



Leader's Guide

Week of October 22

Acts 27-28

Message to Leaders

Hey Leaders! With this message, we end our series in Acts: "Continuing what Jesus Started." This week will be a little lighter on questions so you can reflect over what you've learned in the book of Acts. Try to think through the whole book of Acts and mention what has stuck out of you. Then read Acts 1:8 and think through God's faithfulness.

The Big Idea

Paul gets to Rome, and God once again shows his faithfulness to protect and preserve His witness throughout the world.

Getting Started

1. What is the biggest storm you have ever been in? What's the closest you've been to death?
2. In what ways has God shown his faithfulness to you in the past?

Digging In

1. **Read Acts 27.** Imagine what it would be like to be Paul during this ordeal. What would it be like to be one of the other sailors? How would you trust God in this situation?
2. **Read Acts 28, then read Acts 1:8.** What is significant about Paul getting to Rome and "proclaiming the Kingdom of God and teaching about the Lord Jesus Christ with all boldness and without hindrance" (Acts 28:31)?
***Leader's Note:** God was faithful to fulfill Jesus' command to his followers. Rome was the center of the ancient (Western) world. When Paul ministers in Rome, this becomes the hub for expansion all throughout the Western world.

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Looking Around

1. Reflect back on the past 9 months of our teaching in Acts. What has stuck out to you? What is the one take-away for how you will live your life from here on out?
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Pray

Pray that you can take what you've learned in Acts to your workplaces, families, friends, neighbors, and to the ends of the earth!

