

**Reading the New Testament
in a Year
March 2026**

<u>Day</u>	<u>Text</u>
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2	Acts 27:1 - 28:31
3	Luke 1:1 - 80
4	Luke 2:1 - 3:38
5	Luke 4:1 - 5:39
6	Luke 6:1 - 7:50
7	Luke 8:1 - 9:62
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9	Luke 10:1 - 11:54
10	Luke 12: 1 -13:35
11	Luke 14:1 - 15:31
12	Luke 16:1 - 18:43
13	Luke 19:1 - 20:47
14	Luke 21:1 - 22:71
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16	Luke 23:1-56
17	Luke 24:1-53
18	Eph. 1:1 - 2:22
19	Eph. 3:1 - 4:43
20	Eph. 5:1 - 6:24
21	Philemon
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23	Col. 1:1 - 2:23
24	Col. 3:1 - 4:18
25	Phil. 1:1 - 2:30
26	Phil. 3:1 - 4:23
27	1 Tim. 1:1 - 2:15
28	1 Tim. 3:1 - 4:16
29	1 Tim. 5:1 - 6:21
30	Titus
31	1 Pet. 1:1 - 2:10

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Welcome back. This is month #3 of our reading schedule. And by now, the wonder of the Gospel message and history are opening up before you.

Who was Luke? Actually, we know quite a bit even though it is all only indirectly gained information. First of all, he was a Gentile. He was converted under the ministry and preaching of Paul most likely, and was, there-fore, a product of Paul's burden and calling for the Gentiles. Second, he was a companion of Paul's. Strong testimony supports the claim that he wrote the book of Acts as a journal or diary of the times he went with Paul as Paul went on his missionary journeys. Third, he was an historian. More than just a journal or diary, Acts recorded the history of the early church accurately and with great detail. Likewise, he also inter-viewed the eyewitnesses still available to him and wrote the companion volume, the Gospel that bears his name. We also know that he was a physician and, with his training, attention to detail obviously came naturally.

We're also introduced this month to Timothy. Timothy was another disciple and companion of Paul's. Timothy was called of God into the ministry of the Gospel as well. Paul's letters to this young protégé are helpful for us in realizing that even the government of Christ's Church is not something about which the Church is left on her own to figure out. It is from Paul's instructions to Timothy and to another church-planter, Titus, that we learn the basics about Presbyterianism.

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