

2026 Redemptive Journey Bible Reading Plan

What This Is

The Congregational Redemptive Journey is a shared, daily Scripture rhythm designed to help us walk together through the unified story of the Bible. Rather than rushing to cover ground, this plan invites us to slow down and attend carefully to God's redemptive work... from creation to fulfillment in Jesus Christ.

Each day offers a thoughtfully selected passage to be read attentively, not hurriedly, with a weekly Grace & Reflection Day built in so no one feels pressure to keep up. This is not a private reading plan, but a shared journey we're walking together as a church...listening to the same Scriptures and growing together under God's Word.

After all, God is not in a hurry, and neither should we be when listening to His Word.

What We Mean by a "Redemptive-Historical" Journey

The Bible is not a collection of disconnected stories or moral lessons. It is one unfolding story of God's redemptive work, centered on Jesus Christ.

A redemptive-historical approach means we read Scripture by paying attention to where we are in the story, what God is doing in that moment, and how each part moves us toward Christ. Rather than jumping randomly from passage to passage, this plan follows the Bible's natural movements... from creation and fall, through promise and redemption, to fulfillment and new creation.

This helps us see how the Old Testament prepares the way for Christ, how the New Testament fulfills God's promises, and how God has always been forming a redeemed people for His glory.

The Movements We'll Walk Through

Over the course of the year, we'll trace the story of Scripture through these redemptive-historical movements:

1. God the Creator and Sovereign King
2. The Fall, Sin, and the World's Fracture
3. God's Covenant Promise to Abraham
4. Promise Continued Through the Patriarchs
5. Redemption from Egypt
6. God's Law and Covenant Life
7. Rebellion in the Wilderness
8. Life in the Land and the Need for a King

9. The Monarchy and God's Covenant with David
10. Wisdom, Worship, and Life with God
11. The Kingdom's Decline and Division
12. Exile and Judgment
13. Grief and Hope in Exile
14. Partial Restoration
15. The Promised Messiah
16. The Day of the Lord and New Creation

Each movement lasts as long as the text requires. Some are only a couple of weeks, while others last longer. The goal is not to fit Scripture into a rigid calendar, but to let the story shape the pace.

Why We Built This

We built this plan because we believe Scripture forms us best through story, not speed.

Many Bible reading plans unintentionally create pressure to keep up, to catch up, or simply to check a box. Over time, that pressure can lead to discouragement or disengagement. Our desire is different. This plan is meant to cultivate attentiveness to God's Word, delight rather than duty, theological clarity, and Christ-centered formation across our whole church.

By walking the same redemptive storyline together, we grow in shared language, shared understanding, and shared hope. The goal is not to read more Bible, but to love God's Word more deeply...together.

How to Use This Plan

Read daily, but lightly. Each day includes a manageable passage meant to be read slowly and attentively. There's no need to rush or to master everything—simply receive what the Lord gives that day.

Use the **Grace & Reflection Days** freely. These are not “catch-up days” unless you want them to be. They exist to give space for rest, prayer, reflection, or lingering in what you've already read.

Pay attention to the story. As you read, ask simple questions: Where are we in the story? What is God revealing about Himself? How does this lead us toward Christ?

And if you miss a day (or a week) don't be anxious. Just rejoin where we are. Formation happens over time, not through perfect attendance.

A Final Word

This journey is not about completion... it's about formation. It's not about pressure... but about presence. It's not about reading alone... but about walking together under God's Word.

We pray you'll join us on this journey!

Movement 1: Creation and Divine Authority

Week 1: God the Creator and Sovereign King

Thursday — January 1, 2026

Genesis 1:1–13

God creates by His word; light and order emerge from chaos.

Friday — January 2, 2026

Genesis 1:14–31

Creation completed; humanity made in God's image and entrusted with dominion.

Saturday — January 3, 2026

Psalms 104:1–35

A poetic reflection on God's sustaining power and sovereign care over creation.

Sunday — January 4, 2026

Grace & Reflection Day

Week 2: Creation Fulfilled in Christ

Monday — January 5, 2026

John 1:1–14

The eternal Word through whom all things were made enters creation and dwells among us.

Tuesday — January 6, 2026

Colossians 1:15–20

Christ revealed as Creator, Sustainer, Reconciler, and Lord of all things.

Wednesday — January 7, 2026

Hebrews 1:1–4

God's final and fullest self-revelation comes through the Son.

Thursday — January 8, 2026

Psalms 33:1–11

Creation responds in reverent awe to the powerful word of the Lord.

Friday — January 9, 2026

Proverbs 8:22–31

Wisdom present with God in creation, delighting in His works.

Saturday — January 10, 2026

Genesis 2:1–3

God rests, blessing and sanctifying the rhythm of creation.

