

Covenant Presbyterian Church

2013-2014 Area Bible Studies

The Book of 1 Corinthians (Chapters 11-16)

1 Corinthians Theme: ‘The correction for contamination and confusion in the church is a concentration on Christ leading to personal holiness’

‘We preach Christ crucified, a stumbling block to Jews and folly to Gentiles, but to those who are called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God.... For I delivered to you as of first importance what I also received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the Scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures, and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve.... But you were washed, you were sanctified, you were justified in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ and by the Spirit of our God.... Do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you, whom you have from God? You are not your own, for you were bought with a price. So glorify God in your body.... So, whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do all to the glory of God.’ (1 Cor. 1:23-24; 15:3-5; 6:11, 19-20; 10:31 ESV).

Lesson	Lesson Title	1 Corinthians	W. Houston	Sugar Land
18	A Second Look at First Corinthians	1:1-11:1	September 3	September 5
19	Headship Issues	11:2-16	September 17	September 19
20	The Lord’s Supper	11:17-34	October 1	October 3
21	Spiritual Gifts 101	12:1-7, 11	October 15	October 17
22	Members of One Body	12:12-26	October 29	October 31
23	A Closer Look at Spiritual Gifts	12:8-10, 27-31a	November 12	November 14
24	A Still More Excellent Way	12:31b-13:7	December 3	December 5
25	Love Never Fails	13:8-13	December 17	December 19
26	Spiritual Gifts Edify the Church	14:1-12	January 21	January 23
27	A Requiem for Tongues	14:13-25	February 4	February 6
28	Order in the Church!	14:26-40	February 18	February 20
29	Just the Gospel Facts, Ma’am	15:1-11	March 4	March 6
30	Yes Virginia, There Is a Resurrection	15:12-28	March 18	March 20
31	Resurrection Bodies	15:29-49	April 1	April 3
32	Sing a Song of Victory!	15:50-58	April 15	April 17
33	Apostolic Planning	16:1-12	April 29	May 1
34	The Communion of the Saints	16:13-24	May 13	May 15

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