

Daily Bible Readings for Holy Week 2024

Monday: **Mark 11:12-33**

Questions to Consider:

- Why is Jesus angry with the fig tree and the temple? (Notice the connection?)
- What does their questioning of Jesus reveal about the religious leaders in Jerusalem?

Tuesday: **Mark 12:1-44**

Questions to Consider:

- What does Jesus' parable (v. 1-12) reveal about coming reaction to the religious leaders' rejection of Jesus?
- Instead of being trapped by their questions, how is Jesus able to overcome them and even go on the offensive?

Wednesday: **Mark 13:1-37**

Questions to Consider:

- What terrible and distracting things will be coming towards the End?
- How does the reality of Jesus' triumphant return at the end of time change the nature of the waiting until then for His disciples?

Thursday: **Mark 14:1-72**

Questions to Consider:

- How does Jesus, Judas, and the woman with the ointment all distinctly prepare for the Passover?
- Why does Jesus pray with such agony in Gethsemane?
- Do you notice the calmness of Jesus once arrested, compared to the fear and cowardice of all His disciples?

Friday: **Mark 15:1-39**

Questions to Consider:

- How is the chosen King of God's people treated?
- What is the tone of the voices that speak in this chapter?

Saturday: **Mark 15:40-47**

Questions to Consider:

- Why would it be important to note the eye witnesses who saw Jesus dead and buried?
- What does the "*Kingdom of God*" (v. 43) look like to Joseph on that Saturday? How about the following day?!