

Summer Reading and Preparation

To prime the system a bit for the year, I am asking that class members read a few key bible selections before classes get underway. Most of them are assigned as well during the year, but helpful to sample beforehand. Find a bible you like (typically we use the New Revised Standard Version), and I encourage you to read a bit each day.

Here's my list:

Genesis chapters 1-3

Exodus 20:1-17 (chapter 20, verses 1-17)

Psalms 23

Psalms 46

Mark chapter 1 (and however much more of Mark you'd like)

Matthew, chapters 5-7

In addition, I also encourage you to explore the videos on thebibleproject.com. These guys make both the various books of the bible and some thematic ideas accessible and interesting. Take a look! I especially encourage the "How to Read the Bible" series as a place to start.