The Book of Luke

This Week:

Lesson: The Crucifixion

Scripture:

Luke 23:26-56 Matthew 27:27-66 Mark 15:16-47 John 19:16-42



Homework Scripture Read: Luke 24 The Resurrection

Lesson Text:

Luke 23:26-32 Bearing the cross

Luke 23:33-38 The crucifixion

Luke 23:39-43 The two "thieves"

(Luke 23:44-49) The death of Christ

Matthew 27:45-54

Luke 23:50-56 The burial of Christ

Discussion:

- Consider Jesus' attitude towards others, forgiving the crucifiers, forgiving the thief on the cross, charging John with the care of his mother (John 19:25-27)
- Consider the prophecies referenced as being fulfilled, especially in Matthew
- Consider the three signs accompanying Jesus' death:
 - o The eclipse
 - o The rocks splitting
 - o The tearing of the temple veil
- Consider the separation of Jesus from God the Father