

Bible Readings 2026		
Sunday / NgeCawe		
4 Jan	Jude	1
11 Jan	Revelation	1
18 Jan	Isityhilelo	2
25 Jan	Revelation	3
1 Feb	xhosa – Effect of prosperity & adversity Dut 8:11–20; Yob 1:1–3,14–22; ImiZek 30:8,9; INTsh 2:18–23; 9:11; Luk 12:16–21	
8 Feb	Isityhilelo	4
15 Feb	Revelation	5
22 Feb	xhosa – God's ways past finding out Eks 20:21; 33:20; Dut 5:22; Yob 26:14; 33:13; Isaya 55:9; Rom 11:33; 1Tim 6:15–16	
1 Mar	Isityhilelo	6
8 Mark	Revelation	7
15 Mar	xhosa – Joy of Salvation 1 Sam 2:1–9; II Ndu 16:11; Mat 5:11,12; Yoh 16:33; I Ze 5:41,42; 1Pet 1:6–9	
22 Mark	Isityhilelo	8
29 Mar	Revelation	9
5 Apr	xhosa – No way of escape Eks 14:23–28; Num 22:32; Yos 13:22; Luk 16:24–29; Heb 2:1–4; 10:24–31; 12:17; 2Pet 2:4–6	
12 Apr	Isityhilelo	10
19 Apr	Revelation	11
26 Apr	xhosa – Special privileges we enjoy Mat 13:10–12; Luk 10:21–24; Yoh 14:16–18; Rom 5:1–6; 1 Kor 2:9–12; Yoh 2:18–21; 3:1–2	
3 May	Isityhilelo	12
10 May	Revelation	13
17 May	xhosa – Convincing Examples Rut 1:15–18; 2Kum 2:9,10; 5:1–4; Mat 5:13:16; Luk 22:10; Yoh 12:3; 2Kor 2:14–16; Heb 12:1,2	
24 May	Isityhilelo	14
31 May	Revelation	15
7 Jun	xhosa – Jesus' responses Mat 16:21–23; 18:21–35; 19:13–15; 26:8–10; Mark 9:33–37; Luk 19:37–44; Yoh 6:15; 18:10–11	
14 Jun	Isityhilelo	16
21 Jun	Revelation	17
28 Jun	xhosa – Christ's self-sacrificing love Luk 19:10; 22:27; Yoh 3:13–16; 6:51–58; 13:1–5; 15:13; 17:6–10; Fil 2:5–8; Heb 2:9–10	

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7 Jan	Ezra	1 & 2	xhosa \ Trusting God for a new beginning
14 Jan	UEzra	3	xhosa \ Gods chastening hand removed
21 Jan	Ezra	4	xhosa \ Greater blessing, fiercer attack
28 Jan	xhosa – Gaining God’s approval	Gen 6:8;22; 17:1; Eks 33:12–17; 1 Sam 2:26; 3:10;19; 15:22; Isaya 66:2; Dan 10:11;12; Yoh 8:29; IZe 13:22	
4 Feb	UEzra	5 & 6	xhosa \ Never let your courage falter
11 Feb	Ezra	7 & 8	xhosa \ God’s hand providing & protecting
18 Feb	xhosa – Pre-eminence of Love	Hos 11:4; Yoh 12:32; 1 Kor 13:13; Ga 5:6;22; Efe 3:17–19; 5:2; Kol 3:14; 1Yoh 4:16–18	
25 Feb	UEzra	9	xhosa \ Downward spiral of compromise
4 Mar	Ezra	10	xhosa \ Ray of hope in the darkness
11 Mar	xhosa – The kind of heart we need	Dut 5:29; 1 Sam 12:24; ImiZek 3:5–6; 23:26; Yer 24:7; 29:13; Hez 11:19–20; Yow 2:12–13; Luk 10:27	
18 Mar	Haggai	1	xhosa \ Examining one’s own priorities
25 Mar	UHagayi	2	xhosa \ Take note of God’s blessings
1 Apr	xhosa – Significant place names	Gen 16:13–14; 22:14; 28:19; 35:7; AbaGw 15:17–19; 1 Sam 7:12; Mat 26:36; Yoh 19:17	
8 Apr	Nehemiah	1	xhosa \ Prayer changes things, if it first changes me
15 Apr	UNehemiya	2	xhosa \ No time lost in waiting on God
22 Apr	xhosa – Importance of perspective	2 Kum 4:9;10; 6:15–17; Isaya 6:1–8; Mat 1:19;20; 9:11–13; 13:11; 14:16; 19:13;14; 2 Kor 4:16–18	
