

Unit 34: The Church on Mission

Unit Description: Paul continued on his missionary journeys, encountering opposition yet finding new opportunities to proclaim the risen Christ. As missionary efforts continued, the church sought to protect its doctrine and demonstrate the power of the gospel through righteous living so others might trust in Christ.

Big Picture Question: What is our mission as Christians? Our mission is to make disciples of all nations by the power of the Holy Spirit.



SESSION 1: The Church Met Together

Acts 15



SESSION 2: Paul and Silas Started Churches

Acts 15-18



SESSION 3: Paul Visited the Churches

Acts 18-21



SESSION 4: We Are Here to Glorify God

Romans 15

Unit 35: Paul's Mission to Rome

Unit Description: After three missionary journeys on which God used Paul to plant many churches and see many people trust in Christ, Paul returned to Jerusalem where he was arrested. Paul would eventually be sent to Rome as a prisoner, but this did not stop him from doing everything he could to preach the gospel and make much of Jesus.

Big Picture Question: Why should we praise Jesus? We should praise Jesus for what He has done to provide our salvation and because He will one day make all things right.



SESSION 1: Paul Returned to Jerusalem

Acts 21–22



SESSION 2: Paul Was on Trial

Acts 22–23



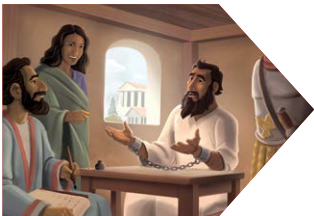
SESSION 3: Paul Was Sent to Rome

Acts 24–26



SESSION 4: Paul Went to Rome

Acts 27–28



SESSION 5: Paul Preached in Rome

Acts 28



SESSION 6: We Are Here to Make Much of Jesus

1 Thessalonians 4–5

Unit 36: The Church's Hope

Unit Description: As the church continues the mission Jesus gave, it does so with the hope that one day Jesus will return to make all things new and put an end to sin and death once and for all. On that day, Jesus will fully usher in God's kingdom as all of His followers enjoy being with Him and one another as part of a new heaven and earth.

Big Picture Question: What is the hope of the church? The church looks forward to Jesus' return when He will make all things new.



SESSION 1: Jesus Is Worthy of Worship

Revelation 4-5



SESSION 2: Jesus Will Return One Day

Revelation 19-20



SESSION 3: We Will Be Part of the New Heaven and Earth

Revelation 21-22