

Ongoing Reading, Reflecting and Growing in God's Word

You may well already have a way of walking closely with the Lord from day to day. But here are some of my suggestions for resources that can help with that special joy of growing in a personal faith in Jesus...

Daily Bible Notes—Often produced quarterly

These can be ordered through local Christian bookshops such as *Living Word* in Bognor Regis, *Chapel Gifts* in Worthing, and *St Olav's* in Chichester. They're also available at online Christian bookshops such as eden.co.uk, thegoodbook.co.uk and icmbooksdirect.co.uk

There are others available, it's worth browsing to find one that is most helpful.

Explore: My favourite, taking small Bible sections at a time. Also available as an app.

Every Day with Jesus: A well-established and popular aid to daily Bible reading and prayer.

Daily Bread: Scripture Union's Bible reading notes. There's also one for new Christians.

Apps and Websites

www.bioy.org.uk—Bible in One Year

This resource from Holy Trinity Brompton is a guided journey through the Bible in a year. The passages are connected and commented on by Nicky and Pippa Gumbel from HTB and Alpha. You can have it emailed to you each day, log on to the website or use the well-made app on your phone or tablet. The passages can even be read aloud to you by David Suchet!

www.biblesociety.org.uk—The Bible Society

The Bible Society has some excellent resources for discovering more about the Bible, as well as reading and growing in faith. Their 'Daily Reflection' is short but inspiring.

www.churchofengland.org/prayer-worship/join-us-in-daily-prayer.aspx

As well as the website, the CoFE has produced apps that you can use to say daily prayer. Although it doesn't cover the whole Bible, it offers a liturgical form of reading and prayer.

Full Books and Bibles

Don Carson's *For the Love of God* is a substantial and in-depth journey through the Bible with daily readings and reflections.

Spurgeon's *Morning and Evening Prayer* can sound old fashioned in its language, but contains some beautiful reflections on life and faith.

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