

# GC Question Sheet

Sermon: Acts 23:1-11

1. What do you think of when you here the word “kingdom?” What kingdoms do you see around you? Do your friends have “kingdoms” or domains? What is so great about God’s kingdom? How did Paul live for the kingdom of God?
2. Paul went through some of the worst days of his ministry and it came at a time when he had already been going hard for about 15 years. Have you ever felt “burnt” out on Christianity, or felt like it just isn’t as exciting as it once did? Why do you think you felt or are feeling this way? What was the journey of getting to the point of feeling like this?
3. When Paul was at his lowest, the books of Acts records that “the following night **the Lord stood by him** and said, “**Take courage**, for as you have **testified to the facts about me** in Jerusalem, **so you must testify also** in Roman.”
  - a. What about this verse is encouraging to you?
  - b. What about this verse is challenging to you?
4. What does it mean to still be about Jesus as a Christian? How do we practically keep pursuing a relationship with Jesus when we feel like we don’t have anything to give or when we don’t want to give anymore to Jesus?