

Acts: O Church, Arise!
September 13, 2026 – Acts 19:8-20
What Are We Prepared For?
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Message for today – We cannot be prepared for everything, but we can prepare our Mind, Body, and Spirit the way God has told us and guides us too. Being prepared isn't about knowing the events of the day and having a bag prepared, but that when we march on the enemies' gates, we have our Lord in the lead and we follow each step.

vs 8-10 Paul is obedient to the calling on his life.

vs 11-12 Now God worked. God is the _____,
God does _____, God does the _____ of God.

vs 13-16 Evil spirits are real, there is a _____ world!

WHO ARE YOU???

Ephesians 6 13-17 Paul tells us to put on _____. We need to use it!!

vs 17-19 God did a _____!

vs 20 The word of the Lord prevailed _____.

Reflections
Acts 19:8-20

Hear the Word

1. What is this passage telling me about who God is (His character, actions, attributes, Word)?
2. What does it tell me about the original audience, or about the nature of sin?
3. What themes do I see here, and how do any of those connect with what I am currently facing?
4. What is the main purpose of this passage, and does it bring other passages to mind?
5. How does this passage point me to Jesus, and help me to see the gospel more clearly?

Do the Word

1. How do my actions, thoughts, words or emotions need to change in light of this passage?
2. What evidence of God's work in my life do I need to thank and praise Him for?
3. How does my prayer life need to change as a result of this?
4. Do I see any other way that this should impact my worship of God?

Next Week: Acts 19:21-20:6