

Bible in a Year Study Questions – Day 74 - March 15

Today's Readings:

Numbers 27 & 28

Psalm 34:8-14

Proverbs 11:29

Mark 14:1-26

1. Who were the daughters of Zelophehad, and what was their request in Numbers 27? How does God respond to their request?
2. What is the purpose of reiterating the offerings outlined in Numbers 28?
3. What can we learn about consistency and devotion in worship from the detailed instructions regarding offerings in Numbers 28? What does it tell us about the centrality of worship and service to God in the life of the Israelites?
4. In what ways do the offerings described in Numbers 28 point forward to the ultimate sacrifice of Jesus Christ?
5. What does it mean to "taste and see that the Lord is good" (Psalm 34:8)?
6. What is the relationship between the fear of the Lord and experiencing His goodness (Psalm 34:9)? How does the fear of the Lord influence your actions?

7. In what ways does Psalm 34:10 affirm God's provision for His people?

8. How does Psalm 34:11-12 emphasize the importance of living a righteous life?

9. According to Psalm 34:13, what does it mean to "turn away from evil and do good"? How does Psalm 34:13-14 emphasize the importance of guarding our speech?

10. What does Proverbs 11:29 suggest about the outcomes of trouble or distress? How does the contrast between the "upright" and the "wicked" shed light on the importance of moral character?

11. What events are occurring as Mark 14:1-2 opens?

12. What is significant about the woman's act of anointing Jesus with expensive perfume (Mark 14:3-9)? How do the reactions of those present, including Jesus and the disciples, provide insight into their attitudes and priorities?

13. What motivates Judas Iscariot to betray Jesus (Mark 14:10-11)? How does Judas' betrayal contrast with the woman's act of devotion?

14. Describe Jesus' instructions to prepare for the Passover meal (Mark 14:12-16).

15. What significance does the Passover meal hold in Jewish tradition, and how does Jesus give it new meaning? What elements of the Last Supper (Mark 14:17-25) symbolize Jesus' impending sacrifice?

16. How does Jesus predict His betrayal during the Last Supper (Mark 14:18-21)?

17. Which passage in today's reading impacted you the most? Is there a verse you would like to memorize and/or meditate on today?