



THE GOSPEL JOURNEY

SHARING QUESTION:

- What's the best news that you have received recently?

INTRODUCTION:

We've started a new series called "The Gospel Journey" that is based on the Book of Romans. It will be a journey as we examine the great power of the Gospel and how we are saved, as well as how to deepen our spiritual knowledge.

The Gospel is the power of God that brings salvation, it focuses on the main need of every human being, whether the most religious, the most educated, the worldly, or an immoral, everyone needs to be reconciled with the Holy God to experience wholly His great salvation. From the time of Paul up until now, even as the world advances through the continuous development of technology, the Gospel was, and still is, about God's power to save.

It is important to note that the Gospel offers salvation to everyone, but will only be enjoyed and experienced by those who believe it. We must believe it, but to believe it, we must understand it. And surely we cannot understand something unless someone shares it. In light of this, we have the Gospel because someone openly shared it with us. Now what about those who haven't yet accepted it? Who is going to give it to them? Who will share it with them?

As the passage in Romans 1:16 says, "For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for it is the power of God unto salvation to everyone that believeth; to the Jew first, and also to the Greek." The Good News is not just for us to enjoy. Others don't know it yet, but they need to hear it too. The main idea of the Good News is to be shared.

Scripture to read: Romans 1:1-17

REVIEW:

What's your takeaway from the sermon last Sunday?



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ENGAGE::

- Share your stories of sharing or spreading the Gospel to other people.
- Who shared the Gospel to you?



HEAD LEVEL: *What does the Word say?*

1. Why was Paul not ashamed of the Gospel?
2. How did God reveal His righteousness to us?



HEART LEVEL: *What does the Word mean?*

1. What does it mean when we say, "*the main need of every human being is to be reconciled to the Holy God?*"
2. What is the importance of understanding that there is no salvation if we rely on our own deeds or actions?
3. Have you been ashamed of sharing the Gospel before?



HAND LEVEL: *What does the Word compel us to do?*

1. What will you do to be right before God?
2. Think of someone who needs to hear the Good News right now, and plan on how you will share it to him/her.

MEMORY VERSE: Romans 1:16

"For I am not ashamed of the Gospel, because it is the power of God that brings salvation to everyone who believes: first to the Jews then to the Gentiles."