

DAILY READING

2026 NEW TESTAMENT READING 2 CORINTHIANS 8:1-24

SUNDAY SCHOOL READING PLAN

ROMANS 4:13-17

THE PROMISE GRANTED THROUGH FAITH

4 ¹³ For the promise to Abraham or to his descendants that he would inherit the world was not through the law, but through the righteousness that comes by faith. ¹⁴ If those who are of the law are heirs, faith is made empty and the promise nullified, ¹⁵ because the law produces wrath. And where there is no law, there is no transgression.

¹⁶ This is why the promise is by faith, so that it may be according to grace, to guarantee it to all the descendants—not only to those who are of the law but also to those who are of Abraham's faith. He is the father of us all. ¹⁷ As it is written: **I have made you the father of many nations.** He is our father in God's sight, in whom Abraham believed—the God who gives life to the dead and calls things into existence that do not exist.