

Ever felt like an outsider?

Ever wondered how to **read the Bible**
on your own?

LUKE is the **Gospel** for **YOU**:

Written by an outsider for outsiders.

JOIN us over the next nine months as we slowly walk through the Gospel of Luke. Follow the very doable reading plan that will line up with the sermon series. **Submit your questions** to beth@restorationarlington.org and then check out our Restoration podcast where we'll discuss answers to those questions. We'll wrap up at the end of May with the first few chapters of Acts and the start of the early Church.

**Gospel of Luke Reading Plan
& Reflection Questions**

August 2026 – May 2027

APPROACHING SCRIPTURE

Before you read, pray: *God thank you for the gift of your Word lived out in the person of Jesus. Please open my eyes, ears and heart to receive whatever you have for me today. Amen.*

After you read, ask yourself: What is one takeaway I have from this passage? Or, what is one question I have from this passage? Or, what is one word or phrase that I would like to hang onto today? Perhaps you jot these things down here or in a journal.

Closing prayer: *God thank you for (whatever you noticed). I offer you (anything further that comes to mind related to the passage). Amen.*

READING PLAN

The first week is the most reading of all! Three chapters. After the first week, you'll never read more than one chapter at a time and often less. Read a short passage each day or do all the week's readings in one sitting. You choose!

Sunday, August 30, 2026 - Sermon taken from Luke 1

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- ☐ Luke 1
- ☐ Luke 2
- ☐ Luke 3

Sunday, September 6 - Sermon taken from Luke 4

- ☐ Luke 4:1-13
- ☐ Luke 4:14-30
- ☐ Luke 4:31-37
- ☐ Luke 4:38-44

Sunday, September 13 – Sermon taken from Luke 5

- ☐ Luke 5:1-16
- ☐ Luke 5:17-26
- ☐ Luke 5:27-39

Sunday, September 20 - Sermon taken from Luke 6

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- ☐ Luke 6:1-11
- ☐ Luke 6:12-19
- ☐ Luke 6:20-26

Sunday, September 27 - Sermon taken from Luke 6

- ☐ Luke 6:27-36
- ☐ Luke 6:37-45
- ☐ Luke 6:46-49

Sunday, October 4 - Sermon taken from Luke 7

- ☐ Luke 7:1-10
- ☐ Luke 7:11-17
- ☐ Luke 7:18-35
- ☐ Luke 7:36-50

Sunday, October 11 - Fall Retreat

Reflection questions from Luke 1-7:

- ◆ What has stood out to you so far in our journey through Luke?
- ◆ How would you describe Jesus?
- ◆ What surprises you about him?
- ◆ Where does he seem to stir up conflict and controversy?
- ◆ Where does he offer you hope and encouragement?

Sunday, October 18 - Sermon taken from: Luke 8

- ☐ Luke 8:1-15
- ☐ Luke 8:16-21

Sunday, October 25 - Sermon taken from: Luke 8

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- ☐ Luke 8:22-25
- ☐ Luke 8:26-39
- ☐ Luke 8:40-56

All Saints' Sunday, November 1 - Sermon taken from: Luke 9

- ☐ Luke 9:1-9
- ☐ Luke 9:10-17
- ☐ Luke 9:18-20
- ☐ Luke 9:21-27

Sunday, November 8 - Sermon taken from: Luke 9

- ☐ Luke 9:28-36
- ☐ Luke 9:37-43a
- ☐ Luke 9:43b-50

Sunday, November 15 - Sermon taken from: Luke 9-10

- ☐ Luke 9:51-62
- ☐ Luke 10:1-24
- ☐ Luke 10:25-37
- ☐ Luke 10:38-42

Sunday, November 22 - Sermon taken from: Luke 11

- ☐ Luke 11:1-13
- ☐ Luke 11:14-28

ADVENT

Sunday, November 29 - Sermon taken from: Luke 11

- ☐ Luke 11:29-36
- ☐ Luke 11:37-54
- ☐ Luke 12:1-12

Sunday, December 6 - Sermon taken from Luke 12

- ☐ Luke 12:13-21
- ☐ Luke 12:22-34

- ☐ Luke 12:35-48
- ☐ Luke 12:49-53
- ☐ Luke 12:54-59

Sunday, December 20 - Sermon taken from Luke 13

- ☐ Luke 13:1-9
- ☐ Luke 13:10-17
- ☐ Luke 13:18-21
- ☐ Luke 13:22-35

CHRISTMASTIDE

Sunday, December 27

Reflection questions from Luke 7-13:

- ◆ What has stood out to you in this portion of our journey through Luke?
- ◆ What is Jesus like?
- ◆ What surprises you about him?
- ◆ Where does he seem to stir up conflict and controversy?
- ◆ Where does he offer you hope and encouragement?

