

Daily Meditation on the Old Testament – Week 3

Sunday – [Psalm 5](#) [LSB 869 – With the Lord Begin Your Task](#)

1. When and to whom does David pray and what is his prayer? v. 1-3
2. What does the Lord hate and abhor? v. 4-6
3. Because of the Lord's steadfast love, what does David desire? v. 7-8
4. What does David pray for those who take refuge in the Lord? v. 11-12

Monday – [Genesis 12](#) [LSB 936 – Sing Praise to the God of Israel](#)

1. How does the Lord call Abram? v. 1-3
2. What blessings does the Lord promise to Abram? v. 2-3, 7
3. How does Abram respond to the Lord's Gospel promises? v. 4, 7-8
4. How is Abram and Sara's sojourn in Egypt a type of the Israelites in Egypt?

Tuesday – [Genesis 13](#) [LSB 798 – The God of Abraham Praise](#) v. 1-4

1. How is the Lord blessing Abram? v. 2, 5-6
2. How is Abram's faith in the Lord's provision manifested to his neighbor?
3. How does Lot's greed place him in peril? v. 10-13
4. How does Abram respond to the Lord's promise to give him the land? v. 18

Wednesday – [Genesis 14](#) [LSB 781 – We Give Thee But Thine Own](#)

1. How did Lot lose his freedom and all his possessions? v. 12
2. How does the Lord deliver Lot? v. 14-16
3. How does Abram show lack of greed but trust in the Lord? v. 20-24
4. How is Melchizedek a type of Christ? v. 18-20 ([Hebrews 6:19-7:3](#))

Thursday – [Genesis 15](#) [LSB 580 – The Gospel Shows the Father's Grace](#)

1. Why does Abram question the Lord's former promises? v. 2-3
2. What was Abram's response to the Lord's promise and the result? v. 5-6
3. What does the Lord prophesy of Abram's descendants? v. 13-16
4. What does the fire pot passing through the pieces of the sacrifice mean? v.17

Friday – [Genesis 16](#) [LSB 731 – O God, Forsake Me Not](#)

1. How do Abram and Sarai try to fulfill the Lord's promise without His aid? v.2
2. What are the consequences of their sin? v. 4-6
3. Whom does Hagar believe the angel (messenger) of the LORD to be? v. 13
4. How is the prophecy fulfilled that Ishmael would be against his kinsmen?

Saturday – [Isaiah 5](#) [LSB 691 – Fruitful Trees, the Spirit's Sowing](#) tune 427

1. Who is the "beloved" who has the vineyard and what is the vineyard? v. 1, 7
2. What did God find when he looked for grapes? v. 2, 4
3. How does God discipline His people? v. 5-6
4. In Jesus' parable, [Matthew 21:33-46](#), to whom does God give his vineyard?

For this week, memorize and meditate on the [Second Article and its meaning](#)

Answers for Daily Meditation on the Old Testament – Week 3

Sunday – [Psalm 5](#)

1. David prays in the morning to his Lord, God, & King that He would hear him
2. Wickedness, evil, boasting, lying, deceit, and bloodthirsty acts.
3. David desires to enter the Lord's house, worship Him, and be led by the Lord.
4. That the Lord would protect, bless, and cover them with favor (be gracious).

Monday – [Genesis 12](#)

1. The Lord calls Abram with His Gospel promises. ([2 Thessalonians 2:13-14](#))
2. The Lord promises Abram many descendants, the land of Canaan, and from those descendants the Messiah through whom all nations would be blessed.
3. By faith Abram obeys the Lord's command, builds an altar, and worships Him.
4. Pharaoh takes the Lord's bride, but through plagues they leave with plunder.

Tuesday – [Genesis 13](#)

1. Abram has so many possessions that the land cannot support him and Lot.
2. Abram is generous to Lot, allowing him to choose the more fertile land.
3. Lot's choosing the well-watered plain parked him near wicked men of Sodom
4. Abram built an altar to the Lord and worshipped Him.

Wednesday – [Genesis 14](#)

1. By dwelling in the wicked city of Sodom, Lot was captured in a civil war.
2. The Lord grants Abram victory over Lot's captors.
3. Abram takes none of the spoils of war but gives a tenth to the Lord.
4. Like the meaning of Melchizedek's name and title, Christ is forever the king of righteousness and the king of peace who blesses us through bread and wine.

Thursday – [Genesis 15](#)

1. Abram has no heir, no descendants to inherit the land, therefore no Messiah.
2. Abram believed the Lord, and God counted him righteousness. ([Rom. 4:1-8](#))
3. They would be slaves 400 years in a foreign land but God would free them.
4. God will bear the burden of keeping the covenant by sacrificing His Son.

Friday – [Genesis 16](#)

1. They introduce a third party into their marriage to try to produce an heir.
2. Rivalry, contempt, and harsh treatment in the household.
3. She believes Him to be the God who sees her (most likely the Son of God).
4. From him descend the Arabic people who have rivaled the Jews for millennia.

Saturday – [Isaiah 5](#)

1. God or God's Son, beloved of the Father. The vineyard is God's people, Israel.
2. He found wild grapes, the fruits of unrighteousness, injustice, and bloodshed
3. He removes His protection, provision, and care.
4. To other people, the Gentiles, whose faith will bear fruits of righteousness.