29 Apr	Nehemiah	3	xhosa \ Unity is strength
6 May	UNehemiya	4	xhosa \ Greater dedication; greater opposition
13 May	xhosa – Hiding Places	Gen 3:8; liNdu 27:5; 31:20;21; 139:11;12; ImiZek 30:26; Isaya 25:4; Yer 23:24; Luk 12:2;3; IsiTyh 6:14–17	
20 May	Nehemiah	5	xhosa \ The enemy within is the biggest danger
27 May	UNehemiya	6	xhosa \ Beware of the friendly enemy
3 Jun	xhosa – Timely service	Gen 18:2–8; Yos 2:6–21; 1 Sam 25:18–33; Mark 14:8; 15:40–47; IZe 23:16–23; 28:15; 2Tim 1:16–18	
10 Jun	Nehemiah	7 – 8	xhosa \ Fruitfulness by delighting in God’s will
17 Jun	UNehemiya	9	xhosa \ Majesty of God and depravity of man
24 Jun	xhosa – Composition of God’s people	liNdu 131:2; ImiZek 1:33; Isaya 28:16; 32:17; IziLilo 3:26; Dan 2:15–18; Rom 5:1; 1Pet 3:12	
1 Jul	Nehemiah	10 – 11	xhosa \ First treat the cause, not the symptoms

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7 Jan	Ezra	1 & 2	xhosא \ Tursing God for a new beginning	Wednesday / נגולוּסיתההן
28 Jan	xhosא - Gaining God's approval	4	xhosא \ Greater blessing had removed	
4 Feb	Ezra	5 & 6	xhosא \ Greater blessing, if ever attack	
11 Feb	Ezra	7 & 8	xhosא \ God's hand providing & protecting	
18 Feb	xhosא - Pre-eminance of LOVE	9	xhosא \ Downward spiral of compromise	
25 Feb	Ezra	9	xhosא \ Ray of hope in the darkness	
11 Mar	xhosא - The kind of heart we need	10	xhosא \ Day of hope in the darkness	
18 Mar	Haggai	1	xhosא \ Examining one's own priorities	
25 Mar	xhosא - Significant place names	2	xhosא \ Take note of God's blessings	
1 Apr	xhosא - Abagw 15:17-19; 1 Sam 7:12; Mat 26:36; Yoh 19:17			
8 Apr	Nehemiyah	1	xhosא \ Preyer changes things, if it first changes me	
15 Apr	xhosא - Importance of perspective	2	xhosא \ No time lost in waiting on God	
22 Apr	xhosא - Hilding Places	4	xhosא \ Greater dedication; greater opposition	
6 May	UNhemiyah	4	xhosא \ Unity is strength	
13 May	xhosא - Hilding Places Gen 3:8; INNU 27:5; 31:20; 13:11,12; IMZEK 30:26; ISAYA 2:1-2; Luk 12:2-3; 1SITYH 6:14-17			
20 May	Nehemiyah	5	xhosא \ The enemy within is the biggest danger	
27 May	UNhemiyah	6	xhosא \ Beware of the friendly enemy	
3 June	xhosא - Timely service	7	Mark 14:8; 15:40-47; IZEE 23:16-23; 28:1-5; 2Tim 1:16-18	
10 June	Nehemiyah	7 - 8	xhosא \ Fruitiulness by delighiting in God's will	
17 June	UNhemiyah	9	xhosא \ Majesty of God and depravity of man	
24 June	xhosא - Composure of God's people	10 - 11	Isaya 28:16; 32:17; IZELILO 3:26; DAN 2:15-18; ROM 5:1; 1PFT 3:12	
1 July	Nehemiyah		Nehemiyah 10 - 11	

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8 Jul	UNehemiya	12	xhosa \ A sanctified people glorifying God
15 Jul	Nehemiah	13	xhosa \ Walls of separation crumbling