Sunday, January 3, 2027 - Sermon taken from Luke 14

- ☐ Luke 14:1-14
- ☐ Luke 14:15-24

EPIPHANY

Sunday, January 10 - Sermon taken from Luke 14

- ☐ Luke 14:25-35

Sunday, January 17 - Sermon taken from Luke 15

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- ☐ Luke 15:1-7
- ☐ Luke 15: 8-10
- ☐ Luke 15:11-32

Sunday, January 24 - Sermon taken from Luke 16

- ☐ Luke 16:1-15
- ☐ Luke 16:16-18
- ☐ Luke 16:19-31

Sunday, January 31 - Sermon taken from Luke 17

- ☐ Luke 17:1-10
- ☐ Luke 17:11-19
- ☐ Luke 17:20-37

Sunday, February 7 - Sermon taken from Luke 18

- ☐ Luke 18:1-17
- ☐ Luke 18:18-30
- ☐ Luke 18:31-43

LENT

Sunday, February 14 - Sermons taken from Luke 19

- ☐ Luke 19:1-10
- ☐ Luke 19:11-26

Sunday, February 21 - Sermon taken from Luke 19

- ☐ Luke 19:28-48
- ☐ Luke 20:1-8

Sunday, February 28 - Sermon taken from Luke 20

- ☐ Luke 20:9-19
- ☐ Luke 20:20-26
- ☐ Luke 20:27-47

- ☐ Luke 21:1-4
- ☐ Luke 21:5-19
- ☐ Luke 21:20-28
- ☐ Luke 21:29-38

Sunday, March 14 - Sermon taken from Luke 22

- ☐ Luke 22:1-6
- ☐ Luke 22:7-20
- ☐ Luke 22:21-38
- ☐ Luke 22:39-53

HOLY WEEK

Palm Sunday, March 21 - Sermon taken from Luke 22-23

- ☐ Luke 22:54-71
- ☐ Luke 23:1-25
- ☐ Luke 23:26-43
- ☐ Luke 23:44-56

EASTERTIDE

Easter Sunday, March 28 - Sermon taken from Luke 24

- ☐ Luke 24:1-12

Eastertide reflection questions:

- ◆ What was it like to walk through Jesus' final week of earthly life?
- ◆ What did you notice about Jesus as he suffered?
- ◆ What did you notice about those around him?
- ◆ How did you experience his death?

Sunday, April 4 - Sermon taken from Luke 24

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- ☐ Luke 24:13-27

Sunday, April 11 - Sermon taken from Luke 24

- ☐ Luke 24: 28-35

Sunday, April 18 - Sermon taken from Luke 24

- ☐ Luke 24:36-49

Sunday, April 25 - Sermon taken from Acts 1

- ☐ Acts 1:1-5

Sunday, May 2 - Sermon taken from Luke 24 & Acts 1

- ☐ Luke 24:50-53
- ☐ Acts 1:6-11

Sunday, May 9 - Sermon taken from Acts 1

The Gospel writer Luke also wrote Acts, when the Holy Spirit comes and the early Church begins.

- ☐ Acts 1:12-26

Pentecost Sunday, May 16 - Sermon taken from Acts 2

- ☐ Acts 2:1-13
- ☐ Acts 2:14-41

Trinity Sunday, May 23 - Sermon taken from Acts 2:42-47

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Reflection questions from Luke 24 & Acts 1-2:

- ◆ What surprise or joy did you experience when you read about the resurrection?

