

Friday, November 25: Read [2 Samuel 22](#)

David's song echoes much of what is written in the book of Psalms. Notice especially its parallel Psalm 18. What has God delivered you from and how have you thanked and praised him for it?

Notes:

Pray for Our Missionaries

Juan & Adriana Palacios (Angola Africa), **Ivan & Kim Hoyt** (Argentina), **David & Miriam Trott** (Cochabamba, Bolivia), **Mario Bloise** (Argentina), **Nate & MaryBeth Brace** (Kentucky), **Dan & DeAnn Gerard** (San Antonio, TX), **Robert Newkirk** (Jesus Film), **Craig & Shelly Shafer** (Sentani, Indonesia), **Randy & Kari Ash**, **John Smith** (CEF), **Mike & Fran VanBruggen** (S. Africa), **Sue Sanders** (Detroit, MI), **Matt Kooi** (Tijuana), **Daniel Jezonski** (Wycliffe), **Danielle Tucker** (YWAM), **Andrew & Sara Williams** (New Tribes).

Specific Concerns:

- **The Community Thanksgiving Service Sunday, Nov. 20th, 6 p.m.**
- **Tijuana Mission Trip** starts November 20-26

Pray this weekend:

- Review of the week (Thank God for answered prayer)
- Note any ongoing concerns to pray for the week.
- Praise God that He is working in your life. You are growing in your faith.



Spiritual Disciplines

Reading Assignments

- *Invite the Holy Spirit to guide your reading each day.*
- *Read the chapters of the Bible according to the date.*
- *Underline any meaningful verses and take note of specific advice or wisdom gleaned from your reading.*
- *Note any unclear passages or teaching and seek insight, answers or help.*
- *Think about what you're reading. Ask:*
 1. *How does this apply to me?*
 2. *Are there any temptations to avoid, sins to confess, commands to obey or promises to claim?*
 3. *What insight do I gain on God, myself, others, or life?*
- *Ask God to show you any specific action you need to take as you read.*

Weekly Readings

Monday, November 21: Read [2 Samuel 13 - 14](#)

After David's fall into sin, turmoil enters his family line as it was predicted by Nathan in 2 Samuel 12:8-10. The wages of sin is death. What temptation to sin are you currently facing that could bring pain, turmoil and ruin into your family life if you complied? Renounce it, turn from the temptation and seek God with your whole heart.

Notes:

Monday's Prayer Next page

Monday Pray for:

1. *My relationship with God.*
2. *My life roles*
3. *My personal needs/weak areas*
4. *Goals and objectives*

Tuesday, November 22: Read [2 Samuel 15, 16, 17](#)

The saga continues and so continues Nathan's prophecy from 2 Samuel 12:11-12. David experienced firsthand the awful consequences of willful sin. The whole experience must have humbled him dramatically.

Notes:

Pray for family and friends by name.

Wednesday November 23: Read [Psalm 107](#)

Spend time looking back over the highs and lows of your own life. Take time to "Thank God for his unfailing love (to you) and his wonderful deeds for all mankind"!

Notes:

Wednesday's Prayer Next Page

**Wednesday Pray for Bethel Gilead Community Church
(Consider fasting one, two, or all meals this day.)**

- a. Pastors: Pray for God's grace & guidance in Pastor Jim and Pastor David's ministries and families. Pray for the Youth and children's ministries here at BGCC.
- b. Worship: Ask God to strengthen our devotion to Him, in prayer, praise, and thanksgiving.
- c. Fellowship: Ask God to deepen our love and commitment to one another as a family of believers.
- d. Discipleship: ask God to develop the faith, dedication, and leadership of our people.
- e. Outreach: Pray that God will use Bethel Gilead to make a positive impact on our community so that many would come to Christ.
- f. Future Faith Goals: Ask God to give our congregation a united vision for the future Pray for God's clear leading in 2016 and beyond.

Thursday, November 24: Read [Psalm 107](#)

David regains control of the kingdom at great cost. He has suffered much and seen God's mercy extended to him time and again. Psalm 32 must have rung true to him as he suffered diverse consequences for his personal and family sins.

Notes

Pray for "My World"

- Neighbors • People at Work • Others God bring into my life
- Continue to pray for the nation, our county and area churches.
- Thank God for "BOLD Faith" event and the response of our area churches. Ask God to bring revival and a spiritual awakening to Branch County.