Sunday — January 11, 2026

Grace & Reflection Day

Movement 2 — The Fall, Sin, and the World's Fracture

Week 3 — The Fall and the Fracture of Creation

Monday — January 12, 2026

Genesis 2:15–17; 3:1–13

God's good command is questioned; trust breaks, and sin enters the world, bringing shame and fear.

Tuesday — January 13, 2026

Genesis 3:14–19

The curse unfolds, fracturing relationships, work, and creation itself.

Wednesday — January 14, 2026

Genesis 3:20–24

Exile from Eden follows rebellion, yet God's mercy preserves life and restrains evil.

Thursday — January 15, 2026

Psalm 51*

Genesis 4:1–16

Sin confessed honestly before God; sin spreads quickly among humanity.

Friday — January 16, 2026

Romans 5:12–21

Adam and Christ contrasted... death through one, life through another

Saturday — January 17, 2026

Psalm 14

A universal diagnosis: corruption touches all, and none seek God.

Sunday — January 18, 2026

Grace & Reflection Day

Week 4 — Sin's Spread and the World's Fracture

Monday — January 19, 2026

Genesis 6:5–8; 9:8–13

Human corruption fills the earth, yet God preserves life and binds Himself to creation by covenant.

Tuesday — January 20, 2026

Genesis 11:1–9

Judgment and preservation—God restrains evil and binds Himself to creation.

Wednesday — January 21, 2026

Ecclesiastes 7:15–22

Romans 3:9–20

Wisdom and Scripture agree: no one is righteous; every mouth is stopped before God.

Thursday — January 22, 2026

Romans 2:1–11

God's judgment is righteous and patient, leading sinners toward repentance rather than presumption.

Friday — January 23, 2026

Romans 1:18–25

Humanity exchanges the glory of God for created things, distorting worship and life.

Saturday — January 24, 2026

Romans 8:18–23

Creation groans under the weight of sin, longing for redemption and renewal.

Sunday — January 25, 2026

Grace & Reflection Day

Movement 3: Abrahamic Promise (Week 1 of 3)

Week 5 — The Call of Abram and God's Promise

Monday — January 26, 2026

Genesis 12:1–9

God calls Abram out of obscurity, promising blessing, land, and a future that will extend to all nations.

Tuesday — January 27, 2026

Genesis 12:10–20

Abram's fear exposes human weakness, yet God protects His promise despite Abram's failure.

Wednesday — January 28, 2026

Genesis 13

God reaffirms His promise, calling Abram to trust Him, walk by faith, and live generously before Him.

Thursday — January 29, 2026*

Psalm 105:6–11

Genesis 15:1–6

God remembers His covenant and personally assures Abram that His promise will not fail.

*(*This pairing is intentional: covenant remembered → covenant spoken.)*

Friday — January 30, 2026

Romans 4:1–12

Abraham is counted righteous by faith, not by works—confirming that God’s promise has always been received through trust.

Saturday — January 31, 2026

Hebrews 11:8–12

Abraham lives as a pilgrim, trusting the God who promises what He alone can fulfill.

Sunday — February 1, 2026

Grace & Reflection Day

Week 6 — Covenant Confirmed

Monday — February 2, 2026

Genesis 15:1–6

God reassures Abram, promises offspring, and counts his faith as righteousness.

Tuesday — February 3, 2026

Genesis 15:7–21

God solemnly ratifies the covenant, binding Himself to His promise by grace alone.

Wednesday — February 4, 2026

Genesis 17:1–8

God expands the covenant, changing Abram’s name and reaffirming His promise of fruitfulness and blessing.

Thursday — February 5, 2026

Genesis 17:9–14

The covenant sign is given, marking God’s people as those who belong to Him.

Friday — February 6, 2026

Galatians 3:6–18

Paul confirms that the promise to Abraham was grounded in faith and fulfilled according to God's purpose... not the law.

Psalms 89:1–18

God's steadfast love and covenant faithfulness endure, grounded in His sovereign power and kingship.

Sunday — February 8, 2026

Grace & Reflection Day

Week 7 — Faith Tested and God's Provision

Monday — February 9, 2026

Genesis 21:1–7

The Lord fulfills His promise: Isaac is born, and joy replaces long waiting.

Tuesday — February 10, 2026

Genesis 21:22–34

God continues to establish Abraham, granting peace and provision in the land.

Wednesday — February 11, 2026

Genesis 22:1–8

God tests Abraham's faith, calling him to trust the promise even when it appears threatened.

Thursday — February 12, 2026

Genesis 22:9–14

The Lord provides a substitute, revealing Himself as the God who sees and supplies.

Friday — February 13, 2026

Hebrews 11:8–19

Abraham trusts God's power to keep His promise, even through death.

