A GUIDE FOR DAILY SCRIPTURE READING

READING FAST ~ Week 1: June 3 – 8

- ☐ Watch the Bible Project Videos on **Luke**
 - o Part I: bibleproject.com/explore/video/luke-1-9/
 - Part II: bibleproject.com/explore/video/luke-10-24/
- ☐ Read the **Gospel of Luke**, all the way through, at least once, in as few sittings as possible.

THE GOAL of reading fast is to take in the "big picture" of a biblical book so that you can see how it unfolds from beginning to end.

A METHOD FOR READING FAST

- Use a translation that's easy to read
- Read the entire book, out loud, in one sitting (or in as few sittings as possible).
- Write down questions as they arise but set them aside for later.
- REACH: Try to see if you can do this 2 or 3 times this month.

READING SLOW ~ Weeks 2-4: June 9 - 29

Week 2: June 9 – 15	*Memorize Luke 2:11
Luke 1:29-33	Luke 4:9-13
Luke 5:8-11	Luke 5:12-16
Week 3: June 16 - 22	

Luke 6:32-36	Luke 8:10, 16-18

Luke 9:18-22 Luke 10:30-35

Week 4: June 23 – 29 *Memorize Luke 18:17.

Luke 12:31-34 Luke 23:20-25 Luke 23:32-38 Luke 24:13-16, 27-31

Continue on reverse

READING SLOW, continued

THE GOAL of reading slow is to be with God and to be formed by the text into the image and likeness of Jesus.

A METHOD FOR READING SLOW

QUIET YOURSELF

- Seek out a guiet place where you will be free from distraction.
- Be still for at least two minutes. Focus your mind and affections on God.
- Ask the Holy Spirit to open you up so you can receive from God READ THE BIBLE
 - Read the passage, slowly, 2 or 3 times.
 - Make note of anything that puzzles or confuses you.
 - What does this passage clearly reveal about God?
 - What does this passage clearly reveal about me/people?

MEDITATE "Talk to yourself about God in the presence of God." -T. Keller

- What is God revealing to your heart today?
- Why do you think God might be showing me this truth today?
- What is God asking me to do today?

 ${\it RESPOND with Adoration, Confession, Thanksgiving and Petitions.}$

NOTE: Only four passages are provided for each week in weeks 2-4. This is so you will feel the freedom to "double up" and meditate on a passage more than once, or to meditate on other passages that you noticed when you were "reading fast" that you wanted to circle back to.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR READING WITH OTHERS:

- ❖ Join a small group.
- Read the Bible with 2 or 3 others, once a week, for a month.
 - o Contact Vi Tran (vi@thecollegechurch.org) to learn more!
- * REACH: Try Lectio Divina (Sacred Reading) one day a week
 - Download a Guide Here: shorturl.at/tBM47