



These daily readings leading up to Easter will reflect on conversations Jesus had during his ministry. As you read God’s word, keep a note of what God says to you and what your response is to him.

The daily readings tie in with the Sunday teaching series and with studies in small groups. Alongside this are a series of questions as prompts for reflection in 2s or 3s.

“May God the Creator bless us. May God the Son walk with us. May God the Spirit lead our lives with love.

May the blessing of the One who was, and who is and who is to come be upon us all - redeeming our past, filling our present and lighting up our future.”

A Celtic blessing

<p>Day 4 Sat Mar 4th</p>	<p>Our longing for God Read Psalm 63 in preparation for Sunday worship tomorrow. David may well have written this psalm while in hiding in the Judean desert – “a parched and weary land” (v2) – during his son Absalom’s rebellion (2 Samuel 15). This psalm helps us find words to express our fears & our longings to God, and express our trust in him. In John 7, during the Feast of Tabernacles that celebrated God’s provision for his people in their desert wanderings, Jesus spoke to the crowds, saying “If anyone is thirsty, let him come to me to drink.” (John 7:37) This echoes God’s promise in Isaiah 55:1-7. Spend time drinking in these promises, and give thanks for Jesus’ words in Matthew 5:6 “Blessed are those who hunger & thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.”</p>
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