Saturday — February 14, 2026

James 2:14–26

True faith is living and active, expressing itself through obedience rooted in trust in God's promise.

Sunday — February 15, 2026

Grace & Reflection Day

Movement 4: Promise Continued Through the Patriarchs (Week 1 of 3)

Week 8 — The Promise Continues Through Isaac and Jacob

Monday — February 16, 2026

Genesis 24:1–7, 26–27

God faithfully provides a wife for Isaac, preserving the promise through quiet guidance and answered prayer.

Tuesday — February 17, 2026

Genesis 25:19–28

The promise moves to the next generation as God chooses Jacob before birth, revealing His sovereign purposes.

Wednesday — February 18, 2026

Genesis 27:1–29

Deception enters the story, yet God's promised blessing is not undone by human failure.

Thursday — February 19, 2026

Genesis 28:10–22

God meets Jacob in grace, reaffirming the promise and pledging His presence wherever Jacob goes.

Friday — February 20, 2026

Romans 9:6–13

God's saving purposes advance through His sovereign mercy, not through human effort or lineage.

Saturday — February 21, 2026

Psalms 105:12–15

God protects His chosen ones and preserves His promise through wandering and weakness.

Sunday — February 22, 2026

Grace & Reflection Day

Week 9 — God Forms His People Through Struggle and Faithfulness

Monday — February 23, 2026

Genesis 29:15–30

Jacob's deception returns upon him as he enters years of labor and disappointment.

Tuesday — February 24, 2026

Genesis 30:22–24; 31:1–13

God sees Jacob's affliction and begins to act on his behalf, guiding him toward freedom.

Wednesday — February 25, 2026

Genesis 31:17–24, 36–42

Jacob confronts Laban, testifying to God's protection through years of unjust treatment.

Thursday — February 26, 2026

Genesis 32:1–12

As Jacob prepares to meet Esau, fear resurfaces and drives him to prayer and dependence on God.

Friday — February 27, 2026

Genesis 32:22–32

Jacob wrestles with God and emerges changed—blessed, wounded, and renamed Israel.

Saturday — February 28, 2026

Hosea 12:2–6

The prophet reflects on Jacob's life, calling God's people to return to the Lord in humility and faithfulness.

Sunday — March 1, 2026

Grace & Reflection Day

Week 10 — God Preserves His Promise Through Hidden Providence

Monday — March 2, 2026

Genesis 37:1–11

Joseph's dreams reveal God's future purposes, stirring jealousy and division within the family.

Tuesday — March 3, 2026

Genesis 37:12–28

Joseph is betrayed by his brothers and sold into slavery, threatening the continuation of the promise.

Wednesday — March 4, 2026

Genesis 39:1–6, 19–23

Joseph remains faithful amid injustice, and God's presence sustains him even in suffering.

Thursday — March 5, 2026

Genesis 40

Joseph serves faithfully in prison, yet remains forgotten—God's timing continues unseen.

Friday — March 6, 2026

Psalm 105:16–22

God's promise is preserved through Joseph's suffering, long before its purpose is revealed.

Saturday — March 7, 2026

Acts 7:9–10

Stephen reflects on Joseph's story, affirming that God was with him through rejection and suffering.

Sunday — March 8, 2026

Grace & Reflection Day

Movement 5: Redemption from Egypt (Week 1 of 3)

Week 11 — God Hears the Cry of His People

Monday — March 9, 2026

Exodus 1:8–22

Israel's growth provokes fear, leading to ruthless oppression as Pharaoh attempts to crush God's people

Tue — Mar 10

Exodus 2:1–10, 23–25

God preserves a deliverer through unlikely means and hears the groaning of His suffering people.

Wed — Mar 11

Exodus 2:11–25

Years of waiting unfold, but God remains attentive, remembering His covenant and His people.

Thu — Mar 12

Exodus 3:1–12, 16–22

The holy God reveals His purpose and promises deliverance for His oppressed people.

Fri — Mar 13

Exodus 3:13–22; 4:1–12

God reveals His name and power, assuring Moses that redemption depends on Him, not human ability.

Sat — Mar 14

Acts 7:17–34

Stephen reflects on Israel's oppression and God's faithful intervention through Moses.

Sun — Mar 15
Grace & Reflection Day

Week 12 — God Redeems by Power and Judgment

Mon — Mar 16
Exodus 6:2–8; 7:1–7
God remembers His covenant and declares His intent to redeem His people with mighty acts.

Tue — Mar 17
Exodus 7:1–7; 9:13–16
God confronts Pharaoh, revealing His power and purpose through signs and judgment.

Wed — Mar 18
Exodus 10:21–29; 11:1–10
God announces final judgment, exposing the cost of hardened resistance to His will.

Thu — Mar 19
Exodus 12:1–13
God provides salvation through the blood of the Passover lamb.

