

Weekly Discipleship Plan (Week of Jan 4 - 10, 2026)

Shorter Catechism Question:

Q.37. What benefits do believers receive from Christ when they die?

A. When believers die, their souls are made perfectly holy and immediately pass into glory. Their bodies, which are still united to Christ, rest in the grave until the resurrection.

Scripture Memory: **1Pet. 1:3 ¶ Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ!**
According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead,

1Pet. 1:4 to an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you,

1Pet. 1:5 who by God's power are being guarded through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time.

DAILY DEVOTIONS

Day 1 (Jan 4)

Reading: Joshua 23

Questions:

- What did Joshua want Israel to see & know from the rest God was giving them from their enemies?
- In return, what should Israel be careful to do?
- What should Israel expect if they intermarried with the pagan nations and transgressed God's covenant?

Prayer for: Effectiveness in evangelism & discipleship

Day 2

Reading: Joshua 24

Questions:

- What evidences did God point Israel to in proving His love and faithfulness?
- Given God's faithfulness, what did Joshua call Israel to do, in response?
- What did Joshua say would happen to Israel if they instead chose to serve foreign gods?

Prayer for: Growth in love and compassion toward our neighbors

Day 3

Reading: Judges 1 - 2

Questions:

- Which two brothers led Israel in their conquest of the land after the death of Joshua to fight the Canaanites?
- What instances of incomplete obedience does the passage cite in Israel?

- What were the bad consequences that followed these disobediences? Whom did the LORD raise up to lead Israel?

Prayer for: Personal renewal of body & spirit

Day 4

Reading: Judges 3

Questions:

- Who did the LORD leave in Canaan to test Israel, whether they would obey God?
- What was the result of Israel inter-marrying with these nations?
- When Israel repeatedly sinned, & God judged them, what 2 judges did the LORD raise up?

Prayer for: To be faithful managers of our time, talents, and treasure

Day 5

Reading: Judges 4

Questions:

- What happened after Ehud died?
- What two judges did God raise up to oppose Sisera?
- Who actually brought deliverance to Israel from the hand Sisera?

Prayer for: Physical health & strength for ourselves, family & friends

Day 6

Reading: Judges 5

Questions:

- What did Deborah and Barak do to celebrate God's deliverance of Israel?
- What acts of obedience and worship are given in v. 2 of both the leaders & people?
- How does their song differentiate between the fate of God's enemies, & His friends?

Prayer for: Spiritual revival of the community and nation

Day 7

Reading: Judges 6

Questions:

- After 40 years of rest, what happened again? Who was God's judge for Israel's sin?
- What specifically caused Israel to cry out to God for help?
- When God greeted Gideon, what were his questions for the LORD?

Prayer for: Effectiveness of Bethel's ministries