

Daily Bible Readings for Home Study

LET'S STUDY!!

Your Read-Ahead for: 24 April 2022

God's Comfort in Trouble

Monday- Encouraging like a Father (**1st Thessalonians 2:10-12**)

Tuesday- Encouragement from God Our Father (**2nd Thessalonians 2:13-17**)

Wednesday- The Comforting Shepherd (**Psalms 23:1-4**)

Thursday- Comfort in God's Word (**Psalms 119:76-82**)

Friday- Year of the Lord's' Favor (**Isaiah 61:1-7**)

Saturday- The Sufferings of Christ (**1st Peter 4:12-19**)

Sunday- The Good of All Comfort (**2nd Corinthians 1:1-11**)



17 April 2022

Witnesses to Christ's Resurrection (Easter)¹

Lesson Text: 1st Corinthians 15:1-11

Related Scriptures:

**Matthew 28:1-9; Mark 16:1-13; Luke 24:1-49
John 20:1-18; Acts 1:3-4; 1st Corinthians 15:12-28**

TIME: A.D. 55

PLACES: from Ephesus

GOLDEN TEXT: “For I delivered unto you first of all that which I also received, how that Christ died for our sins according to the scriptures; and that he was buried, and that he rose again the third day according to the scriptures.”. (***1st Corinthians 15:3-4 KJV***)

Scripture Lesson Text

1st Corinthians 15:1-11

1 Moreover, brethren, I declare unto you the gospel which I preached unto you, which also ye have received, and wherein ye stand;

2 By which also ye are saved, if ye keep in memory what I preached unto you, unless ye have believed in vain.

3 For I delivered unto you first of all that which I also received, how that Christ died for our sins according to the scriptures;

4 And that he was buried, and that he rose again the third day according to the scriptures:

¹ Union Gospel Press, Adult Bible Teacher, Spring Quarter, 17 April 2022, *Witnesses to Christ's Resurrection*

5 And that he was seen of Cephas, then of the twelve:

6 After that, he was seen of above five hundred brethren at once; of whom the greater part remain unto this present, but some are fallen asleep.

7 After that, he was seen of James; then of all the apostles.

8 And last of all he was seen of me also, as of one born out of due time.

9 For I am the least of the apostles, that am not meet to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God.

10 But by the grace of God I am what I am: and his grace which was bestowed upon me was not in vain; but I laboured more abundantly than they all: yet not I, but the grace of God which was with me.

11 Therefore whether it were I or they, so we preach, and so ye believed.

Lesson Aim

Facts: To learn the essential truths about Christ's resurrection.

Principle: To understand that Christ's resurrection is surely attested historical event.

Application: To consciously live daily in the realization of Christ's resurrection.

Introduction

In this lesson, Paul reminds us of what the gospel is, as well as the supreme importance of Christ's resurrection.

I. Developing the Lesson:

- a. The gospel according to the scriptures (1st Corinthians 15:1-4)
- b. Witnesses to Christ's resurrection (1st Corinthians 15:5-8)
- c. Least of the apostles (1st Corinthians 15:9-11)

II. Studying the Text

a. Testimony of the Gospel (1st Corinthians 15:1-2)

b. Testimony of Eyewitnesses (1st Corinthians 15:3-7)

- i. The gospel news (1st Corinthians 15:3a)
- ii. The gospel creed (1st Corinthians 15:3b-4)
- iii. Resurrection appearance to Peter (1st Corinthians 15:5)

- iv. Resurrection appearance to five hundred (1st Corinthians 15:6)
- v. Resurrection appearance to James (1st Corinthians 15:7)

c. Testimony of Paul (1st Corinthians 15:8-9)

- i. Grace fosters humility (1st Corinthians 15:8-9)
- ii. Grace fosters good works (1st Corinthians 15:10-11)

III. *Take Aways*

IV. *Announcements*

V. *Closing Prayer*