Fri — Mar 20
Exodus 12:29–42
God brings decisive deliverance, leading His people out of slavery by His mighty hand.

Sat — Mar 21
1 Corinthians 5:6–8; Hebrews 11:28
Christ fulfills the Passover, and faith responds in obedience and trust.

Sun — Mar 22
Grace & Reflection Day

Week 13 — God Delivers and Claims His People

Mon — Mar 23
Exodus 13:17–22; 14:1–9
God leads His redeemed people even as danger closes in.

Tue — Mar 24
Exodus 14:10–18
Fear rises, but God calls His people to trust His saving power.

Wed — Mar 25

Exodus 14:19–31

God delivers His people through the waters and defeats their enemies.

Thu — Mar 26

Exodus 15:1–13

The redeemed respond with worship, praising the Lord for His mighty salvation.

Fri — Mar 27

Exodus 15:22–27; 16:1–5

God begins forming His redeemed people through testing, patience, and provision.

Sat — Mar 28

Hebrews 11:23–29; Exodus 14:30–31

Faith trusts God's power, and redemption confirms His promises.

Sun — Mar 29

Grace & Reflection Day

Movement 6 — Law & Covenant Life

Week 14 — God Brings His Redeemed People to Himself

Mon — Mar 30

Exodus 19:1–25

God brings His redeemed people to Sinai and reveals His holy presence, inviting them into covenant relationship.

Tue — Mar 31

Exodus 20:1–17

God gives His law as a gracious gift, grounding obedience in redemption and revealing His good design for life.

Wed — Apr 1

Exodus 20:18–26

The people respond in fear, learning that God's nearness calls for reverence, trust, and mediated access.

Thu — Apr 2

Deuteronomy 5:1–21

Moses retells the giving of the law, reminding Israel that covenant obedience flows from God's saving work.

Fri — Apr 3

Psalm 19:1–14

God's law is celebrated as life-giving, soul-reviving, and deeply good.

Sat — Apr 4

Matthew 5:17–26

Jesus affirms the law's purpose and reveals its deeper heart, calling His people to transformed righteousness.

Sun — Apr 5

Grace & Reflection Day

Week 15 — God Shapes Daily Life Under His Covenant

Mon — Apr 6

Exodus 21:1–11; 22:21–27

God's law addresses everyday life, justice, and compassion—especially toward the vulnerable.

Tue — Apr 7

Exodus 22:28–31; 23:1–9

God calls His people to integrity, truthfulness, and faithful love in community life.

Wed — Apr 8

Exodus 23:10–33

God promises His guiding presence as Israel learns to live faithfully in a broken world.

Thu — Apr 9

Exodus 24:1–11

The covenant is ratified, and God invites representatives of His people into His presence.

Fri — Apr 10

Psalm 103:1–18

God's covenant faithfulness is marked by mercy, patience, and steadfast love.

Sat — Apr 11

Romans 12:1–8

Redeemed life becomes a grateful offering, shaped by God's mercy and transformed obedience.

Sun — Apr 12

Grace & Reflection Day

Week 16 — God Dwells with His Redeemed People

Mon — Apr 13

Exodus 25:1–9; 29:42–46

God reveals His desire to dwell among His redeemed people.

Tue — Apr 14

Exodus 26:30–37; 27:20–21

God orders His dwelling place, showing that His presence is intentional and holy.

Wed — Apr 15

Exodus 31:12–18

God gives the Sabbath as a covenant sign of rest, trust, and identity.

Thu — Apr 16

Psalm 95:1–11

God invites His people to worship, trust, and listen to His voice.

Fri — Apr 17

John 1:14–18

God's dwelling purpose is fulfilled as the Word becomes flesh and lives among us.

Sat — Apr 18

Hebrews 8:1–6; 9:11–15

Christ mediates a better covenant, securing access to God through His own blood.

Sun — Apr 19

Grace & Reflection Day

Week 17 — The Purpose and Limits of the Law

Mon — Apr 20

Exodus 32:1–35

Israel breaks covenant, revealing the limits of law apart from transformed hearts.

Tue — Apr 21

Exodus 33:1–11, 18–23

God reassures His people with the promise of His presence despite their failure.

Wed — Apr 22

Exodus 34:1–10, 27–35

God reveals His gracious and merciful character, renewing the covenant with His people.

Thu — Apr 23

Deuteronomy 10:12–22

God calls His redeemed people to love Him and walk in His ways from the heart.

Fri — Apr 24

Galatians 3:19–29

The law reveals sin and leads God's people toward Christ, the true heir of the promise.

Sat — Apr 25

Romans 8:1–11

In Christ, God fulfills the law's righteous requirement and gives new life through the Spirit.