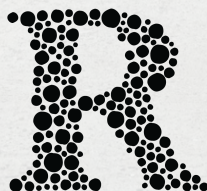
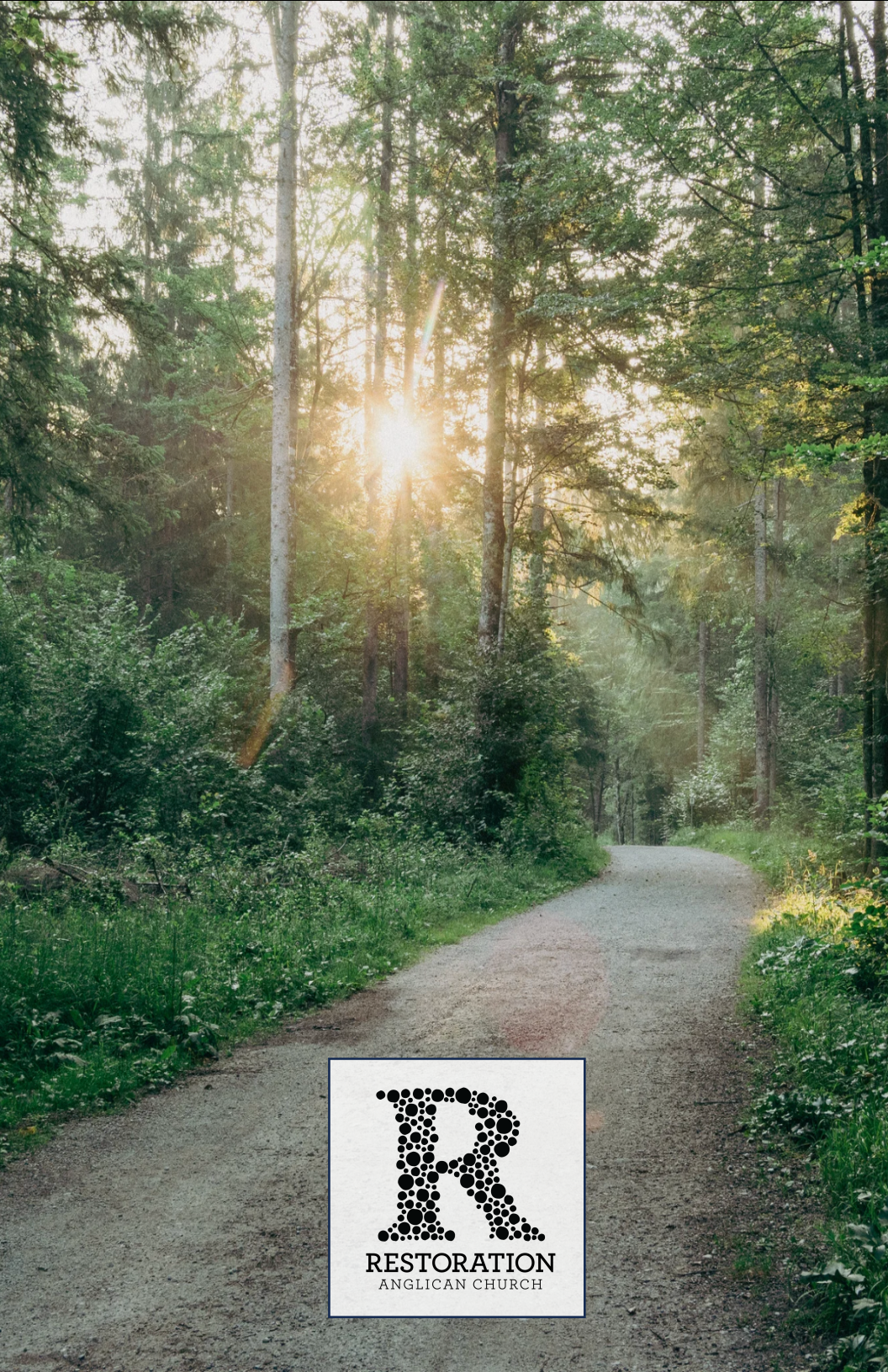
- ◆ What is the resurrected Jesus like?

- ◆ What is hard to imagine?

- ◆ Where do you see God offering gifts to his people?

- ◆ Where does he offer you hope and encouragement?

- ◆ Any final takeaways from the Gospel of Luke and who you have experienced Jesus to be?



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