

Otisville Church of Christ
Bible Study Guide for October 7-13, 2012
Joshua 7 and Romans

Sunday – Read Joshua 7 and Romans 3:21-26; 6:20-23; and 8:1-11

1. What did you find most profitable in these scriptures? Why?
2. What did you find most profitable in today's sermons? Why?
3. How will you apply what you learned?

Prayer focus: For wisdom to understand God's word and to apply it to your life.

Monday – Read Joshua 7 (1-5)

1. What is said about Israel to begin this chapter? How does it relate to the events of chapter 6?
2. How did the Lord view these events?
3. How did Israel proceed in their plans to battle against Ai?
4. What similarities exist between these plans and those for the battle against Jericho?
5. How did the results differ?

Prayer focus: To know the dangerous consequences of disobeying God.

Tuesday – Read Joshua 7 (6-15)

1. How did Joshua respond to this loss?
2. Why was he shocked at the loss in this battle?
3. What did Joshua think the Lord was doing with Israel?
4. How did he appeal to God for something better?
5. How did the Lord respond to him?
6. What were the specific problems, and how was the Lord going to deal with them?

Prayer focus: To diligently obey the commands of the Lord.

Wednesday – Read Joshua 7 (16-26)

1. How did Joshua carry out the commands of the Lord?
2. Who was selected?
3. Did he confess?
4. How did Joshua summarize the charges and consequences against Achan? (v. 25)
5. How did the Lord respond to the punishment against Achan? How does the heap of stones commemorate this?

Prayer focus: To know the danger of incurring the wrath of God.

Thursday – Read Romans 3:21-26

1. How is the righteousness of God manifested?
2. How was it previously manifested?
3. What is our status, apart from Jesus Christ, before God? (v. 23)
4. How are we justified before God?
5. How was “grace as a gift” derived?
6. Why?

Prayer focus: To trust God for our redemption.

Friday – Read Romans 6:20-23 and 8:1-11

1. What is the fruit of being freed from sin?
2. What is the fruit of sin?
3. What are the wages of sin?
4. What is the gift of God?
5. What do we have in Christ Jesus (8:1-11)?

Prayer focus: Give thanks for God and his plan to redeem us from sin.

Saturday – Read Acts 5 and Joshua 8

1. What are the main themes of these sections of scripture?
2. How do these sections of scripture develop and extend the teaching from the earlier sections you studied this week?
3. How do they help you prepare for Sunday worship?

Prayer focus: To be prepared to hear the word of the Lord on Sunday.

Notes