Sun — Apr 26

Grace & Reflection Day

Movement 7 — Rebellion in the Wilderness

Week 18 — A Redeemed People Learn to Trust

Mon — Apr 27

Exodus 16:1–36

God provides daily bread, teaching His redeemed people to trust Him one day at a time.

Tue — Apr 28

Exodus 17:1–7; Psalm 95:1–9

God provides water, but His people test Him... an unbelief later Scripture warns against.

Wed — Apr 29

Exodus 17:8–16; Deuteronomy 25:17–19

God delivers His people from their enemies, showing that victory depends on His sustaining presence.

Thu — Apr 30

Numbers 11:1–15, 31–35

Complaining turns to craving as the people reject God's provision and long for slavery.

Fri — May 1

Psalm 78:12–29

God's faithfulness in the wilderness is remembered alongside Israel's persistent unbelief.

Sat — May 2

1 Corinthians 10:1–13

Paul warns the church by reflecting on Israel's failures, calling God's people to humility and perseverance.

Sun — May 3
Grace & Reflection Day

Week 19 — Hardened Hearts and Patient Mercy

Mon — May 4
Numbers 13:1–33
God's promise is set before the people, but fear reshapes their vision.

Tue — May 5
Numbers 14:1–10a, 26–35
Israel refuses to trust the Lord, and rebellion brings lasting consequences.

Wed — May 6
Numbers 16:1–35
Rebellion against God's appointed leadership reveals deeper resistance to God Himself.

Thu — May 7
Numbers 20:1–13
Even Moses stumbles, showing that unbelief affects leaders as well as people.

Fri — May 8
Psalm 95:1–11; Numbers 14:20–24
God warns against hardened hearts while commending faithful trust.

Sat — May 9
Hebrews 3:7–19; 4:1–11
The wilderness generation becomes a lasting warning—and a present invitation to enter God's rest by faith.

Sun — May 10
Grace & Reflection Day

Movement 8 - Life in the Land and the Need for a King

Week 20 — God Gives the Land, but the People Struggle to Live Faithfully

Mon — May 11
Joshua 1:1–9; 3:7–17

God commissions Joshua and brings His people into the land by His power and promise.

Tue — May 12

Joshua 6:1–21

God gives victory in Jericho, showing that the land is received by faith, not strength.

Wed — May 13

Joshua 7:1–26

Disobedience brings defeat, revealing the seriousness of covenant faithfulness in the land.

Thu — May 14

Joshua 23:1–13

Joshua warns the people to cling to the Lord or face the consequences of compromise.

Fri — May 15

Joshua 24:1–28

God renews His covenant, calling His people to choose faithful allegiance.

Sat — May 16

Psalm 44:1–26

God's past faithfulness is remembered even as His people cry out for present help and deliverance.

Sun — May 17

Grace & Reflection Day

Week 21 — Everyone Did What Was Right in His Own Eyes

Mon — May 18

Judges 2:6–23

A new generation forgets the Lord, beginning a cycle of rebellion and deliverance.

Tue — May 19

Judges 3:7–11; 4:1–24

God raises deliverers, yet the cycle of sin and rescue continues.

Wed — May 20

Judges 6:1–16; 7:1–22

God saves His people through weakness, showing that victory belongs to Him.

Thu — May 21

Judges 10:6–18; 11:1–11

Persistent rebellion leads to desperation, setting the stage for flawed deliverance.

Fri — May 22

Judges 17:1–13

Religious confusion exposes a people drifting from God's truth.

Sat — May 23

Judges 19:1–30; 21:25

Moral collapse reaches its darkest point, revealing the cost of life without godly leadership.

Sun — May 24

Grace & Reflection Day

Week 22 — The People Ask for a King

Mon — May 25

1 Samuel 1:1–20; 2:1–10

God begins preparing leadership through humble faith and prayer.

Tue — May 26

1 Samuel 3:1–21

God speaks again, calling His servant to listen and obey.

Wed — May 27

1 Samuel 8:1–9, 19–22

The people demand a king, revealing hearts that resist God's rule.

Thu — May 28

1 Samuel 9:1–17; 10:17–25

God gives the people a king, warning them of the cost of misplaced trust.

Fri — May 29

1 Samuel 12:13–25

Samuel calls the people to fear the Lord and remain faithful under their new king.

Sat — May 30

Hosea 13:4–14:9

God exposes the failure of human kingship while calling His people to return and promising restoration beyond judgment.

Sun — May 31

Grace & Reflection Day

Movement 9 — Monarchy & the Davidic Covenant

Week 23 — The King the People Chose

Theme: When God's people place their trust in human leadership rather than the Lord, even the most promising king will ultimately disappoint.

Mon — June 1

1 Samuel 13:1-23

Saul's impatience reveals the danger of trusting fear and circumstance more than the Lord's timing.

