

Bible Challenge

(late January and...) **February 2024**

Faith Lutheran Church

Date

January	27	1 Peter 1:1-12	Call & Election	(Sermon Text for Jan 28)
Sunday	28	Ephesians 1:4-5	Blessed to be called before the creation of the world	
	29	1 Kings 18:1-16	Elijah called to confront king Ahab	
	30	1 Kings 18:17-19	God's prophet accused of troubling Israel	
	31	1 Kings 18:20-29	Elijah presents a choice (v. 21)	
February	1	1 Kings 18:30-40	Showdown at Mount Carmel	
	2	1 Kings 18:41-46	The LORD sends rain	
	3	1 Peter 1:13-25	Lifestyle: A Holy Calling	(Sermon Text for Feb 4)
Sunday	4	Isaiah 25:1-12	God swallows up death	
	5	Isaiah 26:1-10	God's perfect peace	
	6	Isaiah 26:11-21	God's perfect peace	
	7	Isaiah 27:1-13	Redemption of Israel	
	8	Isaiah 28:1-15	Woe to Ephraim	
	9	Isaiah 28:16 [17-29]	Basis for 1 Peter 2	
	10	1 Peter 2:1-10	Lifestyle: Building the Temple of Christ	(Serm. Text for Feb 11)
Sunday	11	1 Peter 2:11-20	Submit to authority	
	12	1 Peter 2:21-25	Lifestyle motivation: Christ's suffering	
	13	1 Peter 3:1-7	Wives and husbands	
<i>Ash Wed</i>	14	<i>Revelation 2:1-7</i>	Seven Churches of Revelation: Ephesus	
	15	1 Peter 3:8-12	Response to suffering in a life of blessing	
	16	Psalm 34:12-16 [17-22]	Quoted in 1 Peter 3	
	17	1 Peter 3:13-22	Suffering for Righteousness	(Sermon Text for Feb 18)
Sunday	18	Isaiah 30:8-17	A rebellious people ²	
	19	Isaiah 30:18-26	The LORD will be gracious ²	
	20	Isaiah 30:27-33	The LORD will be gracious ² ² Connection to 1 Peter 3	
<i>Lent</i>	21	<i>Revelation 2:8-11</i>	Seven Churches of Revelation: Smyrna	
	22	Colossians 1:24-27	Paul's labor and suffering for the church	
	23	Isaiah 55:10-11	God's Word will not return empty	
	24	1 Peter 4:12-19	Suffering for being a Christian	(Sermon Text for Feb 25)
Sunday	25	Matt. 16:21-28	Peter rebels against idea that Christ would suffer	
	26	Matt. 5:11-12	The beatitudes on being persecuted	
	27	Colossians 1:24	Paul's labor of love for the people of God	
<i>Lent</i>	28	<i>Revelation 2:12-17</i>	Seven Churches of Revelation: Pergamum	
	29	John 15:18-27	The world's opinion of Jesus' followers	