

# DAILY BIBLE READINGS

April 15-21, 2024

Monday:	Deuteronomy 12:1-14:2	Psalm 105
Tuesday:	Deuteronomy 14:3-16:17	Psalm 106
Wednesday:	Deuteronomy 16:18-18:22	Psalm 107
Thursday:	Deuteronomy 19-20	Psalm 108
Friday:	Deuteronomy 21-22	Psalm 109
Saturday:	Deuteronomy 23	Psalm 110
Sunday:	Deuteronomy 24-25	Psalm 111

## Weekend Reflection

“Everything that I command you, you shall be careful to do. You shall not add to it or take from it.” -Deuteronomy 12:32

We are bent, it seems, on adding or taking away from the Word of the Lord. We take away from it when we disobey or disregard God’s instructions and commands, or when we take them lightly. This was a danger for Israel in their time in the wilderness, as it is for us today.

And we like to add to it too. As if God’s Word is insufficient, or needs to be reworked, or some loopholes filled in, we add to God’s Word. This was a problem Jesus confronted in his earthly ministry, and it is a problem today.

The solution: see God’s Word as God’s Word. It is the final authority in our lives, and it is totally 100% sufficient for life and godliness. Oh, let’s be people of His Word. People who love and obey the Bible. And people who do not add or take away from it!

# SUNDAY SERMON

The sermon for Sunday, April 21, will be on John 3:16-21. Read that slowly on Saturday evening, maybe as a family, to prepare your hearts for the preaching of God's Word.

## Faith Groups

- Name the good news in this passage?
- Why did God send his One and Only Son?
- Name the warning in this passage?
- Why will some perish?
- Why will some have eternal life?
- How should this passage give us hope?
- How should we apply this passage in our own conversations and interactions with others (neighbors, family members, coworkers). How should this passage inform our prayers for others?