22 Jul	xhosa – Weapons of our warfare	1 Sam 17:45; Mat 4:4; 26:52; 2 Kor 10:4; Efe 6:10-18; Heb 4:12; 1Pet 2:15; IsiTyh 2:16; 12:1	Yob 34:29; Yoh 14:1-27; 16:20-22; 33; Rom 8:38-39; 1 Kor 15:58; Efe 3:16-21;
29 Jul	Ezekiel	1	xhosa \ The glory of the Lord
5 Aug	UHezekile	2	xhosa \ Setting one's face to do God's will
12 Aug	xhosa – Having a listening ear	Gen 22:3,10-13; 1 Kum 19:11-13; Isaya 50:4,5; Mat 13:9, 15-17; Mark 4:24; Luk 8:18	Isaya 50:4-5; Mat 13:9-10; Mark 4:24; Luk 8:18
19 Aug	Ezekiel	3	xhosa \ Truth brings conviction & healing
26 Aug	Psalm	20 & 21	xhosa \ Be watchful even after victory
2 Sep	Psalm	22	xhosa \ Good Shepherd dies for his sheep
9 Sep	Psalms	23	xhosa \ Great Shepherd cares for the sheep
16 Sep	liNdumiso	24	xhosa \ Chief Shepherd comes in glory
23 Sep	Psalms	25	xhosa \ People the Lord loves to guide
30 Sep	liNdumiso	26	xhosa \ Handling malicious slander
7 Oct	Ezekiel	33	xhosa \ Love for God expressed in obedience
14 Oct	xhosa – Highest calling	1 Kum 19:19-21; Isaya 6:8; Yer 1:4-10; Mark 6:7; Rom 1:1,7; 1 Kor 1:26-30; IsiTyh 17:14	Isaya 28:6; Mark 6:48; Luk 9:23; 13:24; Fil 1:27; 1Tim 6:11-12; 2Tim 3:1-5; Heb 12:4
21 Oct	UHezekile	34	xhosa \ All needs met in our Shepherd
28 Oct	Ezekiel	35	xhosa \ God still resists the proud
4 Nov	xhosa – Our disappointment, often God's appointment	Gen 17:18-19; 48:8-20; IZe 16:6-10, 23-34; 2 Kor 12:7-10; Heb 11:17-19,39-40	liNdu 36:8-10; Yoh 10:10; Rom. 8:32; 2 Kor 9:8,15; Efe 3:17-21; Kol 2:9,10; 2Pet 1:4,11
11 Nov	UHezekile	36	xhosa \ From desolation to delight
18 Nov	Ezekiel	37	xhosa \ Life-giving power of the Word and Spirit
25 Nov	xhosa – Redeeming Time	liNdu 39:4-6; 90:9-12; 95:7-9; INtsh 9:10; Isaya 55:6; Rom 13:11; 2 Kor 6:2; Efe 5:15-16	liNdu 131:1-2; Isaya 52:7; Mat 5:3; 11:25; 21:16; Mark 10:14-15; Luk 2:6-20; Rom 16:19,20; 2 Kor 1:12
2 Dec	UHezekile	38 - 39	xhosa \ Every enemy defeated; every sin forgiven
9 Dec	Ezekiel	47	xhosa \ Water of Life flows progressively deeper
16 Dec	Psalm	27 – 28	xhosa \ God is greater than circumstances & foes
23 Dec	Psalm	29 – 30	xhosa \ Answered prayer gives a new song
30 Dec	Psalm	31 – 32	xhosa \ My way is wrong, God's way is right

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5 Jul	Isityhilelo	18
12 Jul	Revelation	19
19 Jul	xhosa – Stability in unsettling times	Yoh 34:29; Yoh 14:1-27; 16:20-22; 33; Rom 8:38-39; 1 Kor 15:58; Efe 3:16-21; 1Pet 1:4-12; 1Pet 2:15; IsiTyh 2:16; 12:1
26 Jul	Isityhilelo	20
2 Aug	Revelation	21
9 Aug	Isityhilelo	22
16 Aug	Matthew	1 & 2
23 Aug	UMateyu	3
30 Aug	Matthew	4
6 Sep	UMateyu	5
13 Sep	Matthew	6
20 Sep	xhosa – Daily struggles	Isaya 28:6; Rom 13:11; 2 Kor 6:2; Efe 5:15-16
27 Sep	UMateyu	7
4 Oct	Matthew	8
