

THE CHAPLAIN'S BIBLICAL REFERENCE GUIDE

The following pages are a compilation of Biblical references appropriate for a P.E.O. meeting's devotions. The list is offered only as a suggestion and does not mean other verses aren't also suitable. The first list can be read in conjunction with the Initiation Ceremony, while the more extensive second list is for general chapter use and has been arranged by liturgical seasons and topics, as well as personal themes. Psalms are listed separately because of their frequent use. Since the P.E.O Memorial Service is usually used when a chapter sister dies, additional references for this occasion aren't included.

Initiation Ceremony:

Faith: Hebrews 11:1

Love: I John 4: 16
I Corinthians 13: 8
I John 4: 7
I Corinthians 16: 14

Purity: Philippians 4: 8
Proverbs 23: 7
Matthew 5: 8

Friendship: Ecclesiastes 4: 9-10
Colossians 3: 12-17

Justice: Matthew 7: 1
Matthew 7: 12

Comfort: II Corinthians 1: 3-7
II Corinthians 7: 6-13

Truth: John 8: 32
Psalms 100: 5
I Corinthians 13: 13

For the Good of the Chapter:

Chicken Soup for the Soul

Heart Warmers from the *P.E.O. RECORD* classifieds

Poems and articles from the *P.E.O. RECORD*

Liturgical Seasons and Personal Themes

LITURGICAL SEASONS & THEMES	OLD TESTAMENT	NEW TESTAMENT	PSALMS
<i>Advent & December</i>	Isaiah 9: 2-7 Isaiah 11: 1-10 Isaiah 35: 1-10 Isaiah 7: 1-10	Matthew 21: 1-11 Matthew 3: 1-12 Romans 15: 4-13 Luke: 1: 26-38	24
<i>Christmas, Epiphany & January</i>	Isaiah 9: 2-7 Isaiah 52: 7-10 Isaiah 62: 10-12 Isaiah 60: 1-6 I Samuel 3: 1-10	Matthew 2: 1-12 Matthew 6: 24-34 John 1: 1-14 Luke 2: 25-40 Luke 2: 1-20	96 97 67 32
<i>Lent</i>	Ezekiel 37: 1-14	Matthew 4: 1-11 <i>Temptation of Christ</i>	
<i>February</i>	Isaiah 42: 1-9	John 4: 5-42 <i>The Samaritan Woman</i>	
<i>April, including Holy Week</i>		John 11: 1-53 <i>Raising of Lazarus</i> Matthew 21: 1-11 <i>Palm Sunday</i> I Corinthians 11: 17-32 <i>Last Supper</i> John 17 <i>High Priestly Prayer</i> John 13-16 <i>Sermon on Eve of Last Supper</i> Ephesians 5: 8-14 Matthew 20: 17-28 Romans 8: 11-19 John 12: 1-11 John 13: 1-17 & 34 John 18 & 19 Mark 14 & 15 Matthew 26-28	22 43 116

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<i>Easter</i>		John 20: 1-18 Matthew 28: 1-10 Luke 24: 13-15 <i>Emmaus Road</i>	118: 1-15 150
<i>Praise & Thanksgiving: Times of joy, birthdays, celebrations, etc.</i>			90 91 107:1-9 103: 1-22 100 116 113 111
<i>General</i>	Ecclesiastes 1: 1-18 Ecclesiastes 3: 1-18 <i>Time</i> Song of Solomon 2: 1-12 <i>Spring-Voice of the Turtle</i>		
<i>Parables</i>		Luke 10: 29-37 <i>Good Samaritan</i> Matthew 13: 19 & 24-30 <i>Sower & the Seed</i> Luke 15: 11-24 <i>Prodigal Son</i> Luke 15: 1-10 <i>The Lost Sheep/Coin</i>	
<i>The Sermon on the Mount</i>		Matthew 5 & 7	
<i>The Lord's Prayer</i>		Matthew 6: 9-13	
<i>Feeding the Multitudes</i>		Luke 9: 10-17	

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Personal Themes:			
<i>Faith</i>		Luke 8: 22-25	89: 1-8
<i>Forgiveness</i>		Ephesians 1: 3-8	103: 1-13
<i>God's Presence</i>			139: 1-12
<i>Help in Temptation</i>		James 1: 12-18	119: 9-16
<i>Guidance</i>	Proverbs 3: 1-10		
<i>Help in Trouble</i>			46 & 91
<i>God's Provision</i>		Matthew 6: 24-34	36: 5-9
<i>Answer to Prayer</i>		John 14: 8-14	
<i>Doubt</i>		Matthew 7: 7-11	
<i>Worry about Money</i>		I Timothy 6: 6-10	
		Hebrews 13: 5-6	
		Matthew 6: 19-21	
<i>Pain & Suffering</i>		II Corinthians 12: 7-10	
		Romans 8: 31-29	
<i>Promise of Strength</i>	Isaiah 40: 27-31		
		Philippians 4: 10-13	
<i>God's Peace</i>		Ephesians 2: 1-10	27: 1-6
<i>When Anxious</i>		Philippians 4: 6-7	
	Job 11: 14-19	Romans 8: 28-30	
<i>Lonely</i>			23
<i>Discouraged</i>		Matthew 11: 25-30	34: 15-22
<i>Ill</i>			103: 1-5
<i>Grief</i>		John 11: 25-26	
		John 14: 1-7	
		Revelation 7: 13-17	
<i>Impatience</i>		James 5: 7-11	37: 3-9
<i>Anger</i>	Proverbs 15: 1	James 1: 19-25	