

SERMON QUESTIONS

PASSAGE: Acts 9:20-31

SERMON DATE: May 5, 2024

CONNECT

Start your time by catching up with everyone.

Growing up, was there someone in your life (e.g., a bully, family member, or teammate) who was tough to love and find the good in? How would you respond differently to that person today than when you were younger?

GROW

Have someone read this week's passage out loud.

What stood out to you in the message?

What does this passage tell us about God?

How does this passage point us to Jesus?

What does this passage have to say about us?

GO

1. After his conversion, Saul immediately started sharing his faith. How can Saul's boldness inspire us to share our faith with others, even in the face of opposition?
2. Like Barnabas did with Saul, how can we support and encourage new believers in our communities or areas of influence, helping them grow in their faith and understanding of God's word?
3. Who has played a significant role in helping you grow spiritually? How can you pass on what you have learned to others?
4. How does Saul's story remind us of God's power to change lives and use even the most unlikely individuals for His purposes?

PRAY

1. Pray for boldness to proclaim the Gospel message like Saul. Ask God to empower you to share your faith with confidence.
2. Pray for new believers at Austin Ridge and our community. Ask God to surround them with support, encouragement, and guidance as they grow in their faith and understanding.
3. Thank God for His transformative work in your life and the lives of others. Pray for continued openness to His leading and trust in His power to bring lasting change and growth.

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