



Memorial Cup 2020



18th Annual Men's Team Match Play Championship

“Paul: The Ultimate Looper”

Balancing Competition & Compassion in Golf and Life



Men's Fellowship Meeting #1

Hosted by Step by Step Golf

A Crosswinds Ministry



Why Was This Topic, and This Text Selected for Our Fellowship This Year?

- Philippians 3 has been a theme for SBSG since 2010
- It's useful in balancing competition with compassion
- Todd's church class has been in Philippians for the last 6 weeks
- It speaks truth in love and is directed at believers, while also being valuable information to non-believers



Overview of the Fellowship Meetings

Tonight:

- Background/Historical Setting
- Philippians 1:1-11

Thursday Night:

- Philippians 2:1-11, followed by “Buddy Conversations”

Friday Night:

- Philippians 3:1-21, followed by “Buddy Conversations”

Saturday Night:

- Large Group Discussion
- Prayer Time



Buddy Conversations

What is God Showing Me?

What Am I Learning About the Character of Jesus?

What Does God Want Me to Do Now?



Historical Perspective

Who Wrote Philippians?

Paul

When Was it Written?

Likely 62 AD

Where Was it Written?

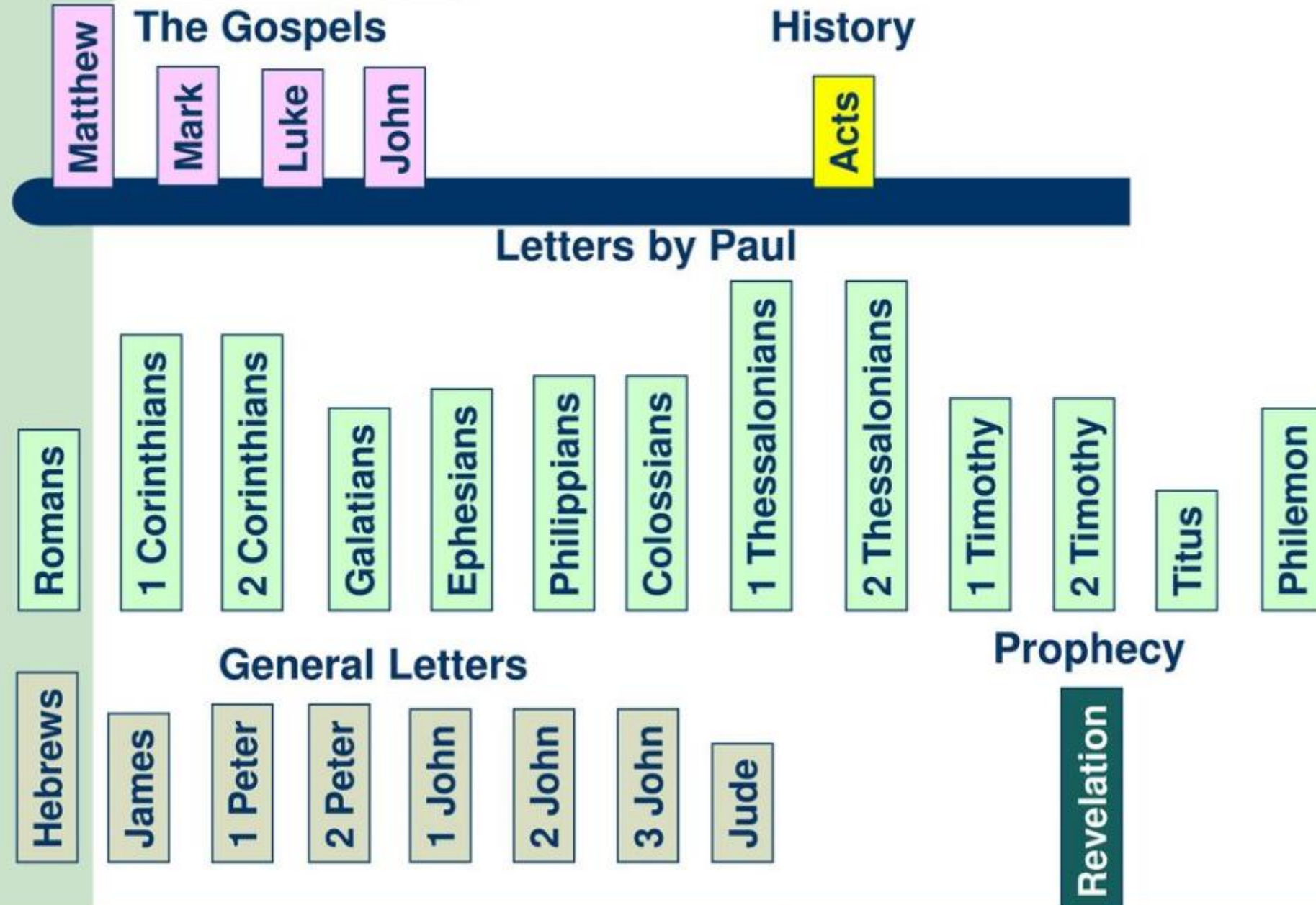
From Paul's Jail Cell in Rome

Why Was it Written?

