



David was Israel's greatest king: a leader who rose from obscurity and persevered through adversity to take on God's enemies and establish the nation as a unified, powerful empire—all while leading the people in heartfelt worship of the Lord. At the same time, he made some foolish decisions that caused lasting scars in his life and family. As we walk through the life of David, let's allow his successes and failures to make us wiser...and let's open our hearts to the One David's life points to—the King whose reign will never end.

SCHEDULE

June 2	Vision: David chosen as king (Psalm 78:65-72)	1 Sam. 16:1-13
June 9	Courage: David slays Goliath	1 Sam. 17:1-54
June 16	Fugitive: Saul's jealousy, David flees	1 Sam 18.6-30; 20:28- 33; 21:1-9; 22:6-22
June 23	Friendship: David's friendship with Jonathan (Psalm 54, 63)	1 Sam 18.1-4; 20.1-42; 23:14-18; 24:16
June 30	Mercy: David spares Saul's life	1 Sam. 24
July 7	Peacemaker: Nabal's foolishness; Abigail's mediation	1 Sam. 25
July 14	Redemption: David rescues prisoners from Amalekites	1 Sam. 30
July 21	Celebration: Ark brought back to Jerusalem	2 Sam 6.1-19; 1 Chr. 13.1-14; 15.1—16.43
July 28	Promise: God promises David an eternal house	2 Sam. 7; 1 Chron. 17
August 4	Sin: David's adultery, murder, repentance (Psalm 51)	2 Sam 11:1-12:25
August 11	Heartbreak: Absalom rebels, David flees, Absalom killed (Psalm 3)	2 Sam 15-19
August 18	Arrogance: David counts the people, judged by God	2 Sam 24.1-25; 1 Chron. 21:1-30
August 25	Legacy: David instructs Solomon, preps for Temple, and dies	1 Kgs 2:1-12; 1 Chron. 22-29