

Daily Meditation on the Old Testament – Week 12

Sunday – [Psalm 42](#) [LSB 752 – Be Still, My Soul](#)

1. How is the deer thirsting for water like our soul? v. 1-2
2. When people say, “Where is your God?” what should we do? v. 3-4
3. When our soul is downcast and in turmoil, what should we do? v. 5
4. Who else sorrowed in his soul, yet entrusted his spirit to God?

Monday – [Exodus 17](#) [LSB 761 – Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me](#)

1. When the people thirsted and tested the LORD, what did He do? v. 1-7
2. Who was the rock that provided water for the people to drink? [1 Cor.10:1-4](#)
3. How do the Israelites (the Church militant) defeat their adversaries? v. 8-13
4. Who provided the victory, and how is He remembered? v. 14-16

Tuesday – [Exodus 18](#) [LSB 854 – Forth in Thy Name, O Lord, I Go](#)

1. What led Jethro to believe and confess the LORD as the true God? v. 8-11
2. What resulted from Jethro’s belief and confession? v. 12
3. When Moses tried to be the sole leader/judge, what did Jethro advise? v.17f
4. When fellow Christians observe our life & offer wisdom, what should we do?

Wednesday – [Exodus 19](#) [LSB 727 – On Eagles’ Wings](#)

1. What words of Gospel did the LORD instruct Moses to tell the people? v. 4
2. What conditional (Law) covenant did the LORD make with the people? v.5-6
3. How did the people respond to the LORD’s covenant offer? v. 8
4. Moses is the mediator of the old covenant (v. 16-25). Who is our mediator?

Thursday – [Exodus 20](#) [LSB 581 – These Are the Holy Ten Commands vs. 1-6](#)

1. Concerning His Commandments, what does the LORD promise? v. 5-6
2. When the people feared God and trembled, what did they plead? v. 18-19
3. What is one purpose of the Ten Commandments? v. 20
4. What are the three types of Law which God gave to the Israelites?

Friday – [Exodus 22](#) [LSB 698 – May We Thy Precepts, Lord Fulfill](#)

1. What was the penalty for stealing or damaging personal property? v. 1-14
2. How did God view premarital sex? v. 16
3. What was the punishment for mistreating widows or the fatherless? v.22-24
4. How did God show compassion to the poor who needed to borrow? v. 25-27

Saturday – [Isaiah 43](#) [LSB 728 - How Firm a Foundation](#)

1. Who created, redeemed, and called you by name? v. 1
2. How are God’s people different from the worshippers of false gods? v. 8-13
3. What was the former thing God did and what is the new thing? v. 16-21
4. God’s people burden Him with their sins, but what does God do? v. 24-25

For this week, memorize & meditate on the [6th Commandment and its meaning](#)

Answers for Daily Meditation on the Old Testament – Week 12

Sunday – [Psalm 42](#)

1. Our soul thirsts to appear before the living God at the Temple. ([John 7:37-39](#))
2. Lead them and go to the house of God for worship where He promises to be.
3. Remember God, pray and hope in Him and His salvation, & again praise Him.
4. Jesus prayed in Gethsemane and on the cross. ([Matt. 26:36-39](#), [Luke 23:46](#))

Monday – [Exodus 17](#)

1. The LORD had Moses strike the rock at Horeb, and water came out to drink.
2. Christ was the rock who accompanied them through the desert. ([John 19:34](#))
3. By the instruction and blessing of Moses the prophet with the staff of God.
4. The LORD. Moses recorded the victory in a book & built an altar for worship.

Tuesday – [Exodus 18](#)

1. He heard the testimony of Moses about the LORD’s deliverance from Egypt.
2. He worshipped God by offering sacrifices and communed with the Israelites.
3. Appoint trustworthy men who fear God to help Moses lead/judge the people
4. Like Moses (v. 24), we should listen and then consider their godly advice.

Wednesday – [Exodus 19](#)

1. How God defeated the Egyptians & brought them on eagles’ wings to Himself
2. If they obeyed God’s voice and covenant, they would be His holy people.
3. They promised, “All that the LORD has spoken we will do.”
4. Christ is our mediator of the new covenant which forgives our sins. [Heb. 9:15](#)

Thursday – [Exodus 20](#)

1. To punish those who hate Him, but showing His love to those who keep them
2. For Moses to speak to them & they would listen, instead of God lest they die.
3. So we fear God and not sin.
4. Moral (Ten Commandments), Ceremonial (Worship), and Civil (State).

Friday – [Exodus 22](#)

1. Not incarceration, but making restitution, often paying double the amount.
2. It fulfilled the one flesh union and was tantamount to marriage.
3. God will hear their cry, His wrath will burn, and He will kill the offender.
4. They should be charged no interest and be returned necessary collateral.

Saturday – [Isaiah 43](#)

1. The Father created you in the womb, the Son redeemed you at the cross, and the Holy Spirit called and sanctified you by the Gospel and Holy Baptism.
2. They can’t prove their false god right, but we give witness to God’s salvation.
3. God delivered His O.T. Church by drowning its enemies in water, but now He delivers His N.T. Church by giving the water of life. ([John 4:14](#), [John 7:37-39](#))
4. God blots out our sins for the sake of His Son, Jesus Christ. ([1 John 1:7](#))