To Encourage the People in Philippi (where Paul has visited)

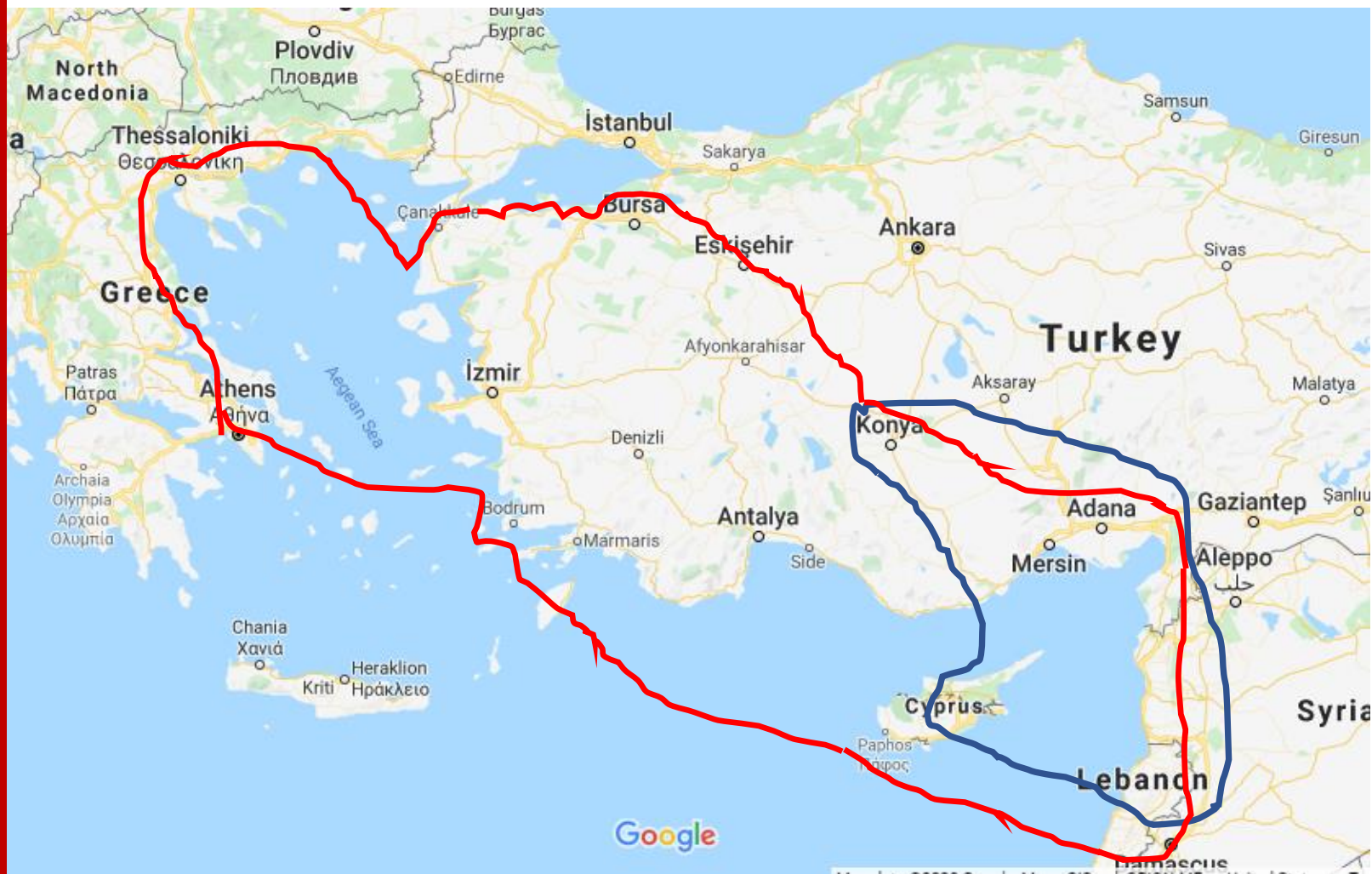
The New Testament Bookshelf

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Paul's First & Second Missionary Journeys

