

WELCOME!
Friday Men's Breakfast

March 5, 2021

The Life of the Apostle Paul

1 Corinthians 11:1

Be imitators of me, as I am of Christ.

Philippians 1:21

For me to live is Christ, and to die is gain.

Big Idea:

Paul modeled a life *surrendered* to Jesus Christ for us to follow.

Acts 15: 36-41

Title: The Gospel: together, in and out of our messiness

1) The Gospel moves us out together v. 36

“The Church exists for nothing else but to draw men into Christ, to make them little Christs. If they are not doing that, all the cathedrals, clergy, missions, sermons, even the Bible itself, are simply a waste of time. God became man for no other purpose.”

- C. S. Lewis

The Gospel moves us out *together*

Question:

1. Does the Gospel still cause a stirring in you?
2. Is there someone you need to follow up with?

Acts 15: 37-39a

2. The gospel moves in our messiness

The Gospel moves in our messiness

Question

- 1. Is there a hurt that you need talk about with someone?**
- 2. Has there been a time where you have been hurt by a “good person” that has hindered you to move on.**
- 3. Have you let the gospel into this situation?**

Acts 15: 39b-41

3. The Gospel moves beyond messiness.

or

The Gospel moves in spite of messiness.

We were meant to do life together!

- 2 are better than 1

• “The church of Christ already has the resources for total world evangelism. But if we go on our individualistic ways, we will only fragment our resources, our spirit, and the desires of the Spirit of God.” - William Taylor

The Gospel moves beyond *our* messiness

Questions?

1. Think and pray about who the Lord would have talk to about doing gospel life together.
2. Does someone come to mind?
3. What would gospel life together with someone else look like for you?