11 Oct	xhosa – Abundant Life	liNdu 36:8-10; Yoh 10:10; Rom. 8:32; 2 Kor 9:8,15; Efe 3:17-21; Kol 2:9,10; 2Pet 1:4,11
18 Oct	UMateyu	9
25 Oct	Matthew	10
1 Nov	xhosa – Beauty of simplicity	liNdu 131:1-2; Isaya 52:7; Mat 5:3; 11:25; 21:16; Mark 10:14-15; Luk 2:6-20; Rom 16:19,20; 2 Kor 1:12
8 Nov	UMateyu	11
15 Nov	Matthew	12
22 Nov	UMateyu	13
29 Nov	Matthew	14
6 Dec	UMateyu	15
13 Dec	Matthew	16
20 Dec	UMateyu	17
27 Dec	Matthew	18

19 July	xhosa – Stability in unsettling times	Yoh 34:29; Yoh 14:1-27; 16:20-22; 33; Rom 8:38-39; 1 Kor 15:58; Efe 3:16-21; 1Pet 1:4-12; 1Pet 2:15; IsiTyh 2:16; 12:1
26 July	Isityhilelo	Fil 4:7,8; 1Pet 5:10
5 July	Isityhilelo	Walls of separation crumbling
12 July	Revelation	19
19 July	xhosa – Setting one's face to do God's will	Isaya 50:4-5; Mat 13:9-10; Mat 4:24; Luk 8:18
26 July	Isityhilelo	Truth brings conviction & healing
1 Aug	Matthew	1 & 2
8 Aug	Isityhilelo	Be watchful even after victory
15 Aug	Matthew	3
22 Aug	Isityhilelo	Good Shepherd dies for his sheep
29 Aug	Matthew	4
5 Sept	Matthew	5
12 Sept	Matthew	6
19 Sept	Matthew	7
26 Sept	Isityhilelo	God's love for the sheep
3 Sept	Matthew	8
10 Sept	Matthew	9
17 Sept	Matthew	10
24 Sept	Isityhilelo	Great Shepherd cares for the sheep
1 Sept	Matthew	11
8 Sept	Matthew	12
15 Sept	Isityhilelo	People the Lord loves to guide
22 Sept	Matthew	13
29 Sept	Isityhilelo	Great Shepherd comes in glory
6 Sept	Matthew	14
13 Sept	Matthew	15
20 Sept	Isityhilelo	Truth brings conviction & healing
27 Sept	Matthew	16
4 Oct	Matthew	17
11 Oct	xhosa – Abundant Life	Rom 1:17; 1 Kor 1:26-30; IsiTyh 17:14
18 Oct	Matthew	18
25 Oct	Matthew	19
1 Nov	xhosa – Beauty of simplicity	Rom 1:17; 1 Kor 1:26-30; IsiTyh 17:14
8 Nov	Matthew	20
15 Nov	Matthew	21
22 Nov	Matthew	22
29 Nov	Matthew	23
6 Dec	Matthew	24
13 Dec	Matthew	25
20 Dec	Matthew	26
27 Dec	Matthew	27

14 Oct	xhosa – Highhest calling	1 Kum 19:1-12; Isaya 6:8; Yer 1:10-12; Mark 6:7; Rom 1:17; 1 Kor 1:26-30; IsiTyh 17:14
21 Oct	Ezekiel	33 xhosa \ Love for God expressed in obedience
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3 Dec	UHezekile	38 - 39 xhosa \ Every enemy defeated; every sin forgiven
10 Dec	UMateyu	11
17 Dec	Matthew	12
24 Dec	UMateyu	13
31 Dec	Psalm	14 xhosa \ Why is wrong, God's way is right
7 Jan	UMateyu	15
14 Jan	Psalm	16 xhosa \ Answers prayer gives a new song
21 Jan	UMateyu	17
28 Jan	Psalm	18 xhosa \ God is greater than circumstances & foes
4 Feb	UMateyu	19
11 Feb	Psalm	20 xhosa \ Water of Life flows progressively deeper
18 Feb	UMateyu	21
25 Feb	Psalm	22 xhosa \ Life-giving power of the Word and Spirit
3 Mar	UMateyu	23
10 Mar	Psalm	24 xhosa \ Great Shepherd cares for the sheep
17 Mar	UMateyu	25
24 Mar	Psalm	26 xhosa \ Handing malicious slander
