

THE WEEKEND OF NOVEMBER 18-19, 2017

## MIDWEEK BIBLE STUDY IS ON HOLIDAY BREAK THIS WEEK

WE WILL RESUME  
WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 29TH 7PM & 12NOON  
AT THE CATHEDRAL

THURSDAY NOVEMBER 30TH 12NOON  
AT THE POWER CENTER



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Starting Point Class

Saturday January 6th 9am  
at the Cathedral

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NIGHT AT THE KINGS

# HOOPS TO HOPE

MONDAY MARCH 19TH 7PM

THE SACRAMENTO KINGS TAKE ON  
THE DETROIT PISTONS



PURCHASE YOUR TICKET TODAY IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL

KEY

# ACTIVATE

The Story Continues...

SERIES

### WEEKEND CELEBRATIONS

SATURDAYS 5PM

SUNDAYS 8:30AM / 10:30AM / 12:30PM

### MIDWEEK BIBLE STUDIES

WEDNESDAYS 12NOON AND 7PM AT THE CATHEDRAL

THURSDAYS 12NOON AT THE POWER CENTER

### CENTERED LIFE

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WEDNESDAYS AND SATURDAYS AT 8PM

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## INTRODUCTION

The Apostle Paul finally arrived in Rome just as the Lord said he would. Yet the outcome of his presence and witness there is not depicted in scripture. Church history tells us that Paul was likely executed by the Roman emperor Nero. The fact is that we cannot know for certain what happened to Paul and many other early church leaders. Perhaps the Lord has intentionally concealed the details of how they died to encourage us to focus on the details of how they lived.

## WHEN IN ROME...

In Rome, Paul witnessed to the Jews and like many other times and places, some received and others rejected. A few things stand out as relevant lessons for the ACTivated believer today.

### 1. ACTivated Like Jesus

-Observing the reaction of the unbelieving Jews, Paul quotes Isaiah 6:9-10 (Acts 28:25-28). The lesson here is that the heart of the problem... IS A **HEART PROBLEM!** Anyone who rejects the gospel fits into the dull-of-heart group. Like Jesus (Mt. 13:13-15, Jn. 6:66), Paul stayed faithful to his ACTivated task and left the **outcomes** to the Lord.

### 2. ACTivated & Unhindered

-Some of the last words of the book of Acts are:

*“welcoming all”*

*“preaching the kingdom of God”*

*“teaching concerning the Lord Jesus Christ”*

*“with all openness, **unhindered**”*

It's ironic that Paul is in chains yet *“unhindered”*.

Knowing all that Paul went through, yet continuing to be a **witness**, should inspire us to know that for the ACTivated, attacks and setbacks don't necessarily equate to defeats and breakdowns. Your ACTivation is **adequate** for every season.

### 3. The ACTivated Legacy

-Your God-**intended** legacy is directly connected to your willingness to be an ACTivated witness. Of course, we want to and should leave material and financial blessings to our children (Proverbs 13:22). But the power of an ACTivated Legacy is that when the benefactor **departs**, they don't take the power with them and only leave behind the trophies. The ACTivator (Holy Spirit), who empowered them, remains and is **available** to continue to ACTivate the beneficiary.

## FactorPoints

**He's Here - Worship** the Lord because He ACTivated the church through the presence and power of the Holy Spirit.

**He Knows - Learn** from reviewing the teachings of the ACTivate series and witness how the Holy Spirit empowered the church to be like Christ.

**He's Able - Serve** by seeking to intentionally introduce others to the Holy Spirit (ACTivator).

**Receive Him.**

**Walk with Him.**

**Share Him... So that the Story Continues.**

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