Tue — June 2

1 Samuel 15:1-35

Partial obedience is still disobedience, and Saul's kingdom begins to unravel before the Lord.

Wed — June 3

1 Samuel 16:1-23

While Saul's reign declines, God quietly raises up David according to His own purposes.

Thu — June 4

1 Samuel 17:1-30

As Israel trembles before its enemy, David sees the battle through confidence in the living God.

Fri — June 5

1 Samuel 17:31-58

The Lord delivers His people through the faithful king who trusts Him completely.

Sat — June 6

Hosea 13:4-14:9

God exposes the failure of human kingship while calling His people to return and promising restoration beyond judgment.

Sun — June 7

Grace & Reflection Day

Week 24 — David the Shepherd King

Theme: God raises up His chosen shepherd-king to deliver His people and advance His redemptive purposes.

Mon — June 8 (Day 159)

Psalm23; Psalm27:1-6

David's confidence rests not in himself, but in the faithful presence of the Lord his Shepherd and light.

Tue — June 9 (Day 160)

1 Samuel 18:1-16; 19:1-10

As David rises in favor, Saul's fear and jealousy reveal the instability of a kingdom built on self-preservation.

Wed — June 10 (Day 161)

1 Samuel 24:1-22

David refuses to seize the kingdom by force, trusting God's timing rather than taking matters into his own hands.

Thu — June 11 (Day 162)

1 Samuel 26:1-25

David again spares Saul, demonstrating the character of a king who trusts the Lord's justice.

Fri — June 12 (Day 163)

Psalms 78:65-72; Ezekiel 34:1-16, 23-24

God promises to shepherd His people Himself through the faithful king He will raise up from David's line.

Sat — June 13 (Day 164)

2 Samuel 5:1-5; Psalm 78:70-72

The shepherd God raised from the fields is established as king over His people according to God's sovereign purpose.

Sun — June 14

Grace & Reflection Day

Week 25 — The Davidic Covenant

Theme: God establishes His covenant kingdom through David's line, pointing forward to the eternal King who will reign forever.

Mon — June 15

2 Samuel 7:1-17

David desires to honor the Lord, but God responds by promising to establish an everlasting kingdom through David's line.

Tue — June 16

2 Samuel 7:18-29; Psalm 132:1-18

In humility and worship, David rests in God's covenant promises and the hope of His enduring presence among His people.

Wed — June 17

Psalm 2; Psalm 72:1-19

The promised king will reign with righteousness, bring blessing to the nations, and extend God's kingdom to the ends of the earth.

Thu — June 18

Psalm 89:1-37

God's steadfast love and covenant faithfulness anchor the enduring promise of David's throne forever.

Fri — June 19

Isaiah 9:1-7; Ezekiel 37:24-28

The prophets look ahead to the coming shepherd-king who will reign in peace and establish God's people forever.

Sat — June 20

Luke 1:26-56; Acts 2:22-36

Jesus is revealed as the promised Son of David—the eternal King whose resurrection and reign fulfill God's covenant promises.

Sun — June 21

Grace & Reflection Day

Week 26 — The Failure of the King & the Mercy of God

Theme: Even the best human king fails under the weight of sin, revealing our need for the greater King whose mercy restores broken sinners.

Mon — June 22

2 Samuel 11:1-13; Proverbs 6:20-35

Unchecked desire and hidden compromise begin pulling David away from faithful obedience to the Lord.

Tue — June 23

2 Samuel 11:14-27; Proverbs 28:9-14

As sin deepens and concealment multiplies, Scripture exposes the danger of hardened hearts and hidden transgression.

Wed — June 24

2 Samuel 12:1-15; Hebrews 4:12-13

God lovingly confronts David through His Word, exposing the heart and calling the sinner to repentance.

Thu — June 25

Psalm 51

Broken over his sin, David cries out for mercy, cleansing, and the restoration only God can provide.

Fri — June 26

2 Samuel 12:15-25; Psalm 32

Though forgiveness does not remove every consequence, God restores the joy of those who honestly confess their sin.

Sat — June 27

Romans 3:19-31; Romans 5:1-11

The law exposes our guilt, but God justifies sinners through the saving work of Jesus Christ.

Sun — June 28

Grace & Reflection Day

Movement 10 — Kingdom Glory, Division & Decline

Week 27 — Kingdom Glory & the Presence of God

Theme: God dwells among His people through the kingdom He established, yet covenant blessings remain vulnerable when hearts drift from wholehearted obedience.

Mon — June 29

1 Kings 3:3-28; Proverbs 2:1-15

God grants Solomon wisdom to lead His people, revealing that true wisdom begins with dependence upon the Lord.

Tue — June 30

1 Kings 4:20-34; Psalm 72:1-19

Under God's blessing, the kingdom flourishes in peace, justice, wisdom, and abundance.

