

# BIBLE READING CHALLENGE

**PURPOSE:** to allow the participants experience in publicly reading aloud from the Bible.

Questions? Contact us and we'll connect you with the Event Coordinator.

## **PROCESS:**

Each participant will:

- Complete all requirements below by **the challenge deadline** before the MWLTC convention.
- Be certain that participants are registered for this event. This must be completed by the registration deadline. (The local church coordinator will help with this.)
- Submit certification form for this event to the church coordinator before the challenge deadline. Students are encouraged to submit their materials well before that time.

The church coordinator will:

- Be sure the participant is aware of the submission deadline.
- Assure that the participant turns in all completed materials before the Challenge Deadline to the Church Coordinator.
- Keep a record of all medals earned by participants and fill out the form on the website requesting the appropriate Bible Reading Challenge medals for your congregation.

## **GUIDELINES:**

Eligibility:

- Students in grades 3-12 are eligible to participate in this event.

Requirements:

- Participants are permitted and encouraged to read in different venues. These venues could be in a classroom, Bible study, devotional, VBS, worship service, a public gathering, etc. Reading in front of a coach or one adult DOES NOT qualify.
- Readings are NOT required to relate to this year's theme.
- Prepare an introduction of a selected reading from the Bible. These introductions should last 30 seconds or less. The introductions should contain contextual information such as who? what? when? where? why? other pertinent contextual information, and translation being read from.
- Each reading should be from a different passage.
- The participant is not required to interpret or explain the reading.
- Memorization is neither required nor encouraged for this event.

Submission:

- Each participant must complete the certification form (Below) and turn it in to the local church coordinator before **the challenge deadline**.
- The church coordinator will keep a record of all medals earned by participants and fill out the form on the website requesting the appropriate Bible Reading Challenge medals for their congregation by **the challenge deadline**.

# Bible Reading Challenge Certification Form

- The certification forms do NOT need to be mailed in to MWLTC.

Note: This form will be submitted to your church coordinator for record-keeping purposes only and will **NOT** be submitted to MWLTC.

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Level (circle one): 3-6    7-12

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## **AWARDS:**

Grades 3-6:

**Gold** = 5 public readings

**Silver** = 4 public readings

**Bronze** = 3 public readings

Grades 7-12:

**Gold** = 7 public readings

**Silver** = 6 public readings

**Bronze** = 5 public readings

**AWARD (circle one): GOLD    SILVER    BRONZE    PARTICIPANT**

**Certified by:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_