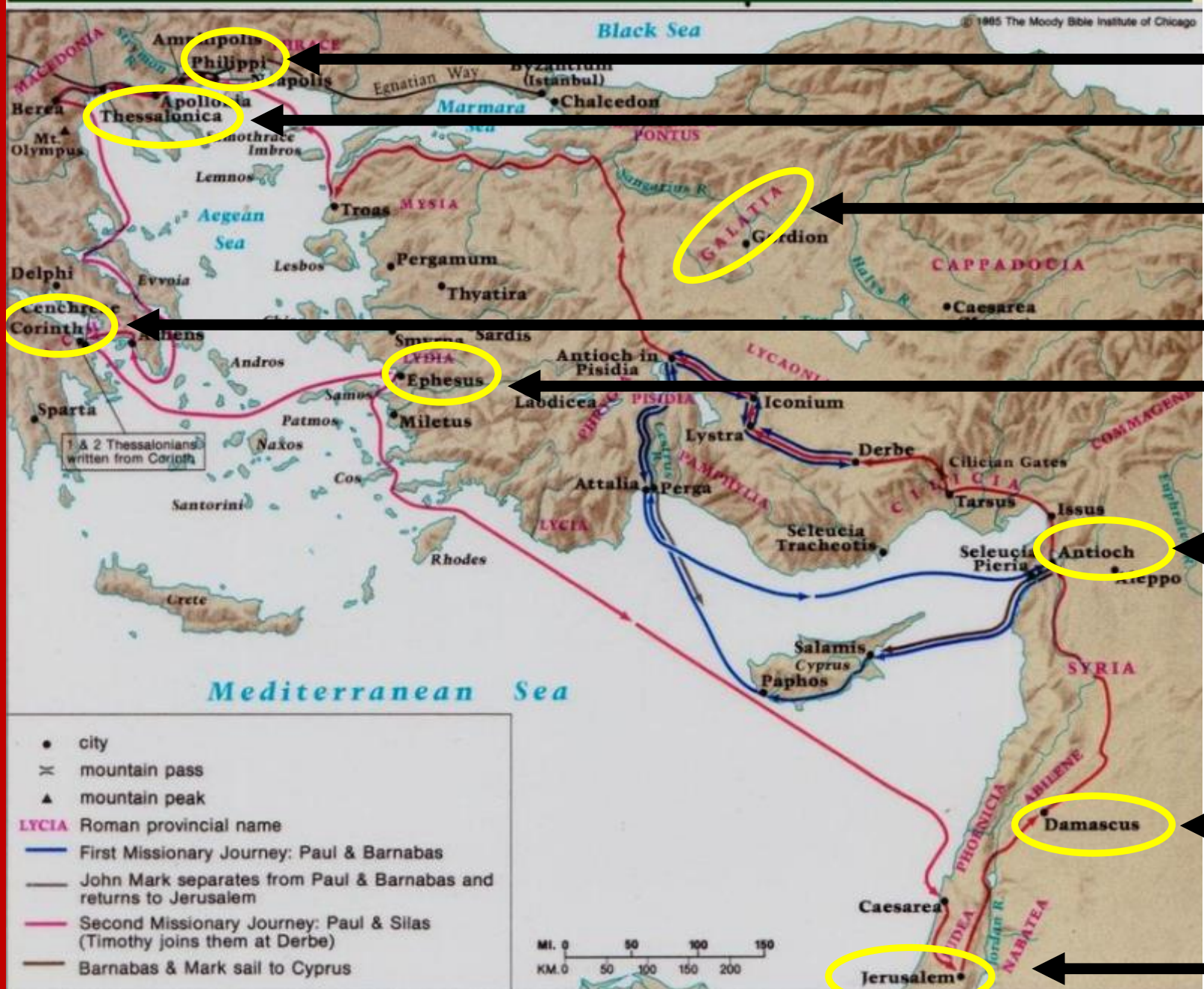




2020 Map of Paul's of the Territory Paul Covered on His First 2 Missions

- Paul's first mission (with Barnabas)
- Paul's second mission (with Silas and then Timothy joined)

Paul's First & Second Missionary Journeys



- Philippi
- Thessalonica
- Galatia
- Corinth
- Ephesus
- Paul's starting point for 1st and 3rd mission
- Where Paul met Jesus and was completely transformed
- Jerusalem/Bethlehem



Paul's Third Missionary Journey



Paul's Fourth Missionary Journey

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DETAILS

via E45 60 h
 60 h without traffic 4,842 km

Tel Aviv-Yafo, Israel—Rome, Italy 7 h 35 min





Philippians 1:1-11

Greeting

1 Paul and Timothy, servants of Christ Jesus,

To all the saints in Christ Jesus who are at Philippi, with the overseers and deacons:

2 Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Thanksgiving and Prayer

3 I thank my God in all my remembrance of you 4 always in every prayer of mine for you all making my prayer with joy, 5 because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now. 6 And I am sure of this, that he who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ. 7 It is right for me to feel this way about you all, because I hold you in my heart, for you are all partakers with me of grace, both in my imprisonment and in the defense and confirmation of the gospel. 8 For God is my witness, how I yearn for you all with the affection of Christ Jesus. 9 And it is my prayer that your love may abound more and more, with knowledge and all discernment, 10 so that you may approve what is excellent, and so be pure and blameless for the day of Christ, 11 filled with the fruit of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ, to the glory and praise of God.



Next Steps:

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- Read Philippians 2 and 3 in Preparation for Old Waverly
 - Be thinking about the Buddy Questions:
 - What is God Showing Me?
 - What Am I Learning About the Character of Jesus?
 - What Does God Want Me to Do Now?
 - Pray that you will leave Memorial Cup different than you arrived
 - When we convene on Thursday night: Philippians 2:1-11