

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

September 2-8, 2024

Monday:	2 Chronicles 9	Psalm 59
Tuesday:	2 Chronicles 10-12	Psalm 60
Wednesday:	2 Chronicles 13	Psalm 61
Thursday:	2 Chronicles 14-16	Psalm 62
Friday:	2 Chronicles 17-18	Psalm 63
Saturday:	2 Chronicles 19-20	Psalm 64
Sunday:	2 Chronicles 21-22	Psalm 65

Weekend Reflection

“Oh give thanks to the LORD; call upon his name; make known his deeds among the peoples!” – 1 Chronicles 16:8

Once David’s kingdom was firmly established, David wrote a song. And in the first stanza, he called for the people to 1) give thanks, 2) call on his name (in worship and dependence), and 3) to make the Lord’s works known to the nations.

What an appropriate response to seeing God at work in your life! When we see him provide for us and help us and grow us in Christ, our hearts fill up with gratitude and joyful dependence and overflow with worship!

And then, our worship and joy in him stirs us up to make him known to our neighbors and to the nations. Seeing God at work leads to worship, and worship leads to missions!

This is why missions is so vital to us as a church, and to us as Christians. We want to make his deeds known among the peoples!

SUNDAY SERMON

The sermon on Sunday, September 8, is an overview of John 1-3. It is a bit of reading, but it would be worth the time to read these chapters before the gathering on Sunday, to prepare your hearts for the preaching of God's Word.

Faith Groups

- What are the big themes of John 1-3?
- Why did John call Jesus *the Word*?
- What does it mean to be born again?
- How do we know if the “wind has blown” in our lives?
- In what ways do you think the Gospel of John will be helpful for you as a Christian?