Read through the New Testament in one year

Daily Time commitment: approximately 15 minutes

This reading plan focuses on the New Testament. Consider going through the Old Testament sometime, too: reading through the entire Bible provides an opportunity to better understand God’s “big picture.”

Each reading includes a simple “literacy question”. Check it before the chapter to discover the answer, or challenge yourself to read it afterwards to check your focus!

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Acts 17:1-15 Who examined the Scriptures to see if Paul was telling the truth?
Acts 2:1-47 How many of Paul’s speeches were on Pentecost?
Acts 3 Peter had no silver or gold. How did he help the lame man?
Acts 4:21-2 What two apostles were put into prison for teaching the people?
Acts 4:23-37 What was Barnabas’ original name?
Acts 5:1-16 Whom did Simon Peter try to drive to the Holy Spirit?
Acts 5:17-42 Who was Gamaliel?
Acts 6 Who was Stephen?
Acts 7:1-19 Who was Abraham’s grandson?
Acts 7:20-43 How was Israel born when he fled Egypt?
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Acts 17:16-34 Where did Paul see an altar inscribed “To an Unknown God”?
Acts 18 Who was Aquila’s wife?
Acts 19:1-20 In what city is the school or lecture hall of Tyrannus?
Acts 19:21-41 Which goddess had a most important temple at Ephesus?
Acts 20:1-16 Who fell asleep during a sermon and was later raised from the dead by Paul?
Acts 20:17-38 Paul endures hardships to complete what task?
Acts 21:1-14 Who took Paul’s belt and used it to tie his own hands and feet?
Acts 21:15-40 Paul was from what city?
Acts 22 Who was Paul’s teacher?
Acts 23:11-12 The Pharisees and Sadducees disagree about what?
Acts 23:12-35 How many men were assigned to guard Paul?
Acts 24 How long was Paul a prisoner in Caesarea?
Acts 25 Why was Festus going to send Paul to Rome?
Acts 26 Whom did Paul try to convert while giving his defense?
Acts 27:1-26 What was the name of the centurion assigned to get Paul to Rome?
Acts 27:27-44 How many were on board the doomed ship?
Acts 28:1-15 What creature bit Paul on the hand but did not harm him?
Acts 28:16-32 What was the name of Paul’s accommodation in Rome?
Rom. 1 Why does no one have an excuse not to know about God?
Rom. 2 For Gentiles, where is the law written?
Rom. 3 How many are righteous?
Rom. 4 Why did God consider Abraham righteous?
Rom. 5 What does suffering produce? What does character produce?
Rom. 6 What is the result of sin?
Rom. 7 For how long is a wife bound to her husband?
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Rom. 8:19-39 What tells you if you are a child of God?
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