Read through the Bible – 52nd week Dec 20-26

Week 52, Sunday (Dec 20) James 4-5, I Peter 1-2

- 1. What caused warring and fighting among those James addressed (Jas. 4:1-2)? desires for pleasure
- 2. James 4:4 "Do you not know that *friendship* with the world is *enmity* with God?"
- 3. What is your life? (James 4:14)? a vapor that appears for a little time then vanishes away
- 4. "To him who knows to do good and does <u>not</u> do it, to him it is <u>sin.</u> (James 4:17)
- 5. James told his brethren to patiently wait on the Lord, like a *farmer* waits patiently for the *fruit* of the *earth*. 5:7
- 6. T F James taught that the Lord's coming was "at hand". TRUE 5:8
- 7. What did Peter say was the "end of your faith" (I Pet. 1:9)? *thte salvation of your soul*
- 8. With what have we been redeemed? *the precious blood of Christ 1:19*
- 9. (I Pet. 2:4) Christ is like a living *stone*, rejected by *men*, but chosen by *God* and *precious*
- 10. Who also is like living stones? we are For what purpose? to offer up spiritual sacrifices 2:5
- 11. "Honor all people. Love the brotherhood. Fear God. Honor the king." 2:17

Week 52, Monday (Dec 21) I Peter 3-5

- 12. How did the "holy women who trusted in God" adorn themselves? <u>being submissive to their own husbands</u>
 <u>1 Peter 3:5</u>
- 13. What might hinder a man's prayers? giving honor to his wife as joint heirs of the grace of life 3:7
- 14. "For the eyes of the Lord are on the <u>righteous</u> And His ears are open to their <u>prayers." 3:12</u>
- 15. How many souls were saved "through water" on Noah's ark (I Pet. 3:20)? <u>8</u> What "antitype" of this saves us? <u>baptism</u> which is called the "answer of a <u>clear conscience</u> toward <u>God."</u>
- 16. "But the end of all things is <u>at hand</u>, therefore, be <u>serious</u> and <u>watchful</u> in your <u>prayers" 4:7</u>
- 17. Where did Peter say judgment was to begin (I Pet. 4:17)? at the house of God
- 18. T F Peter was an elder. TRUE 5:1

Week 52, Tuesday (Dec 22) II Peter 1-3

- 19. If we have all of the virtues in II Peter 1:5-7, and they abound, we will be neither <u>barren</u> nor <u>unfruitful</u> in the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ.
- 20. T F Jesus had shown Peter he was soon to die (II Pet. 1:14-15). *TRUE*
- 21. T F Peter taught that prophecy and scripture were open to wide and varied interpretation (2 Pet. 1:20-21). *FALSE*

- 22. What did God do to angels who sinned? <u>cast them down to hell and delivered them into chains of darkness, to be reserved for judgment</u> 2 Peter 2:4
- 23. (II Pet. 3:8) "...with the Lord <u>one day</u> is as a <u>thousand years</u> and a <u>thousands years</u> as <u>one day."</u>
- 24. How are we to be diligent and to be found by Him? *in peace 3:14*

Week 52, Wednesday (Dec 23) I John 1-3

- 25. God is *light* and in Him is no *darkness* at all". (I John 1:5)
- 26. "If we <u>confess our sins</u> He is faithful and just to <u>forgive</u> us our <u>sins</u> and to <u>cleans</u> us from all <u>unrighteousness</u>.

 I John 1:9
- 27. Who is our "Advocate with the Father" and "the propitiation for our sins"? *Jesus Christ* 2:2
- 28. "He who says he abides in Him should also <u>walk</u> just as He <u>walked." 2:6</u>
- 29. "Do not love the world or the *things* in the world." 2:15
- 30. T F John told his readers it was "the last hour" and that "the Antichrist is coming". TRUE 2:18
- 31. Who is the antichrist? (I John 2:22) anyone who denies the Father and the Son
- 32. When He is revealed, what will we be like? *Him* 3:2
- 33. (1 John 3:14) "We know that we have passed from death to life, because we *love the brethren*
- 34. What is God's commandment? we should believe on the name of His Son Jesus Christ and love one another, as He gave us commandment. 1 John 3:23

Week 52, Thursday (Dec 24) I John 4-5, II John 1, II John 1

- 35. "Beloved, do not believe every *spirit* but, *test* the spirits, whether they are of *God.*" *4:1*
- 36 Who is "born of God"? (1 John 5:1) whoever believes that Jesus is the Christ
- 37. What is the "victory that has overcome the world"? *our faith 5:4*
- 38. What does John call himself in 2 John 1 and to whom is 2 John written? *elder, elect lady*
- 39. 2 John 6 "This is love, that we *walk according to His commandments*"
- 40. T F John hoped to see "the elect lady" face to face. TRUE 1:12
- 41. John had no greater joy than to hear that his children walked in truth III John vs 4
- 42. What was Diotrephes doing wrong? who loves to have the preeminence among them, does not receive us.

