

Twelve-Week Reading Plan

Women of the Bible

Use this plan to read ahead and stay on pace through the study. The primary passages are what each week's lesson is built around; the secondary readings round out the picture.

Week 1 — Eve

Primary passage: Genesis 2–3

Further reading: Genesis 4:1–2, 25–26; Romans 5:12–21; 1 Timothy 2:13–15

Week 2 — Sarah

Primary passage: Genesis 12, 15, 16, 17, 18, 21

Further reading: Romans 4; Galatians 4:21–31; Hebrews 11:11; 1 Peter 3:1–6

Week 3 — Hagar

Primary passage: Genesis 16; 21:8–21

Further reading: Galatians 4:21–31

Week 4 — Rahab

Primary passage: Joshua 2; 6:17–25

Further reading: Matthew 1:5; Hebrews 11:31; James 2:25

Week 5 — Ruth

Primary passage: Ruth 1–4

Further reading: Matthew 1:5; Deuteronomy 25:5–10; Leviticus 25:23–34

Week 6 — Hannah

Primary passage: 1 Samuel 1–2:11

Further reading: Luke 1:46–55; Psalm 113

Week 7 — Abigail

Primary passage: 1 Samuel 25

Further reading: Proverbs 15:1; Romans 12:17–21

Week 8 — Esther

Primary passage: Esther 1–10

Further reading: Romans 8:28; Proverbs 21:1

Week 9 — The Samaritan Woman

Primary passage: John 4:1–42

Further reading: Isaiah 55; Romans 10:9–13

Week 10 — Mary of Bethany

Primary passage: Luke 10:38–42; John 11; John 12:1–11

Further reading: Matthew 26:6–13; Mark 14:3–9

Week 11 — The Sinful Woman Who Anointed Jesus

Primary passage: Luke 7:36–50

Further reading: Isaiah 6; Romans 5:6–11; 1 John 1:5–10

Week 12 — Mary, Mother of Jesus

Primary passage: Luke 1:26–56; Luke 2; John 19:25–27

Further reading: Matthew 1:18–25; Luke 1:46–55; Acts 1:14