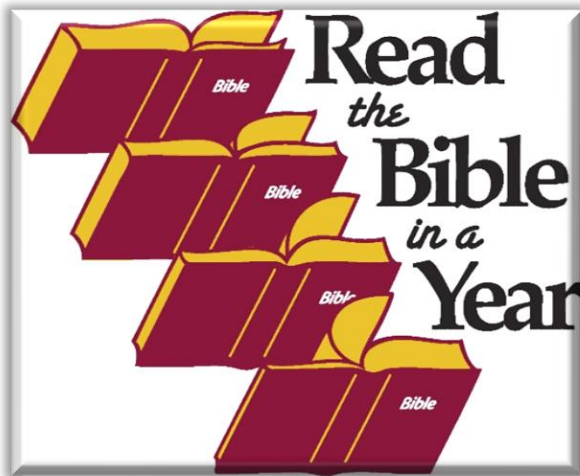


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- What catches your attention?
- Does anything bring you comfort?
- Are you surprised by any part of the reading?
- Do you struggle with any of what you read?

As I am on vacation for the first twelve days of the schedule. I really want to be there for the first discussion because there is some great material in that first week. But two weeks of content is probably too much to cover in one session, so go ahead and start without me. I know not everyone will be able to make every discussion group, but I hope it becomes something you look forward to and don't want to miss. I am excited to go on this journey with you.

January 1: Gen 1-3; Matt 1

January 2: Gen 4-6; Matt 2

January 3: Gen 7-9; Matt 3

January 4: Gen 10-12; Matt 4

January 5: Gen 13-15; Matt 5:1-26

<https://tinyurl.com/FCC-OneYearBible>

See you soon! Stephen

Sunday, December 29 ~ Service Attendance

In Person – 65 Live Online – 24

Social Media Hits – 68

Sunday, January 5 ~ Service Information

Matthew 2:1-12

Sunday School @ 9:30 ~ Fellowship Time @ 10:30

Services @ 8:30 & 11:00

Happy New Year! January is here and it is time to start our discussion groups while reading the Bible in its entirety during 2025. I will be participating in two groups, one on Mondays at 6:30 PM and another on Tuesdays at 10:30 AM. We will meet in the second floor classroom next to the Choir Room. If anyone would like to start a group at a different time, please let the office know so we can share the time and place.

The schedule we will be following has readings each day from The Hebrew Bible (The Old Testament) and The New Testament. The two readings do not complement each other in content, so there is a bit of a mental shift when you transition from one to the other. I suspect having The New Testament reading to look forward to may help you get through some of the tougher texts of The Hebrew Bible. As you read and in preparation for discussion, I encourage you to have the following questions in mind.