

Tips:

- The book of Matthew introduces Jesus as the King and promised Messiah of the Jews. It documents His genealogy to establish His right to be King of Israel.
- Notice that Matthew provides little about Jesus' childhood, instead, quickly moving from establishing His heritage to beginning His ministry.
- John desired to convince his readers of Jesus' true identity as the "Son of God."
- John desired people to have life through Christ. The word believe occurs approximately 100 times in the book of John.

Days 246-252 - One Story Readings

Day	Reading	Look for:
246	Mat 2 Mic 5:2-5 Luke 2:41-52	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The visit of the wise men • Where Jesus' parents found him
247	Mat 3 Luke 3:1-23 Isa 40:3-5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What happened at Jesus' baptism • John the Baptist's mission
248	Mat 4:1-11 Deu 8:1-3 1John 2:15-16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The types of temptation Jesus faced • How the things of the world relate to types of temptation
249	John 1:15-51 Deu 18:15-19 1Pet 1:18-19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How the first disciples came to Jesus
250	John 2:1-12 Isa 24:11 John 13:1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jesus' first miracle • How wine is related to joy
251	John 2:13-25 John 3:1-21 1Pet 1:23	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Who Jesus threw out of the temple • What it takes to see the kingdom of God
252	day off	

