

# KING JAMES BIBLETHON HIGHLIGHTS

Marking the 400<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the publication of  
the King James (Authorized) Version of the Bible

All times  
approximate

## Monday September 19<sup>th</sup>

- 10:00 am The Biblethon begins! Opening chapters of the Book of Genesis read by the Dean and the Bishop. Readings continue throughout the day in both the Nave and the upstairs Chapel of the New Jerusalem, including all of Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus and part of Numbers.
- 7:00 pm Sung psalms and readings from Exodus by Governor-General's Award-winning author, Kit Pearson.
- 8:45 pm Dramatic presentation of the Song of Solomon by members of Blue Bridge Repertory Theatre.

## Tuesday September 20<sup>th</sup>

- 7:00 am Readings resume in the Nave, and at 9:15 in the CNJ, and continue all day, including the rest of Numbers, and all of Deuteronomy, Joshua, Judges, Daniel and First & Second Esdras.
- 7:45 am CBC Radio host Jo-Ann Roberts reads from the Book of Numbers.
- 2:25 pm The Right Rev. Dr. Probal Kanto Dutta, Bishop of Durgapur, Church of North India, reads from Joshua.
- 7:30 pm The Rev. Canon Herbert O'Driscoll reads The History of Susanna, followed with psalms sung by the choir.

## Wednesday September 21<sup>st</sup>

- 7:00 am Readings resume in the Nave, and at 9:45 in the CNJ, and continue all day. In the morning, teachers and students from Christ Church Cathedral School read the First Book of Samuel. In the CNJ: Psalms and Prophets, plus the Book of Judith, and a dramatic reading of the Book of Esther. In the Nave in the afternoon and evening: Second Samuel, First and part of Second Kings
- 7:00 pm More psalms sung by the choir.

## Thursday September 22<sup>nd</sup>

- 8:15 am Readings resume in both the Nave and the CNJ, and continue all day, including the rest of Second Kings, and all of Isaiah, Jeremiah, and First & Second Chronicles.
- 6:00 pm *Times-Colonist* columnist Jack Knox reads from Ecclesiastes.
- 7:00 pm Dramatic presentation of the Book of Job by members of Blue Bridge Repertory Theatre, with psalms sung by members of the Cathedral choirs.

## Friday September 23<sup>rd</sup>

- 7:00 am Readings resume in the Nave, and at 9:15 in the CNJ, and continue all day, including the Gospel of Luke, the Acts of the Apostles, the General Apostolic Letters, minor prophets and Ezekiel.
- 6:00 pm The Gospel of Matthew, including Victoria poet laureate Linda Rogers reading the Sermon on the Mount.

## Saturday, September 24<sup>th</sup>

- 6:30 am Readings resume in the Nave, and at 9:30 in the CNJ, and continue all day, including the Gospel of Mark, all the Letters of Paul, and upstairs, the two Books of the Maccabees.
- 5:00 pm Members of the Cathedral parish present a dramatic reading of the Gospel of John.
- 7:30 pm A half-hour of psalms sung by members of the Cathedral choirs.
- 8:00 pm The Revelation of St. John the Divine (closing chapters read by the Bishop and the Dean).
- 10:00 pm The Biblethon concludes!

## Sunday, September 25<sup>th</sup>

- 4:30 pm Choral Service of Thanksgiving for the King James Bible: readings in English, Hebrew, Greek and Kwak'wala, plus music associated with the Bible composed over the past four centuries.



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