

Acts: O Church, Arise!
October 4th, 2026 — Acts 20:13-38
Finishing Well: A Life Worth Following
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Big Idea: “*Paul shows us what it looks like to finish well—serving humbly, proclaiming faithfully, enduring courageously, leading sacrificially, and loving deeply.*”

A LIFE THAT FINISHES WELL:

- 1)
- 2)
- 3)
- 4)
- 5)
- 6)

Conclusion

Reflections
Acts 20:13-38

Looking at the Passage

What stands out to you most about Paul’s farewell to the Ephesian elders?

What emotions do you hear in Paul’s words?

Why do you think this meeting was so significant for both Paul and the Ephesian leaders?

Personal Application

Which aspect of Paul’s example challenges you the most:

- Humble service
- Courageous witness
- Faithful teaching
- Spiritual vigilance
- Generosity
- Deep love for God’s people

What is one specific action God is calling you to take this week because of this passage?

Who is someone you can encourage, disciple, or pray for this week?

Next Week: Acts 21:1-14