



Sermon Questions

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1. They had no place of worship in Philippi when Paul and Silas arrived. It wasn't obvious where the Jews met to worship. We are reminded that worship, doesn't take place only in church, but there are other places where worship regularly occurs. Are there other places in your life, which are locations of worship for you? This may be daily places of worship, or places (other than churches) which you go to which become places of worship.
2. This week we meet two people who over tremendous hospitality. If I look at my own life, how hospitable am I to others, is this an area in which I can grow. Currently we are hospitable as a church, how do we continue to be intentional about not just welcoming, but inviting into our fellowship those who are desiring to be part of the family of God?
3. The demonic is very real. Here the demonic identifies Paul as preaching about the True God. This becomes a distraction to Paul's message even though it seems good. What are things in our society which may appear good and promoting God, which in actually are a distraction from people really getting to know God?
4. Paul and Silas' response to imprisonment was singing praises. (loud enough to wake up the neighbours) How would you respond?
5. Last week we looked at doors God opens and closes. Here we see doors being miraculously opened for Paul and Silas and they don't leave. Staying opened a more important spiritual door. How does one determine the more important door? (does what Paul and Silas were doing prior to the earthquake affect who clear they saw which door to go through?) Are there spiritual doors which we have witnessed?
6. If someone asked you "what must I do to be saved?" How would you respond? Does Paul's response mean we shouldn't have doctrine or anything else?