



Readings for Project Mark

Date	Read
Nov. 30: Reflect on:	Chapter One Mk 1:1-8
Dec. 7 Reflect on	Chapter Two Mk. 2:1-12
Dec. 14: Reflect on	Chapter Three Mk. 3:13-19 Mk. 3:31-34
Dec. 21 & 28	The Christmas Story
Jan. 4 Reflect on	Chapter Four Mk. 4:35-41
Jan 11 Reflect on	Chapter Five Mk. 5:1-20 Mk. 5:21-43
Jan. 18 Reflect on	Chapter Six Mk. 6:30-44 Mk. 6:45-55
Jan. 25 Reflect on	Chapter Seven Mk. 7:24-30
Feb. 1 Reflect on	Chapter Eight Mk 8:27-38
Feb. 8 Reflect on	Chapter Nine Mk. 9:2-13 Mk. 9:14-30
Feb. 15 Reflect on	Chapter Ten Mk. 10:1-11 Mk. 10: 46-52
Feb. 22 Reflect on	Chapter Eleven Mk. 11:1-11 Mk. 11:12-19
Mar. 1 Reflect on	Chapter Twelve Mk. 12:28-34
Mar. 8 Reflect on	Chapter Thirteen Mk. 13:1-37
Mar.15 Reflect on	Chapter Fourteen Mk. 14: 1-11 Mk.14: 32-42
Mar 22 Reflect on	Chapter Fifteen Mk 15:1-41
Mar. 29	Chapter Sixteen

What if Every Catholic in the Diocese of Rochester Read the Same Book?

Imagine the power of having all of us read the same book: the Gospel of Mark!

Spirit Alive! invites us all to know and understand Scripture better. What better way to do that than to devote some time to reading one book of the Bible: The Gospel of Mark?

Why Mark? During this liturgical year, the whole Church will hear the Gospel of Mark. During Ordinary Time our Sunday Gospels will be from the Gospel of Mark.

The Gospel of Mark was written for early Christians who were experiencing persecution and suffering for their faith. It portrays Jesus as a man of action, a man always on the move to Spread the Word.

Things to consider as you read the Gospel of Mark.

- How is Jesus' humanity revealed in this Gospel? How is His Divinity revealed?
- How does Mark describe Jesus? How would you describe what you have learned about Jesus?
- What does it mean to be a disciple of Jesus according to Mark?
- What is the role of suffering in this Gospel?

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