



# Standing Firm in Grace

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A Yearlong Study Through 1 & 2 Peter  
Open Gate Cowboy Church – 2026

## **A Message From Pastor Wayne**

This journal is designed to help you walk closely with Jesus as we journey through First and Second Peter. Each week includes Scripture readings, reflection space, and room for sermon notes. My prayer is that this year deepens your faith, strengthens your walk, and equips you to stand firm in the grace of God.

Let's pursue Jesus boldly, love people deeply, and reach just one more for His glory.

## 2026 Preaching Calendar – Year at a Glance

Date	Passage / Focus	Sermon Title
Jan 4	1 Pet 1:1-2	Chosen but Scattered
Mar 29	1 Pet 3:1-7	Marriage that Preaches the Gospel
Apr 5	—	Easter Sunday – A Living Hope
Apr 12	—	Easter – New Life, Same Savior
May 10	—	Mother’s Day
Jun 28	1 Pet 5:12-14	Grace That Holds You Together
Jul 5	2 Pet 1:1-2	Faith Worth Sharing
Aug 9	—	Back to School Sunday – Growing in Grace
Oct 11	2 Pet 3:17-18	Grow in Grace (Series Finale)
Oct 18	—	Just One More Sunday
Dec 20	—	Christmas Sunday – The Cornerstone Came Down
Dec 27	—	Vision Sunday 2027

## **Just One More Sunday – October 18, 2026**

JUST ONE MORE Sunday is one of the most meaningful days in our church year. Everyone in the congregation chooses ONE person who needs Jesus, prays daily for their salvation, and invites them to church on October 18th.

### **My One**

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

Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Prayer Notes:

## **Easter – A Living Hope**

Meditation on 1 Peter 1:3-5

Reflection:

## **Back to School – Growing in Grace**

Meditation on 2 Peter 3:18

Reflection:

## **Christmas – The Cornerstone Came Down**

Meditation on 1 Peter 2:4–8

Reflection:

## Weekly Journal Pages

### Week 1

Scripture Passage: 1 Pet 1:1-2

Theme: Chosen but Scattered

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 2

Scripture Passage: 1 Pet 1:3-5

Theme: A Living Hope in a Dying World

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

### Week 3

Scripture Passage: 1 Pet 1:6-9

Theme: Joy in the Fire

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 4

Scripture Passage: 1 Pet 1:10-12

Theme: Prophets Longed for This

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 5

Scripture Passage: 1 Pet 1:13–16

Theme: Holy Hope

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 6

Scripture Passage: 1 Pet 1:17-21

Theme: The Cost of Holiness

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 7

Scripture Passage: 1 Pet 1:22–25

Theme: Love Like You've Been Born Again

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 8

Scripture Passage: 1 Pet 2:1-3

Theme: Hungry for the Word

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 9

Scripture Passage: 1 Pet 2:4-8

Theme: Built on the Cornerstone

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 10

Scripture Passage: 1 Pet 2:9-12

Theme: Different on Purpose

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 11

Scripture Passage: 1 Pet 2:13-17

Theme: Living Free under Authority

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 12

Scripture Passage: 1 Pet 2:18–25

Theme: Following the Suffering Shepherd

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 13

Scripture Passage: 1 Pet 3:1-7

Theme: Marriage that Preaches the Gospel

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 14

Scripture Passage: 1 Pet 3:8-12

Theme: Bless When It's Hard

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 15

Scripture Passage: 1 Pet 3:13-17

Theme: Fearless Witnesses

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 16

Scripture Passage: 1 Pet 3:18–22

Theme: The Triumph of the Cross

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 17

Scripture Passage: 1 Pet 4:1-6

Theme: Done with Sin

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 18

Scripture Passage: 1 Pet 4:7-11

Theme: The End Is Near

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 19

Scripture Passage: 1 Pet 4:12-19

Theme: Glory in the Fire

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 20

Scripture Passage: 1 Pet 5:1-4

Theme: Leading Like the Chief Shepherd

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 21

Scripture Passage: 1 Pet 5:5-7

Theme: Clothed in Humility

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 22

Scripture Passage: 1 Pet 5:8-11

Theme: Stand Firm against the Enemy

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 23

Scripture Passage: 1 Pet 5:12-14

Theme: Grace That Holds You Together

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 24

Scripture Passage: 2 Pet 1:1-2

Theme: Faith Worth Sharing

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 25

Scripture Passage: 2 Pet 1:3-4

Theme: Power for Godly Living

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 26

Scripture Passage: 2 Pet 1:5-11

Theme: Grow or Drift

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 27

Scripture Passage: 2 Pet 1:12-15

Theme: Never Stop Reminding

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 28

Scripture Passage: 2 Pet 1:16-18

Theme: Eyewitness of His Majesty

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 29

Scripture Passage: 2 Pet 1:19-21

Theme: The Sure Word of Prophecy

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 30

Scripture Passage: 2 Pet 2:1-3

Theme: The Rise of False Teachers

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 31

Scripture Passage: 2 Pet 2:4-9

Theme: God Knows How to Rescue the Godly

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 32

Scripture Passage: 2 Pet 2:10–22

Theme: The Mask of Religion

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 33

Scripture Passage: 2 Pet 3:1-7

Theme: Mockers in the Last Days

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 34

Scripture Passage: 2 Pet 3:8-10

Theme: The Day That Changes Everything

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 35

Scripture Passage: 2 Pet 3:11-13

Theme: Living for the New World

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 36

Scripture Passage: 2 Pet 3:14-16

Theme: Diligent and Blameless

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
- Tuesday:
- Wednesday:
- Thursday:
- Friday:

Reflection:

Sunday Notes:

## Week 37

Scripture Passage: 2 Pet 3:17-18

Theme: Grow in Grace

Daily Reading Plan:

- Monday:
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Reflection:

Sunday Notes:



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