

BIBLE CLASSES @PEFC

THE BOOK OF

ACTS

THE EARLY CHURCH & PAUL'S JOURNEYS

TUESDAYS 7-8pm



Paul's Third Missionary Journey

(Acts 18:23-21:16)

Mediterranean Sea

MILETUS



Acts 21:1 Now it came to pass, that when we had departed from them and set sail, running a straight course we came to Cos, the following *day* to Rhodes, and from there to Patara

Acts 21:2 And finding a ship sailing over to Phoenicia, we went aboard and set sail.



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Cos

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Patara

Lystra

Antioch

Tyre

Ptolemais

Caesarea

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Acts 21:3 When we had sighted Cyprus, we passed it on the left, sailed to Syria, and landed at Tyre; for there the ship was to unload her cargo.



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Acts 21:4 And finding disciples, we stayed there seven days. They told Paul through the Spirit not to go up to Jerusalem

Acts 19:21 When these things were accomplished, Paul purposed in the Spirit, when he had passed through Macedonia and Achaia, to go to **Jerusalem**, saying, “After I have been there, I must also see **Rome.**”

Acts 20:16 For Paul had decided to sail past Ephesus, so that he would not have to spend time in Asia; for he was hurrying to be at **Jerusalem**, if possible, on the Day of Pentecost.

Acts 20:22 And see, now I go bound in the spirit (compelled) to **Jerusalem**, not knowing the things that will happen to me there

Acts 20:23 except that the Holy Spirit testifies in every city, saying that chains and tribulations await me.

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Acts 21:5 When we had come to the end of those days, we departed and went on our way; and they all accompanied us, with wives and children, till *we were* out of the city. And we knelt down on the shore and prayed.



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Acts 21:10 And as we stayed many days, a certain prophet named Agabus came down from Judea.

Acts 21:11 When he had come to us, he took Paul's belt, bound his own hands and feet, and said, "Thus says the Holy Spirit, 'So shall the Jews at Jerusalem bind the man who owns this belt, and deliver him into the hands of the Gentiles.' "

Acts 21:12 Now when we heard these things, both we and those from that place pleaded with him not to go up to Jerusalem

Acts 21:13 Then Paul answered, “What do you mean by weeping and breaking my heart? For I am ready not only to be bound, but also to die at Jerusalem for the name of the Lord Jesus.”

Acts 20:23 except that the Holy Spirit testifies in every city, saying that chains and tribulations await me

Acts 20:24 But none of these things move me; nor do I count my life dear to myself, so that I may finish my race with joy, and the ministry which I received from the Lord Jesus, to testify to the gospel of the grace of God.

Acts 21:14 So when he would not be persuaded we ceased, saying, “The will of the Lord be done.”

Acts 21:15 And after those days we packed and went up to Jerusalem

Acts 21:16 Also some of the disciples from Caesarea went with us and brought with them a certain Mnason of Cyprus, an early disciple, with whom we were to lodge.

Acts 21:17 And when we had come to Jerusalem, the brethren received us gladly.

Acts 21:18 On the following *day* Paul went in with us to James, and all the elders were present.

Acts 21:19 When he had greeted them, he told in detail those things which God had done among the Gentiles through his ministry.

Acts 21:20 And when they heard *it*, they glorified the Lord. And they said to him, “You see, brother, how many myriads of Jews there are who have believed, and they are all zealous for the law;

Acts 21:21 but they have been informed that you teach all the Jews among the Gentiles to forsake Moses, saying they ought not to circumcise *their* children nor to walk according to the customs.

THE BOOK OF ROMANS

Rom 10:3 Since they did not know the righteousness of God and sought to establish their own, they did not submit to God's righteousness

Rom 10:4 Christ is the end of the law for righteousness to everyone who believes

Phil 3:9 not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but that which is through faith in Christ—the righteousness that comes from God on the basis of faith

Acts 21:22-23 What then? The assembly must certainly meet, for they will hear that you've come. Therefore do what we tell you: We have 4 men who have taken a vow

Acts 21:24 Take them and be purified with them, and pay their expenses so that they may shave *their* heads, and that all may know that those things of which they were informed concerning you are nothing, but *that* you yourself also walk orderly and keep the law.

Acts 21:25 But concerning the Gentiles who believe, we have written *and* decided that they should observe no such thing, except that they should keep themselves from *things* offered to idols, from blood, from things strangled, and from sexual immorality.”

Acts 21:26 Then Paul took the men, and the next day, having been purified with them, entered the temple to announce the expiration of the days of purification, at which time an offering should be made for each one of them.



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Paul preaches the Gospel for 2 yrs under house arrest as he awaits for his appeal to Caesar

Paul meets fellow believers and is encouraged

Paul bitten by a viper suffers no harm Many come to faith and are healed

Ship lost in storm All aboard swim safely to shore

Ship caught in storm 14 days tempest-tossed Hope to be saved given up Paul encourages all aboard saying only ship will be lost

Paul's warning about the dangers of the voyage ignored

Change to a grain ship sailing to Italy

Paul boards a ship Sent to Rome to appeal to Caesar

MAP OF PAUL'S JOURNEY TO ROME

Acts 27 & 28

- City
- One of the "Seven Churches"
- ← Paul's Itinerary



