How to Read and Understand Your Bible

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What is meant when we say the word "Bible" or "testaments" And what is "new" or "old" about them? Beginning with the fundamentals, this program starts by exploring the origins and organization of the Bible. How did we get the Bible? When did chapter and verse numbering begin? What is the King James Bible? Why do we have so many new translations today? Find the answers to these questions and more as Fr. Guinan takes your understanding of the Bible to new heights.

Join Fr. Guinan as he explains how our interpretations of the book have changed over the centuries. What is meant when we say that the Bible is the word of God? Survey the implications of biblical interpretation and theology on our religion today. This unique audio course will take you through the important church teachings, based in the Bible, that guide us today. Explore ecumenical councils and their use of understanding of Biblical text. Learn of encyclicals and their root in the Bible.

Saint Jerome once said that to be ignorant of the Bible is to be ignorant of Christ. This course is guaranteed to enrich your reading, studying, and praying of the Bible.

Through these 12 lively talks, you'll gain a solid grounding of the fundamentals of the greatest book ever written.

Fr. Guinan demonstrates that the Bible is much more than just an ancient book; it is a truth that can be actualized in different ways in our lives. Whether you have read the Bible cover-to-cover, or simply listen to the Sunday readings, you will profit immensely from this new series.

Audio Program with Written Guide on CD. 12 25-minute topics