GOSPEL / GOOD NEWS

1"Now, brothers and sisters,

I want you to remember the Good News I told you. You received that Good News message, and you continue to base your life on it.

² That Good News, the message you heard from me, is God's way to save you.

But you must continue believing it. If you don't, you believed for nothing."

-1 Corinthians 15:1-2



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The Gospel / Good News

OUR HUMAN CONDITION

We so easily forget who we are. We so easily forget what God has done, is doing, and will do.

So often we try to go it alone,. We neglect the Word of God, the food of God, the people of God.

We need times together to remember, to study, to affirm, to promise.

ASSIGNMENT

The Scripture readings this week will be Kingdom passages: Kingdom of God / Kingdom of Heaven. You may want to use the word "Realm" or "Commonwealth as you read these passages to get a more universal sense of what they are talking about.

As you read, consider what they say about your identity, your relationship to God and your relationship to others.

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joy and wonder)

Day 3 Tuesday Mark 1:14-15, John 3:3 (reality of

the Kingdom)

Day 4 Wednesday Luke 10:1-12 (healing, rejection) 12Day 5 Thursday Colossians 1:13-14 (Gift of the

Kingdom)

Day 6 Friday Philippians 3:20 (our citizenship)

Day 7 Rest and Silent Prayer

PRAYER:

Pray then in this way:
Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name.
Your kingdom come.
Your will be done

Your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, As we also have forgiven our debtors And do not bring us to the time of trial, But rescue us from the evil one. (Matt. 6:9-10 NRSV)

Prayer concerns for this week:

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