

# Reading Plans for 1 Corinthians

Option 1. Read whole book in one sitting

Option 2. Read book in two sittings

*Adapted outline from Gordon D. Fee (The First Epistle to the Corinthians –  
The New International Commentary on the New Testament)*

Day 1 – 1:1-6:20

Introduction (1:1-9)

A Church Divided – Internally and Against Paul (1:10-4:20)

Immorality and Litigation: Test Cases of the Crisis of Authority and  
Gospel (5:1-6:20)

Day 2 – 7:1-16:24

Marriage and Related Matters (7:1-40)

Food Sacrificed to Idols (8:1-11:1)

Women and Men in Worship (11:2-16)

Abuse of the Lord's Supper (11:17-34)

Spiritual Gifts and Spiritual People (12:1-14:40)

The Resurrection of Believers (15:1-58)

About the Collection (16:1-11)

About the Coming of Apollos (16:12)

Concluding Matters (16:13-24)

The following also have breaks at 7:1 ---

- C. K. Barrett (The First Epistle to the Corinthians, Black's New Testament Commentary)
- Craig Blomberg (1 Corinthians, The NIV Application Commentary)
- David E. Garland (1 Corinthians, Baker Exegetical Commentary on the NT)