Wed — July 1

1 Kings 5:1-12; 6:1-14

The temple begins to rise as God continues fulfilling His covenant promises through David's line.

Thu — July 2

1 Kings 8:1-13, 22-53

As the temple is dedicated, Solomon prays that God's presence, mercy, and covenant faithfulness would remain with His people.

Fri — July 3

1 Kings 8:54-66; 2 Chronicles 7:1-10, 12-22

The glory of the Lord fills the temple, yet God warns that covenant blessing depends upon wholehearted faithfulness.

Sat — July 4

Deuteronomy 17:14-20; 1 Kings 10:23-29; 11:1-8

Though Solomon's kingdom flourishes outwardly, his divided heart begins drifting from the covenant warnings God had already given.

Sun — July 5

Grace & Reflection Day

Week 28 — The Kingdom Divides

Theme: As hearts drift from wholehearted worship, the kingdom fractures, counterfeit worship spreads, and God's people experience the covenant consequences of divided allegiance.

Mon — July 6

1 Kings 11:1-13; Deuteronomy 17:14-20

Solomon's divided heart reveals the danger of ignoring the covenant warnings God had already given to His people and their kings.

Tue — July 7

1 Kings 11:14-43

As Solomon's compromise deepens, God announces judgment while still preserving His covenant promises for David's sake.

Wed — July 8

1 Kings 12:1-24

Rehoboam's harshness and refusal to listen accelerate the fracture of the kingdom and expose the consequences of foolish leadership.

Thu — July 9

1 Kings 12:25-33; Exodus 32:1-14

Jeroboam reshapes worship for political convenience, repeating Israel's earlier rebellion and leading the people toward counterfeit worship.

Fri — July 10

1 Kings 13:1-34

God confronts counterfeit worship through His Word, warning that covenant compromise leads toward judgment and destruction.

Sat — July 11

Psalms 89:38-52; Romans 11:1-5

Though the kingdom is fractured and the covenant appears shaken, God faithfully preserves His promises and His people by grace.

Sun — July 12

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Week 29 — The Lord Confronts False Worship

Theme: As false worship spreads throughout the kingdom, the Lord reveals Himself as the only true God and faithfully preserves those who trust in Him.

Mon — July 13

1 Kings 16:29-34; 17:1-16

Under Ahab and Jezebel, idolatry deepens across Israel, yet the Lord preserves His prophet and provides for those who trust Him.

Tue — July 14

1 Kings 17:17-24; Psalm 63:1-11; John 6:35-40

The Lord alone holds power over life and death, sustaining His people in seasons of dryness, hunger, and desperation.

Wed — July 15

1 Kings 18:1-19

As Israel wavers between the Lord and Baal, Elijah calls the nation to confront its divided worship.

Thu — July 16

1 Kings 18:20-40

On Mount Carmel, the Lord reveals Himself through fire and power, exposing the emptiness of false gods and calling His people back to true worship.

Fri — July 17

1 Kings 18:41-46; James 5:16-18; 1 Kings 19:1-18

Though the Lord answers in power, Elijah's weakness reveals that God continues sustaining His servants through His presence and Word.

Sat — July 18

Romans 11:1-6; Psalm 86:8-13

Even in seasons of widespread rebellion, God faithfully preserves a people for Himself by grace.

Sun — July 19

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Week 30 — Prophets, Power & Persistent Rebellion

Theme: As covenant unfaithfulness deepens, God confronts corrupt power through His Word, exposing how false worship leads to injustice, oppression, and hardened hearts.

Mon — July 20

1 Kings 20:1-43

Though the Lord repeatedly shows mercy and deliverance, Ahab's compromised heart continues resisting wholehearted obedience to God's Word.

Tue — July 21

1 Kings 21:1-16; Micah 6:6-8

As greed and power corrupt the northern kingdom, God reminds His people that true worship must be joined with justice, mercy, and humility.

Wed — July 22

1 Kings 21:17-29; Psalm 10:1-18

God confronts Ahab's abuse of authority, revealing that no injustice escapes His sight or judgment.

Thu — July 23

1 Kings 22:1-28

While corrupt leaders surround themselves with false voices, God faithfully continues speaking truth through His prophet.

Fri — July 24

1 Kings 22:29-40; Proverbs 29:2-16

Ahab's downfall reveals the destruction that follows when rulers reject wisdom, justice, and the fear of the Lord.

Sat — July 25

Amos 5:4-24; Romans 2:1-11

God rejects worship that is divorced from righteousness, calling His people to repentance, justice, and sincere covenant faithfulness.

