

Introduction

Paul preaches in Corinth (v 4).

He stays in Corinth for 18 months and then goes back to base in Antioch via Ephesus and Jerusalem.

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- 1. What did Paul do in Corinth every Sabbath?
- 2. What stopped Paul teaching the Jews in Corinth and made him concentrate on Gentiles?
- 3. What was notable about Apollos?



Summary Points

- v1 to 11 Paul comes to Corinth (see first map). He preaches there for 18 months after being assured that God is with him (see theme). He starts in the synagogue, but moves to the house of Justus when the Jews oppose him. Many Jews and Gentiles are converted
- v 12 to 22 Unbelieving Jews continue to oppose Paul, but the proconsul Gallio dismisses their accusation against Paul. He continues to preach in Corinth before moving on, eventually arriving via Caesarea and Jerusalem back at Antioch.
- v 23 to 28 Paul starts his third major recorded journey and goes through Galatia and Phrygia (see second map) strengthening the disciples. Apollos, a believing Jew from Alexandria comes to Ephesus preaching, but he doesn't know the full gospel. Friends of Paul instruct him fully, and he proves a formidable preacher of the gospel

Timeline AD 60 (see below)

Theme / Information

God is with his people

A selection of verses showing that God promises always to be with his people.

God promises to be with Abraham's son [Isaac] and his grandson [Jacob]:

Genesis 26 verse 3, 28 verse 15

God says he will be with Joshua as he was with Moses:

Joshua 1 verse 5

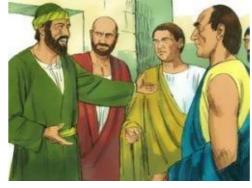
God says he was with David wherever he went. He has destroyed his enemies and made him great:

2 Samuel 7 verses 8 and 9 David asks that God will be with his son Solomon in building the temple: 1 Chronicles 22 verse 11

Jesus Christ promises that he and God will be with those who love him: John 14 verse 23

Paul ends his letter to the Romans by asking that God may be with the early believers:

Romans 15 verse 33





Paul's travels - second journey

Map showing Paul's second missionary journey which started and ended in Antioch in Syria (Acts15 to 18).



Paul's travels - third journey

Map showing Paul's third major recorded journey (Acts 18 to 20).



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Answers to questions

Verses which answer the questions: Q 1: v 4, Q 2: v 6, Q 3: v 24

Bible timeline

