

## **Bible Reading List**

(3rd Grade)

Here is a list of 12 Bible stories that we hope you enjoy reading. They are listed by book, chapter and verse.

[Genesis 1:1-2:4a](#) The Story of Creation (list from your version)

[Exodus 20:1-17](#) The 10 Commandments

[1 Samuel 17:1-54](#) David and Goliath

[Daniel 6:1-28](#) Daniel in the Lion's Den

[Luke 1:26-38](#) The Angel Visits Mary

[Luke 2:1-20](#) The Christmas Story

[Matthew 6:9-13](#) The Lord's Prayer

[Luke 10:25-37](#) The Good Samaritan

[Luke 15:11-32](#) The Lost Son

[Luke 19:1-10](#) The Story of Zacchaeus

[Luke 23:26-56](#) The Story of Good Friday

[Luke 24:1-12](#) The Story of Easter

As you are reading your story list let your teacher know after you have completed the reading.

### **Two helpful hints:**

1). Before you begin to read your bible, you might want to pray a simple prayer like this: "Dear God, as I read this story, help me to hear the things you want me to hear." Afterwards,

you might like to pray something like: "Dear God, help me to live what I learned from this story."

2). When you read your bible, it is often helpful to ask yourself some questions like:

What is going on in this story?

Which character is the most like me?

What does this story tell me about God?

What does God want me to learn from this story?

What things or people should I pray for?

(Sometimes, you might have to read through the story 2 or 3 times before you can answer all these questions!)

Asking questions like these can help us to become more aware of what God has done for us, what God wants us to hear, how God wants us to live, and how God wants us to pray.