



27 | Mon – “Where is the newborn king?” | Read [Matthew 2:1-6](#)

The Magi journeyed to find and honor a life-changing treasure. Learning of the newborn King was joyful to them, but it hardened the heart of Herod, while he Hebrew scholars and priests were indifferent. The opportunity was there for all of them to welcome Jesus, but only the Magi accepted it. Which perspective do you have to Jesus’ presence in your life?

28 | Tue – “What do you want me to do for you?” | Read [Matthew 20:29-34](#)

Jesus knows full well what our needs are. The two blind men wanted their sight and told Him so when asked. But they also praised His love and mercy, as well, recognizing Jesus for who He was. We all have many needs and failings we can bring to Jesus, and He is always available. What is laying on your heart today that you can hand over to Him with love and praise?

29 | Wed – “Do you want to get well?” | Read [John 5:2-9](#)

Jesus had compassion on the crippled man by the pool but asked this strange question. The man stopped making excuses and overcame years of sitting on the sidelines by obeying Jesus’ command to stand and walk, which started a new life for him. How would you respond if Jesus asked you to move away from a routine or habit that was limiting you?

30 | Thu – “Is there no one to condemn you?” | Read [John 8:2-10](#)

Jesus’ enemies misused scripture to trap him but he focused on the real issues. His question to the accusers was implied... “Are you judging someone else when there is sin in your own life?” His poignant question to the woman let her know that he did not condemn her. Jesus did not ignore her sin but his answer gave grace and a second chance. If you find yourself standing in the place of the accusers or the accused, listen carefully to what Jesus might be saying to you.

01 | Fri – “What should we do?” | Read [Acts 2:22-38](#)

On the day of Pentecost, Peter’s Spirit-inspired words so convinced and convicted the crowd of listeners that they knew action was needed. But what? Peter was very clear and 3000 people became believers that day. When you find yourself in a similar place, are you willing to follow whatever the Holy Spirit tells you to do?

02 | Sat – “Ask and you will receive.” | Read [Luke 11:1-13](#)

These are bold words. Jesus challenges us to be persistent in prayer and assures us that God always gives good gifts to his children. Sometimes the answer is not what you expect. In those times, can you acknowledge that He loves you and is working things out for your good? That is the essence of faith...choosing to believe God is trustworthy, even in spite of the circumstances. If that is difficult for you to do, it is okay to ask for help.

July 3 | Sun – Come and see

