

Eating. Drinking. Dealing with public officials. How to bill business transactions. Today's chapter in Proverbs (20 and 21) cover many practical matters. But more importantly, they address the attitudes of the heart. In particular, they point out the necessity of a pure heart (20:9) and point us toward the only source of righteousness- our Lord himself. Watch for these accents as you read.

**SUNDAY, MARCH 24, 2013** Join us for our Palm Sunday worship in the morning as we begin Holy Week and the march toward the cross and Easter. Then spend us some time catching up on any readings you missed during the week later in the day.