Daily Readings July 12- August 2

Week of July 12

Sunday’s text. After the reading, ask the follow-up questions.

Sunday, Proverbs 1:1-7; 3:1-8, *Trust and Honor God*

Monday, Proverbs 1:20-33, *The Call of Wisdom*

Tuesday, Proverbs 2:1-15, *The Value of Wisdom*

Wednesday, Proverbs 3:13-18, *The True Wealth*

Thursday, Proverbs 4:1-9, *Parental Advice*

Friday, Proverbs 4:10-27, *Admonition to Keep the Right Path*

Saturday, Proverbs 7:1-27, *The False Attractions of Adultery*

**What do these texts have in common? What are they trying to teach?**

Week of **July 19, 2015**

Sunday, Proverbs 8:1-11, 22-36, *The Gifts of Wisdom*

Monday, Proverbs 9:1-6, *Wisdom’s Feast*

Tuesday, Proverbs 9:13-18, *Folly’s Invitation and Promise*

Wednesday, Proverbs 10:1-32, *Wisdom of Solomon*

Thursday, Proverbs 13:1-25, *Wisdom of Solomon*

Friday, Proverbs 18:1-24, *Wisdom of Solomon*

Saturday, Proverbs 20:1-30, *Wisdom of Solomon*

**What values do these readings lift up?**

Week of **July 26, 2015**

Sunday, Ecclesiastes 1:1-11; 3:1-17, *For Everything There Is a Season*

Monday, Ecclesiastes 3:9-15, *The God-Given Task*

Tuesday, Ecclesiastes 4:9-16, *The Value of a Friend*

Wednesday, Ecclesiastes 5:1-20, *Reverence, Humility, and Contentment*

Thursday, Ecclesiastes 6:1-12, *The Frustration of Desires*

Friday, Ecclesiastes 9:1-12, *Take Life as It Comes*

Saturday, Ecclesiastes 11:1-10, *The Value of Diligence*

**How is wisdom compared to other values in these readings?**

Week of **August 2, 2015**

Sunday, Song of Solomon 2:10-13; 8:6-7, *Love and Passion*

Monday, Song of Solomon 3:1-5, *Love’s Dream*

Tuesday, Song of Solomon 3:6-11, *The Groom and His Party*

Wednesday, Song of Solomon 4:1 – 5:1, *The Bride’s Beauty*

Thursday, Song of Solomon 6:1-13, *The Bride’s Beauty*

Friday, Song of Solomon 7:1-9, *Expressions of Praise*

Saturday, Song of Solomon 8:8-14, *Homecoming*

**What is the nature of these texts? What is the main focus?**