30 Mar	UMateyu	27
6 Apr	Psalm	28 xhosa \ People the Lord loves to guide
13 Apr	UMateyu	29
20 Apr	Psalm	30 xhosa \ Love for God expressed in obedience
27 Apr	UMateyu	31
4 May	Psalm	32 xhosa \ All needs met in our Shepherd
11 May	UMateyu	33
18 May	Psalm	34 xhosa \ Life-giving power of the Word and Spirit
25 May	UMateyu	35
1 June	Psalm	36 xhosa \ Every enemy defeated; every sin forgiven
8 June	UMateyu	37
15 June	Psalm	38 - 39 xhosa \ Life-giving power of the Word and Spirit
22 June	UMateyu	40
29 June	Psalm	41 xhosa \ Setting one's face to do God's will
6 July	UMateyu	42
13 July	Psalm	43 xhosa \ The glory of the Lord
20 July	UMateyu	44
27 July	Psalm	45 xhosa \ Setting one's face to do God's will
3 Aug	UMateyu	46
10 Aug	Psalm	47 xhosa \ The glory of the Lord
17 Aug	UMateyu	48
24 Aug	Psalm	49 xhosa \ Setting one's face to do God's will
31 Aug	UMateyu	50
7 Sept	Psalm	51 xhosa \ The glory of the Lord
14 Sept	UMateyu	52
21 Sept	Psalm	53 xhosa \ Setting one's face to do God's will
28 Sept	UMateyu	54
5 Oct	Psalm	55 xhosa \ The glory of the Lord
12 Oct	UMateyu	56
19 Oct	Psalm	57 xhosa \ Setting one's face to do God's will
26 Oct	UMateyu	58
2 Dec	Psalm	59 xhosa \ The glory of the Lord
9 Dec	UMateyu	60
16 Dec	Psalm	61 xhosa \ Setting one's face to do God's will
23 Dec	UMateyu	62
30 Dec	Psalm	63 xhosa \ The glory of the Lord
6 Jan	UMateyu	64
13 Jan	Psalm	65 xhosa \ Setting one's face to do God's will
20 Jan	UMateyu	66
27 Jan	Psalm	67 xhosa \ The glory of the Lord
3 Feb	UMateyu	68
10 Feb	Psalm	69 xhosa \ Setting one's face to do God's will
17 Feb	UMateyu	70
24 Feb	Psalm	71 xhosa \ The glory of the Lord
3 Mar	UMateyu	72
10 Mar	Psalm	73 xhosa \ Setting one's face to do God's will
17 Mar	UMateyu	74
24 Mar	Psalm	75 xhosa \ The glory of the Lord
30 Mar	UMateyu	76
6 Apr	Psalm	77 xhosa \ Setting one's face to do God's will
13 Apr	UMateyu	78
20 Apr	Psalm	79 xhosa \ The glory of the Lord
27 Apr	UMateyu	80
4 May	Psalm	81 xhosa \ Setting one's face to do God's will
11 May	UMateyu	82
18 May	Psalm	83 xhosa \ The glory of the Lord
25 May	UMateyu	84
1 June	Psalm	85 xhosa \ Setting one's face to do God's will
8 June	UMateyu	86
15 June	Psalm	87 xhosa \ The glory of the Lord
22 June	UMateyu	88
29 June	Psalm	89 xhosa \ Setting one's face to do God's will
6 July	UMateyu	90
13 July	Psalm	91 xhosa \ The glory of the Lord
20 July	UMateyu	92
27 July	Psalm	93 xhosa \ Setting one's face to do God's will
3 Aug	UMateyu	94
10 Aug	Psalm	95 xhosa \ The glory of the Lord
17 Aug	UMateyu	96
24 Aug	Psalm	97 xhosa \ Setting one's face to do God's will
31 Aug	UMateyu	98
7 Sept	Psalm	99 xhosa \ The glory of the Lord
14 Sept	UMateyu	100

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