

# THE GOSPEL OF MARK DEVOTIONAL

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## Monday, February 15

Consider this question as you read **Mark Chapter 1**: Am I ready for the kingdom of God?

*"The time has come," he said. "The kingdom of God has come near. Repent and believe the good news!"*  
Mark 1:15

## Thursday, February 18

Consider this question as you read **Mark Chapter 2**: Do I really grasp the authority and power of Jesus?

*"But I want you to know that the Son of Man has authority on earth to forgive sins." So he said to the man, "I tell you, get up, take your mat and go home."* Mark 2:10-11

## Monday, February 22

Consider this question as you read **Mark Chapter 3**: What keeps people from Jesus?

*For he had healed many, so that those with diseases were pushing forward to touch him.* Mark 3:10

## Thursday, February 25

Consider this question as you read **Mark Chapter 4**: Am I in a posture of listening?

*Then Jesus said, "Whoever has ears to hear, let them hear."* Mark 4:9

## Monday, March 1

Consider this question as you read **Mark Chapter 5**: How has fear influenced my faith?

*Overhearing what they said, Jesus told him, "Don't be afraid; just believe."* Mark 5:36

## Thursday, March 4

Consider this question as you read **Mark Chapter 6**: How does faith grow courage?

*because they all saw him and were terrified. Immediately he spoke to them and said, "Take courage! It is I. Don't be afraid."* Mar 6:50

## Monday, March 8

Consider this question as you read **Mark Chapter 7**: Do I hold traditions higher than God's commands?

*"You have let go of the commands of God and are holding on to human traditions."* Mark 7:8

## Thursday, March 11

Consider this question as you read **Mark Chapter 8**: Who is Jesus to me?

*"But what about you?" he asked. "Who do you say I am?" Peter answered, "You are the Messiah."* Mark 8:29

**Monday, March 15**

Consider this question as you read **Mark Chapter 9**: What role do I have in Jesus' Kingdom?

*"Salt is good, but if it loses its saltiness, how can you make it salty again? Have salt among yourselves, and be at peace with each other." Mark 9:50*

**Thursday, March 18**

Consider this question as you read **Mark Chapter 10**: What did Jesus teach about leadership?

*"But many who are first will be last, and the last first." Mark 10:31*

**Monday, March 22**

Consider this question as you read **Mark Chapter 11**: What does Jesus try to establish?

*Those who went ahead and those who followed shouted, "Hosanna!" "Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!" Mark 11:9*

**Thursday, March 25**

Consider this question as you read **Mark Chapter 12**: How do my values line up with Jesus' values?

*Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength.' Mark 12:30*

**Monday, March 29**

Consider this question as you read **Mark Chapter 13**: What keeps me from being led astray?

*Jesus said to them: "Watch out that no one deceives you. Mark 13:5*

**Thursday, April 1**

Consider this question as you read **Mark Chapter 14**: What can wash away my sins?

*"This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many," he said to them. Mark 14:24*

**Friday, April 2**

Consider this question as you read **Mark Chapter 15**: What am I worth to Jesus?

*With a loud cry, Jesus breathed his last. Mark 15:37*

**Sunday, April 4**

Consider this question as you read **Mark Chapter 16**: Since Christ is risen, what does that mean for me?

*"Don't be alarmed," he said. "You are looking for Jesus the Nazarene, who was crucified. He has risen! He is not here. See the place where they laid him." Mark 16:6*