There are a few benefits to not having a reading every day of the week.

- 1. Practically, it helps you from getting behind if you miss a day.
- 2. More importantly, it gives you two days of the week to slow down and reflect on what you have read.

Please take notes, and remember that we are stewards of all we have, especially of what we learn in the Word of God. Psalm 119:12-13 is helpful when it says,

Blessed are you, O Lord; teach me your statutes! With my lips I declare all the rules of your mouth.

Notice the flow: first God teaches, and then I declare. Declare what? Nothing less than what has been taught! Would the Word of Christ dwell richly among us as we, like Mary, sit at the feet of Jesus learning from Him, and then dedicate ourselves to share it with those around us for their progress and joy in the faith.



## 'Depth' Bible Reading Plan The Gospel of Matthew

'Depth' plans are those designed to help you dig deeper into the Bible.

It aims to help fix the problem of closing your Bible and forgetting what you just read.

The following plan has as its goal to consider the message of Matthew over the span of just over 5 months reading a small portion 5 days of the week.

How to Use: You could use this as a standalone study, but it does come with short corresponding devotional thoughts available via a podcast called Old Treasures Made New which you can find on our website or on [insert podcasts here]

Week	Day	Scripture
1	1	1:1-17
	2	1:18-25
	3	2:1-12
	4	2:13-23
	5	3:1-12
2	1	3:13-17
	2	4:1-11
	3	4:12-25
	4	5:1-12
	5	5:13-20
3	1	5:21-37
	2	5:38-48
	3	6:1-8
	4	6:9-15
	5	6:16-24
4	1	6:25-34
	2	7:1-11
	3	7:12-20
	4	7:21-29
	5	8:1-15
5	1	8:16-27
	2	8:28-34
	3	9:1-13
	4	9:14-26
	5	9:27-37

Week	Day	Scripture
6	1	10:1-15
	2	10:16-23
	3	10:24-33
	4	10:34-42
	5	11:1-15
7	1	11:16-24
	2	11:25-30
	3	12:1-13
	4	12:14-21
	5	12:22-37
8	1	12:38-50
	2	13:1-23
	3	13:24-43
	4	13:44-50
	5	13:51-58
9	1	14:1-12
	2	14:13-21
	3	14:22-36
	4	15:1-9
	5	15:10-20
10	1	15:21-28
	2	15:29-39
	3	16:1-12
	4	16:13-20
	5	16:21-23

Week	Day	Scripture
11	1	16:24-28
	2	17:1-13
	3	17:14-21
	4	17:22-27
	5	18:1-14
12	1	18:15-20
	2	18:21-35
	3	19:1-15
	4	19:16-22
	5	19:23-30
13	1	20:1-16
	2	20:17-23
	3	20:24-28
	4	20:29-34
	5	21:1-11
14	1	21:12-22
	2	21:23-32
	3	21:33-46
	4	22:1-14
	5	22:15-22
15	1	22:23-33
	2	22:34-46
	3	23:1-12
	4	23:13-33
	5	23:34-39

Week	Day	Scripture
16	1	24:1-14
	2	24:15-28
	3	24:29-35
	4	24:36-51
	5	25:1-13
17	1	25:14-30
	2	25:31-46
	3	26:1-13
	4	26:14-25
	5	26:26-35
18	1	26:36-46
	2	26:47-56
	3	26:57-68
	4	26:69-75
	5	27:1-10
19	1	27:11-26
	2	27:27-44
	3	27:45-46
	4	27:47-66
	5	28:1-11
20	1	28:12-20