

Jesse Tree Reading Guide

Day	Symbol	Scripture Reading	Character	Event/Theme
1	The Tree	1 Sam 16:1-13, Isa 11:1-10	The Jesse Tree	
2	World	Gen 1:1-2:3	God	Creation
3	Tree with Fruit	Gen 2:4-3:24	Adam and Eve	The First Sin
4	Ark	Gen 6:11-14, 7:1-4, 7:17-8:12, 9:1-13	Noah	The Flood
5	Field of Stars	Gen 12:1-7, 15:1-6	Abraham	The Promise
6	Ram	Gen 22:1-19	Isaac	Offering of Isaac
7	Ladder	Gen 28:1-22	Jacob	Assurance of the Promise
8	Coat	Gen 37, 45:4-11	Joseph	God's Providence
9	Burning Bush	Exod 2:1-3:14	Moses	God's Leadership
10	Lamb	Exod 12:1-42, 13:17-14:28	Israelites	Passover and Exodus
11	Tablets of the Torah	Exod 19:1-20:20	God	Giving the Torah at Sinai
12	Ram's Horn Trumpet	Josh 1:1-11, 6:1-20	Joshua	The Fall of Jericho
13	Clay Pitcher	Judg 2:6-23, 6:11-7:25	Gideon	Unlikely Heroes
14	Crown	1 Sam 3:1-21, 8:1-22, 10:17-25	Samuel	The Beginning of the Kingdom
15	Harp	1 Sam 16:1-17:58, 2 Sam 5:1-5	David	A Shepherd for the People
16	Stone Altar	1 Kng 17:1-16, 18:16-46	Elijah	The Threat of False Gods
17	An Empty Tent	2 Kng 18:1-19:19, 32-37	Hezekiah	Faithfulness and Deliverance
18	Fire Tongs with Hot Coal	Isa 1:10-20, 6:1-13, 8:11-9:7	Isaiah	The Call to Holiness
19	Tears	Jer 1:4-10, 2:4-13, 7:1-15, 8:22-9:11	Jeremiah	The Exile
20	Stone Watchtower	Hab 1:1-2:1, 3:16-19	Habakkuk	Waiting
21	City Wall	Neh 1:1-2:8, 6:15-16, 13:10-22	Nehemiah	Return and Rebuilding
22	River	Luke 1:57-66, 3:1-20, 7:18-30	John the Baptist	Repentance
23	White Lily	Luke 1:26-38	Mary	The Hope for a Future
24	Mother and Child	Luke 1:39-56	Elizabeth	Joy
25	Pencil and Tablet	Luke 1:67-80	Zechariah	Anticipation
26	Saw	Matt 1:18-24	Joseph	Trust
27	Star	Matt 2:1-12	Magi	Worship
28	Manger	Luke 2:1-20	Jesus	Birth of the Messiah
Final	Chi-Rho Symbol	John 1:1-18	Christ	The Son of God