Sun — July 26

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WEEKLY ENGAGEMENT

Week 2: Creation Fulfilled in Christ

The Word Who Made All Things Has Come Near

When we think about creation, we often think of something God did “back then”, or “long ago”, at the beginning of the story. Genesis opens with a familiar and powerful declaration: “*In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth*” (Genesis 1:1). By His word, light breaks into darkness, order emerges from chaos, and life begins to flourish.

But Scripture does not leave creation in the past.

This week, we’re invited to see creation through a fuller lens—to recognize that the God who spoke the world into existence has not remained distant from it. He has entered it.

John opens his Gospel by intentionally echoing Genesis: “*In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God... All things were made through him*” (John 1:1–3). The same divine Word who called light into being is not merely a force or principle. He is a person. And astonishingly, “*the Word became flesh and dwelt among us*” (John 1:14).

This is the heart of the Christian confession: the Creator has come near.

The New Testament presses this truth even further. Paul tells us that Christ is “*the image of the invisible God... For by him all things were created... and in him all things hold together*” (Colossians 1:15–17). The author of Hebrews agrees: the Son is the one “*through whom [God] created the world,*” and He continues to “*uphold the universe by the word of his power*” (Hebrews 1:2–3).

In other words, Jesus is not only the Redeemer who saves us from sin, He is the Creator who sustains every breath we take. The One who entered the world at Bethlehem is the same One who spoke the stars into place. Nothing exists outside His authority. Nothing unfolds apart from His care.

That truth reshapes how we read the rest of Scripture, and how we understand our own lives.

The psalms and wisdom literature this week help us slow down and respond rightly. Psalm 33 reminds us, “*By the word of the LORD the heavens were made... Let all the earth fear the LORD; let all the inhabitants of the world stand in awe of him*” (Psalm 33:6, 8). Proverbs 8 poetically pictures wisdom present with God in creation, delighting in His work and rejoicing in the world He made (Proverbs 8:22–31).

Creation is not cold or mechanical. It is purposeful, ordered, and sustained by a God who delights in what He has made.

And then Genesis 2 brings us to God's rest, not because He is weary, but because His work is complete and good. God blesses and sanctifies rest, reminding us that creation was always meant for communion, not frantic striving.

Taken together, these passages invite us to lift our eyes. If Christ is the Creator who entered creation, then our lives are not random, overlooked, or insignificant. We are living inside a story He authored... and a story He stepped into.

That matters when life feels chaotic. It matters when the world feels unstable. It matters when we feel small.

The One who holds all things together has not lost His grip.

So as we read this week, we're not just learning about creation, we're being reminded of who Jesus is. He is the eternal Word. He is the sustaining Lord. He is the Creator who came near to bring light into our darkness and new creation into our brokenness.

And as we walk through this story together, we do so with confidence... the same confidence that Stephen demonstrated before the Sanhedrin... not because we understand everything, but because we trust the One who does.

After all, God is not in a hurry, and neither should we be when listening to His Word.

Week 3

PODCAST CONCEPT:

Sin grows in silence—but mercy meets us in confession

Concept

A 6–8 minute conversational podcast with two leaders, the aim is to frame the conversation less like teaching and more like pastoral accompaniment (i.e. two shepherds walking alongside the congregation through a meaningful moment in the redemptive story.)

This is not a mini-sermon or an exegetical walkthrough. It is a shared act of attentiveness to Scripture, to the story we're in, and to the hearts of the people listening. The posture is invitational rather than instructive, reflective rather than explanatory.

Tone & Feel: We're inviting people to sit with us for a few minutes, not attend a lecture.

- Conversational, not scripted. Prepared, but not rehearsed. Natural speech matters more than polish.
- Reflective rather than explanatory. We are helping people notice and linger, not master content.
- Scripture is present, but not read in long blocks. We keep it to short phrases, images, or key lines, woven naturally into the conversation.
- Ideally we're not trying to rush through it, so it's unhurried. Silence is not a problem to solve. Don't rush to fill space.

Picking up on your idea of a short conversational podcast, not as teaching, but as pastoral accompaniment, where two of us briefly walk with the congregation through a key moment in the week's readings. Thursday's pairing of Genesis 4 and Psalm 51 in Week 3 feels like a natural place to pause. Rather than covering everything, the conversation would revolve around a single takeaway: "*Sin grows in silence, but mercy meets us in confession.*"

The idea isn't to explain the texts in detail, but to let the contrast do the work: Cain's posture when sin is exposed versus David's posture when sin is confessed. Then gently shift the focus to God's posture toward both... warning before the fall, mercy after it.

The whole conversation would be unhurried, Scripture-shaped, and invitational, helping people locate themselves in the story without pressure or moralism. My hope is that this becomes a low-lift, high-formation way to help the church slow down and trust God's mercy as we read.

I'd love your take on whether this feels like a wise investment of time for the good of the body.