

09. (Week of April 22, 2018)

Luke

Memory Verse: *And there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who empowers them all in everyone.*
1 Cor 12:6 (ESV)

- Sun:** Acts 16:6-18 – How can you detect the addition of Luke to Paul’s missionary team? (See the use of “we” starting in verse 10.)
- Mon:** Acts 20:4-16 – What do you learn here about Paul’s missionary team? (Notice the use of “we” again starting in verse 5.)
- Tue:** Acts 21:1-17 – What does this journey teach us about the importance of Christian hospitality? (Also, notice the continued use of “we”.)
- Wed:** Acts 24:27; Luke 1:1-4; Acts 1:1-2 – By comparing these verses, what was Luke probably doing during Paul’s 2-year imprisonment in Caesarea?
- Thu:** Acts 27:1-26 – What do you think the companionship of Aristarchus and Luke (v. 2) meant to Paul on this voyage?
- Fri:** Acts 27:27-44 – How was Paul able to remain so calm in this perilous situation? How do you think you would have reacted?
- Sat:** Acts 28:1-16, 30-31; Colossians 4:14; Philemon 23, 24; 2 Timothy 4:9-13 – How is Luke shown to be a faithful coworker to Paul?

10. (Week of April 29, 2018)

Titus

Memory verse: *Show yourself in all respects to be a model of good works.*
Titus 2:7 (ESV)

- Sun:** Galatians 2:1-10 – What crucial role did Titus, a Gentile Christian, play at the Jerusalem Council? Why was Timothy circumcised (see Acts 16:3) but not Titus?
- Mon:** 2 Corinthians 1:3-7; 2:12-13; 7:5-7, 13-15 – How are the principles of 1:3-7 illustrated in the interaction between Paul, Titus, and the Corinthian church?
- Tue:** 2 Corinthians 8:1-9 – What important assignment did Paul give to Titus in the church at Corinth? What principles of giving do you learn from these verses?
- Wed:** 2 Corinthians 8:10-23 (12:18) – Repeat yesterday’s questions.
- Thu:** Titus 1 – What important assignment did Paul give to Titus in the churches of Crete? What are the qualifications for an elder?
- Fri:** Titus 2 – What different groups in the churches was Titus to address? How was he to carry out this assignment?
- Sat:** Titus 3 – How should a genuine faith express itself in our daily lives?

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11. (Week of May 6, 2018)

Philemon; Onesimus

Memory Verse: *Let brotherly love continue.* Heb 13:1 (ESV)

- Sun:** Philemon 1-3; Colossians 4:17 – What do you learn in these verses about Philemon, Apphia, and Archippus? What ministry has the Lord given you to fulfill?
- Mon:** Philemon 4-7 – What qualities in Philemon did Paul find commendable? How evident are these qualities in your life?
- Tue:** Philemon 8-11 – What influence did Paul have on the life of Onesimus? With what result?
- Wed:** Philemon 12-16 – What was Onesimus’s previous relationship to Philemon? What is their new relationship? What difference should this change of relationship make in the future?
- Thu:** Philemon 17-21 – What requests and promises does Paul make to Philemon?
- Fri:** Philemon 22-25 – What does verse 22 teach us about hospitality and prayer?
- Sat:** Colossians 4:7-9 – How does Paul describe Onesimus? To what church did he now belong?

12. (Week of May 13, 2018)

Lesser Lights (2)

Memory Verse: *As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God’s varied grace.*
1 Pet 4:10 (ESV)

- Sun:** Eutychus: Acts 20:7-12 – What valuable lessons does this story have for preachers, listeners, and ushers?
- Mon:** Agabus: Acts 11:27-30; 21:10-14 – Contrast the outcome of Agabus’s two predictions. Why do you think there was this difference?
- Tue:** Epaphras: Colossians 1:3-8; 4:12-13; Philemon 23 – What was the role of Epaphras in the church at Colossae? How can we follow his example?
- Wed:** Tychicus: Acts 20:4; Eph. 6:20-21; Col. 4:7-9; Titus 3:12 – How does Paul describe Tychicus? What was his role in ministry?
- Thu:** Epaphroditus: Philippians 2:25-30; 4:18 – How does Paul commend Epaphroditus? How can we follow his example?
- Fri:** Euodia and Syntyche: Philippians 4:2-3 – From the way Paul deals with these two women, what lessons can we learn about Christian peacemaking?
- Sat:** Onesiphorus: 2 Timothy 1:16-18; 4:19; Demas: Philemon 23-24; 2 Timothy 4:10 – Contrast these two co-workers of Paul. Which are you more like?

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