CEDAR COMMUNITY CHURCH

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Hope within reach!

Devotional Reading Calendar – July 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 1 Cor. 1	2 1 Cor. 2	3 1 Cor. 3	4 1 Cor. 4
5 1 Cor. 5	6 1 Cor. 6	7 1 Cor. 7	8 1 Cor. 8	9 1 Cor. 9	10 1 Cor. 10	11 1 Cor. 11
12 1 Cor. 12	13 1 Cor. 13	14 1 Cor. 14	15 1 Cor. 15	16 1 Cor. 16	17 2 Cor. 1	18 2 Cor. 2
19 2 Cor. 3	20 2 Cor. 4	21 2 Cor. 5	22 2 Cor. 6	23 2 Cor. 7	24 2 Cor. 8	25 2 Cor. 9
26 2 Cor. 10	27 2 Cor. 11	28 2 Cor. 12	29 2 Cor. 13	30 Galatians 1	31 Galatians 2	

I'm reminding us again that the early church had no Bible, per se, other than what we refer to as the Old Testament, which is the ancient Jewish texts telling the story of how God worked in the world with His chosen people, Israel. These texts only took them up to the time of Jesus, and the pre-church era they were creating, that was flowing into the establishment of the Church that they were in and that we know today. We've read through the four gospel records and launched into the writings of Paul and the other apostles, which give us their inside view of the birth of the church. We get to hear the Holy Spirit inspired teachings that they were building on and that we build on today. I love this stuff!

This month I'm moving into Paul's letters to the church at Corinth, and then we'll move on into more of his writings in the coming couple of months. These are wonderful, formative writings, not only for our early church fathers, but for us today as well.

Thank you, one more time, for joining me as I re-explore this wonderfully challenging stuff! Take some notes, if you feel like it, and give someone a call for some coffee time to kick some stuff around – we do learn best in community!

Shalom, D. P.

BTW – Men of Faith – come September, when we reconvene, we're gonna explore our way through Paul's encouragement and instruction to Titus. Look ahead and start meditating . . .