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# DAILY READING

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## 2025 NEW TESTAMENT READING

### **MATTHEW 13:1-23**

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## SUNDAY SCHOOL READING PLAN

### **MATTHEW 8:28-34**

#### **DEMONS DRIVEN OUT BY JESUS**

**8** <sup>28</sup> When he had come to the other side, to the region of the Gadarenes, two demon-possessed men met him as they came out of the tombs. They were so violent that no one could pass that way. <sup>29</sup> Suddenly they shouted, “What do you have to do with us, Son of God? Have you come here to torment us before the time?”

<sup>30</sup> A long way off from them, a large herd of pigs was feeding. <sup>31</sup> “If you drive us out,” the demons begged him, “send us into the herd of pigs.”

<sup>32</sup> “Go!” he told them. So when they had come out, they entered the pigs, and the whole herd rushed down the steep bank into the sea and perished in the water. <sup>33</sup> Then the men who tended them fled. They went into the city and reported everything, especially what had happened to those who were demon-possessed. <sup>34</sup> At that, the whole town went out to meet Jesus. When they saw him, they begged him to leave their region.