 10 Therefore, if I come, I will call to mind his deeds which he does, prating against us with malicious words.

 And not content with that, he himself does not receive the brethren, and forbids those who wish to, putting them out of the church. 3 John 1:9-10 (NKJV)
- 43. Who has a good testimony from all? *Demetrius vs 12*

Week 52, Friday (Dec 25) Jude 1, Rev 1-2

- 44. Who was Jude writing to? <u>To those who are called, sanctified by God the Father, and preserved in Jesus Christ:</u>
 <u>Jude 1:1</u>
- 45. Who is Michael? *the archangel vs 9*
- 46. (Rev. 1:1) God gave Jesus Christ this Revelation to show His servants "things which must <u>shortly take place</u>". To whom (Rev. 1:1) did the Revelation come? <u>John</u>
- 47. To whom did John write the revelation? *the 7 churches which are in Asia 1:4*
- 48. Jesus Christ is the faithful <u>witness</u>, the <u>firstborn</u> from the dead, and the <u>ruler</u> over the <u>kings</u> of the <u>earth. 1:5</u>
- 49. Who did John say was "coming with clouds" and who would see Him (Rev. 1:7)? *Jesus, every eye*
- 50. Where was John when he received the revelation and on what day of the week? <u>Island of Patmos, Lord's Day</u> (1st Day) 1:9-10
- 51. Name the 7 "churches which are in Asia": <u>Ephesus, to Smyrna, to Pergamos, to Thyatira, to Sardis, to Philadelphia, and to Laodicea Rev 1:11</u>
- 52. The Lord told John to "write the things which <u>you have seen</u> and the things which <u>will</u> take place after this." 1:19
- 53. What did the 7 stars and the 7 golden lampstands represent? <u>angels of the seven churches and the seven churches 1:20</u>
- 54. What did the Lord have against the church at Ephesus (Rev. 2:4-5)? they left their first love
- 55. Whose deeds did the Ephesians (and the Lord) hate (Rev. 2:6)? *Nickolaitans*
- 56. What did the Lord have against the church at Smyrna? <u>know the blasphemy of those who say they are Jews and are not, but are a synagogue of Satan Rev 2:9</u>
- 57. How long did the Lord say Smyrna would "have tribulation"? 10 days 2:10
- 58.. What did the Lord have against Pergamos? <u>because you have there those who hold the doctrine of Balaam, who taught Balak to put a stumbling block before the children of Israel, to eat things sacrificed to idols, and to commit sexual immorality Rev 2:14</u>
- 59. What would be written on the white stone given to "him who overcomes"? a new name 2:17
- 60. What "woman" at Thyatira did they allow to teach and seduce the Lord's servants? *Jezebel 2:20*

Week 52, Saturday (Dec 26) Rev 3-5

- 61. Sardis had a name that they were *alive*, but they are *dead 3:1*
- 62. Who would the Lord make "come and worship" before the feet of the faithful of Philadelphia (Rev. 3:9)? *those of the synagogue of Satan*
- 63. (Rev. 3:11) "Behold I am *coming quickly!* Hold fast what you have, that no one may take your *crown.*"
- 64. Were the Laodiceans "hot" or "cold"? *neither (lukewarm) 3:15*

- 65. What did the Lord say He does to those He loves? rebuke and chasten 3:19
- 66. After these things John heard a voice "like a <u>trumpet."</u> and John was immediately "in the <u>Spirit"</u> and saw a One who sat on the throne surrounded by 24 <u>thrones</u> and on the thrones were 24 <u>elders</u> clothed in white robes, with <u>crowns</u> of <u>gold</u> on their heads. 4:2,4
- 67. The four creatures around the throne said, day and night, "Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty, Who was and is and is to come!" Rev 4:8
- 68. When they gave glory and honor and thanks to Him who sits on the throne, what did the 24 elders do? *fell down before Him and worshipped Him 4:8*
- 69. What did the One on the throne have in His right hand (Rev. 5:1)? *a scroll written inside and on the back, sealed with seven seals.*
- 70. Who was worthy to take the scroll and open its seals (Rev. 5:6-10)? *the Lamb of God*