

## 12 MONTHLY THEMED READING CHALLENGES

CHALLENGE: Start a relevant book during the corresponding month and finish it by year's end.

REWARD: 3 points per completed month

**JANUARY** *Theme: New Year*

Read a book that will grow you as a person.

**BOOK:** \_\_\_\_\_

**FEBRUARY** *Theme: Black History Month*

Read a book by a black author

**BOOK:** \_\_\_\_\_

**MARCH** *Theme: St. Patrick's Day*

Read a book by or about a missionary

**BOOK NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**APRIL** *Theme: Easter*

Read a book on Jesus' death or resurrection

**BOOK:** \_\_\_\_\_

**MAY** *Theme: National Day of Prayer*

Read a book about prayer or fasting

**BOOK:** \_\_\_\_\_

**JUNE** *Theme: Pride Month*

Read a book about homosexuality or transgenderism

**BOOK:** \_\_\_\_\_

**JULY** *Theme: Patriotism*

Read a book about your country

**BOOK:** \_\_\_\_\_

**AUGUST** *Theme: Holidays*

Read a book about a hobby of yours

**BOOK:** \_\_\_\_\_

**SEPTEMBER** *Theme: Labor Day*

Read a book that will help you be a better worker

**BOOK:** \_\_\_\_\_

**OCTOBER** *Theme: Halloween*

Read a book on the demonic or spiritual warfare

**BOOK:** \_\_\_\_\_

**NOVEMBER** *Theme: Thanksgiving*

Read a book on thankfulness or a fruit of the spirit (Gal. 5:22-23)

**BOOK:** \_\_\_\_\_

**DECEMBER** *Theme: Christmas*

Read a Christmas themed book

**BOOK:** \_\_\_\_\_

## A BOOK OF YOUR CHOICE "FORMAT" CHALLENGES

CHALLENGE: Read books that were aquired in different ways or read in different formats.

REWARD: 2.5 points per completed challenge

A soft or hardcover book

**BOOK:** \_\_\_\_\_

An audiobook

**BOOK:** \_\_\_\_\_

A book loaned or gifted from someone

**BOOK:** \_\_\_\_\_

An e-book

**BOOK:** \_\_\_\_\_

A book from the library

**BOOK:** \_\_\_\_\_

A book you're reading with someone

**BOOK:** \_\_\_\_\_

## 50 THEMED READING CHALLENGES

**CHALLENGE:** Finish books in 2022 that fit a particular theme. You can only claim a book in one of the three challenge categories. Try to complete as many as you can in a year. Fiction allowed.

**REWARD:** 2 points per completed book.

A book by an author whose first name is the same as one of the twelve apostles

A book that is critical about a belief you hold

A book about science

A book about productivity or leadership

A book written before 1900

A book written by a prolific author (published 20+ books)

A book about productivity or leadership

A book that will help you be a better church member

A memoir written by a man

A book that will be a nostalgic read for you

A book you've put off reading too long

A book from an author you've met

A book published in 2022

A book that will help you be a better steward of God's money

A book about a doctrine or practice rarely discussed

A book by an Anglican  
(ex. J.I. Packer, N.T. Wright, C.S. Lewis)

A book about worldview or apologetics

A book that will teach you about another denomination or religion

A book that has an illustrated cover

A book written by a senior citizen

A book that will make you laugh

A book about sports or written by an athlete

A book to help you understand the New Testament better

A book called a classic by many

A book 10 years ago you'd be surprised you were reading today

A book written by an author who graduated from Harvard, Princeton, or Yale

A book with a one-word title

A book about race or ethnic issues

A book written by a woman with a doctorate

A book about health or food

A book about music or written by a musician

A book about a social issue

A book that will help you be a better spouse or parent

A memoir written by a woman

A book you've already read before

A graphic novel

A book about education

A book on a current bestsellers list

A book on a specific sin

A book about suffering or persecution

A book by a Baptist  
(ex. Albert Mohler, John Piper, John Bunyan)

A book about church history

A book that will expand your knowledge of a country, people group, or era of time.

A book that has two or more authors

An author's debut book

A book about culture building

A book written in light of Covid-19

A book to help you understand the Old Testament better

A book about politics or the role of government

A book written by someone who lives outside North America

**ADDITIONAL POINTS:** Novels: 1.5 points | Non-fiction books (not categorized) 1.5 points | Children's books (32+ pages): 1 point (if read yourself) or 1.5 points (if read to a child)

Total points: \_\_\_\_\_

