

Bible Reading Plan for June 2008

In the month of June, we will continue reading the book of *Acts* in the New Testament and the book of *Isaiah* in the Old Testament.

The readings are not very long and there are some days when no readings are assigned.

We encourage you to set aside quiet, undistracted time to spend in God's word. Before reading always pray that God will speak to you through that day's study time. Watch for lessons and principles that can speak to you right now.

Keep a list of questions that come up as you read – find someone to discuss these observations with.

The Book of Acts

The Acts of the Apostles is written by the physician believer Luke.

We also have Luke's gospel account. Luke is considered a top-notch historian by academic standards. His purpose, stated in the beginning of the book of *Luke*, is to set down an accurate accounting of the activities of Jesus. He continues this purpose in *Acts* as he sends this second document to Theophilus. You may read *Acts* differently as you realize that Luke, especially in the latter parts of the book, is an eyewitness as he journeyed with Paul. It is important to see the spirit and attitudes of the believers of the early church as you read this history.

The Book of Isaiah

Isaiah is the largest of the prophetic books in the Old Testament. It has a very distinctive first and second part. You will finish the first part this month and continue into the second part, which begins in chapter 40. There are more stories and events in the first part. The second half has judgments and prophecies about nations as well as prophecies of the coming Christ. Isaiah is active during the times of other Biblical prophets as well – Amos, Hosea, and Micah. Church history/legend says that Isaiah was martyred by being sawn in two.

<input type="checkbox"/> June 1 (Sunday)	no suggested reading	
<input type="checkbox"/> June 2 (Monday)	Isaiah 35	Acts 9:32-43
<input type="checkbox"/> June 3 (Tuesday)	Isaiah 36	Acts 10
<input type="checkbox"/> June 4 (Wednesday)	Isaiah 37	Acts 11
<input type="checkbox"/> June 5 (Thursday)	Isaiah 38	Acts 12
<input type="checkbox"/> June 6 (Friday)	Isaiah 39	Acts 13:1-25
<input type="checkbox"/> June 7 (Saturday)	Isaiah 40	Acts 13:26-52
<input type="checkbox"/> June 8 (Sunday)	no suggested reading	
<input type="checkbox"/> June 9 (Monday)	Isaiah 41	Acts 14
<input type="checkbox"/> June 10 (Tuesday)	Isaiah 42	Acts 15:1-21
<input type="checkbox"/> June 11 (Wednesday)	Isaiah 43	Acts 15:22-40
<input type="checkbox"/> June 12 (Thursday)	Isaiah 44	Acts 16:1-24
<input type="checkbox"/> June 13 (Friday)	Isaiah 45	Acts 16:25-40
<input type="checkbox"/> June 14 (Saturday)	Isaiah 46	Acts 17
<input type="checkbox"/> June 15 (Sunday)	no suggested reading	
<input type="checkbox"/> June 16 (Monday)	Isaiah 47	Acts 18
<input type="checkbox"/> June 17 (Tuesday)	Isaiah 48	Acts 19:1-20
<input type="checkbox"/> June 18 (Wednesday)	Isaiah 49	Acts 19:21-41
<input type="checkbox"/> June 19 (Thursday)	Isaiah 50	Acts 20
<input type="checkbox"/> June 20 (Friday)	Isaiah 51	Acts 21:1-16
<input type="checkbox"/> June 21 (Saturday)	Isaiah 52	Acts 21:17-40
<input type="checkbox"/> June 22 (Sunday)	no suggested reading	
<input type="checkbox"/> June 23 (Monday)	Isaiah 53	Acts 22
<input type="checkbox"/> June 24 (Tuesday)	Isaiah 54	Acts 23
<input type="checkbox"/> June 25 (Wednesday)	Isaiah 55	Acts 24
<input type="checkbox"/> June 26 (Thursday)	Isaiah 56	Acts 25
<input type="checkbox"/> June 27 (Friday)	Isaiah 57	Acts 26
<input type="checkbox"/> June 28 (Saturday)	Isaiah 58	Acts 27:1-31
<input type="checkbox"/> June 29 (Sunday)	no suggested reading	
<input type="checkbox"/> June 30 (Monday)	Isaiah 59	Acts 27:32-66