2022 Walk in the Word Bible Reading Plan -

METROPOLI MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

To our Metro Family and Friends,

2022 will be our second year Walking in the Word together with the study of daily scriptures. The Lord has brought us this far in our journey (102 years!), strengthening us, enlightening us, and convicting us with His Word. Each month as we topically study the Bible, let us be mindful of our 2022 theme "ReLAUNCH: *Recommit, Release, Refocus.*" As Christians, we need to constantly give ourselves to Christ: Mind, Body, and Spirit. Our journey is not easy, for Christ said that if we follow Him, we would have our own cross to bear for we know the devil is busy and sin is every present. BUT with Bible study we will be equipped to do the work of the Lord and overcome sin and the schemes of the devil. For Christ has defeated them through His Life, Death, and Resurrection!

As we study together, we are all living the Lord's call for unity and like-mindedness, not because we are all the same, but because we are moving in the will and the way of the Lord *together*. Jeremiah 29:11 says "For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future." By mediating on His Word, we will know His purpose for our lives, as individuals and as a church body. As we mediate on His Word, we will be equipped to spread the Gospel, which is our Great Commission. (Matthew 28:16-20) Through the meditation of His Word, we will gain a deeper relationship with Christ for He is the Word made flesh. (John 1) The Lord wants us to grow and move from youth to Christian maturity, from complacent to actively transformative in our obedience to the Lord and how we demonstrate our love for Him and others. So as we study in unity, let the Word saturate our hearts and minds *to live the* Word in our thoughts, words, and deeds.

During your study time, eliminate distractions and prepare your heart and mind with prayer. Read with expectancy, not just for knowledge, but for change and growth as a Christian. Read a version that allows you to gain a clear understanding of the Word. Pastor Williams, III recommends English Standard Version (ESV), New Revised Standard Version (NRSV), and New King James Version (NKJV).

So let's Go Metro! Walk in the Word! #WalkInTheWord



Use these questions as a guide as you meditate on God's Word.

Summarize the scripture in your own words. What does this scripture teach you about God? About man? What is the Lord specifically leading you to do in response to this passage? Pray and ask the Holy Spirit to help you walk in obedience to this scripture.

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January New Beginnings

This month as we start a New Year, we are studying New Beginnings. As Christians we are born again, made anew to be vessels for Christ. Everything that we are and hope to be starts with Christ.

January 1, 2022 - 1 Peter 1: 3-9	January 16, 2022 - Isaiah 40: 18-31
January 2, 2022 - 2 Chronicles 7: 11-18	January 17, 2022 - Isaiah 43: 16-21
January 3, 2022 - 2 Corinthians 5: 11-15	January 18, 2022 - Jeremiah 29: 10-14
January 4, 2022 - 2 Corinthians 5: 16-21	January 19, 2022 - Job 8: 1-7
January 5, 2022 - Acts 3: 17-21	January 20, 2022 - John 1: 1-8
January 6, 2022 - Ecclesiastes 3: 1-8	January 21, 2022 - John 1: 9-18
January 7, 2022 - Ecclesiastes 3: 9-15	January 22, 2022 - John 3: 1-15
January 8, 2022 - Ezekiel 11: 14-21	January 23, 2022 - John 3: 16-21
January 9, 2022 - Ezekiel 36: 22-27	January 24, 2022 - Lamentations 3: 19-27
January 10, 2022 - Ezekiel 36: 28-38	January 25, 2022 - Luke 7: 41-50
January 11, 2022 - Genesis 1: 1-8	January 26, 2022 - Matthew 7: 1-11
January 12, 2022 - Genesis 1: 9-13	January 27, 2022 - Psalm 65: 1-8
January 13, 2022 - Genesis 1: 14-19	January 28, 2022 - Psalm 65: 9-13
January 14, 2022 - Genesis 1: 20-23	January 29, 2022 - Revelation 21: 1-4
January 15, 2022 - Genesis 1: 24-31	January 30, 2022 - Revelation 21: 5-8
	January 31, 2022 - Romans 12: 1-2