MEMORY VERSE OF THE WEEK: John 20:29
Jesus said to him, "Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed."

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MONDAY, JANUARY 24
Read John 17—A Prayer to a Giving Father

1. What has the Father given to Jesus that he has given to us? (v 1-5)
2. Who are the people that God has given to Jesus? (v 6-12)
3. When are we given eternal life; now, when we are good again, end time?

- **Prayer:** ***Jesus, help us learn how to pray.***

TUESDAY, JANUARY 25
Read John 18—Trials of Jesus

1. Why is Peter's story of the denial of Christ a blessing to us?
2. Does Jesus go to the cross and to his death alone? Where were all his vocal and physical supporters?
3. What example does Jesus give us in His reaction to being slapped across the face for a perceived insolence to the high priest?

- **Prayer:** ***Jesus, help us to shun not suffering, shame, or loss and learn to bear the cross.***

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 26
Read John 19—Crucifixion

1. What comfort and encouragement can Jesus' care for His mother give us when we wonder what will happen to our loved ones after we die?
2. Was Jesus' humiliation, pain and spiritual suffering and death enough to take away our sins? What reassurance does Jesus give us in His proclamation "It is finished"?
3. When Jesus comes again to judge us at the end time, will he still have the marks of crucifixion?

- **Prayer:** ***Jesus, help us learn how to die.***

THURSDAY, JANUARY 27

Read John 20—Resurrection

1. What clues and details tell you John, the Gospel writer, was there at the empty tomb? Why might the linen cloth be folded up by itself away from the body cloths?
2. How can Thomas's skepticism help us when we share our faith with others in our skeptical age?
3. Why did God give us the Bible?

- **Prayer:** ***Christ is risen! He meets our eyes. Savior, teach us so to rise.***

FRIDAY, JANUARY 28

Read John 21— Jesus Loves His Disciples

1. Why might Jesus have called out to the disciples in the boat and addressed them as children?
2. How is Peter, the pastor, to love and feed Jesus' sheep?
3. How were most of the apostles glorified? How did Peter die?

- **Prayer:** ***Lord, show me how to be a good disciple.***

SATURDAY, JANUARY 29

Read Acts 1—The Promise of the Holy Spirit

1. What does v1 imply about Jesus' teaching and doing? Was it over after the ascension?
2. What does the power of the Holy Spirit do? Is this power stronger than human power?
3. Were the disciples instructed to witness only to the Jews, to Israel? How far has Christ's church spread?

- **Prayer:** ***Lord Jesus, be with us here and now and send the Holy Spirit to grow Your church of grace.***