

SERMON NOTES/QUESTIONS

When The “Hound of Heaven” Strikes

Acts 9:1-21

1. Have you ever had the sense that God was pursuing you relentlessly?
2. This is a powerful conversion story. What can we learn about how conversion works?
 - a. Conversion always comes as a result of God’s initiative. Where does our will come into the process?
 - b. Conversion always involves an encounter with the risen Lord. Reflect on your own conversion experience. How did you encounter Christ?
 - c. Conversion always involves surrender on our part. This is perhaps the most challenging part of conversion. Was this a struggle for you? Why?
 - d. Conversion always includes commission. Paul became a missionary extraordinaire. How do you understand/practice your commission?
3. In what ways are we content with partial conversion?

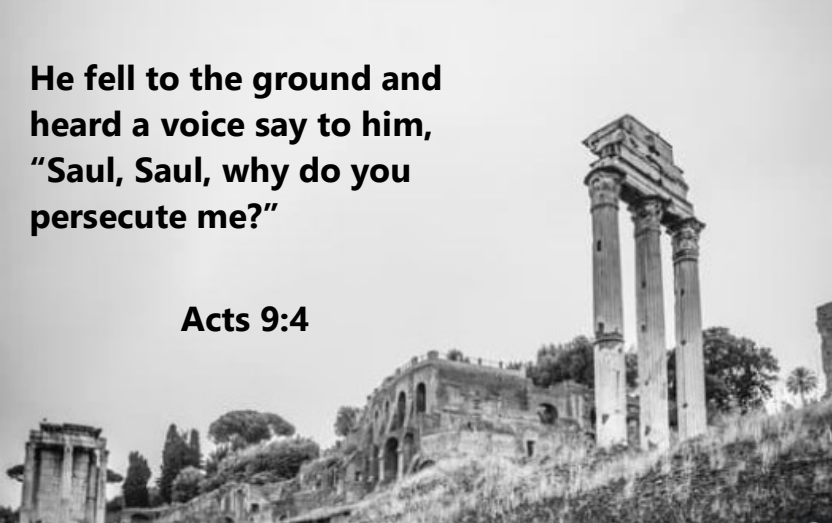
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He fell to the ground and heard a voice say to him, “Saul, Saul, why do you persecute me?”

Acts 9:4

Welcome Newcomers!

Please use the Communication Card or contact the church office for prayer requests, to inform us of your contact info, or schedule a visit with one of our pastors. Our team would love to hear from you!

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WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP SERVICE

PIANO PRELUDE	JOHN ENNS
INVOCATION/ANNOUNCEMENTS	PASTOR FRED
READING SELECTIONS OF SCRIPTURE	
HYMNS	<i># 201 Grace Greater Than Our Sin</i> <i># 198 Wonderful Grace of Jesus</i>
QUARTET	<i>Your Grace and Peace Abounds</i>
CHRISTMAS SHOEBOX BLESSING	PASTOR DENIS
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE	SHIRLEY FUNNELL
HYMNS	<i># 383 Open Our Eyes, Lord</i> <i># 381 Open My Eyes, That I May See</i>
MESSAGE	WHEN THE "HOUND OF HEAVEN" STRIKES PASTOR DON
HYMN	<i># 515 Since Jesus Came into My Heart</i>
BENEDICTION	PASTOR DENIS

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for:

- Helen Koop and Les Klassen (heart concerns) at ARH
- Donna Kasper's health is failing
- Neil & Ann Matthies' son, David, is in great pain recovering from heart surgery in California.
- Mary Stobbe is in rehabilitation in Langley.
- Please pray for those who are healing at home:
George Bargaen, Rosa Isaac

Praise:

Thank you to all who participated in our Shoebox Project. We packed 665 boxes and exceeded our goal!

UPCOMING EVENTS

HymnSing - Nov. 17, 6:30pm
The offering will be for our Benevolent Fund.

German Bible Study - Wednesday, 9:30am

Square One Dessert Fundraiser - Nov. 21, 7pm
RSVP at 1-800-565-1810 or info@s1wm.com

Scott Koop (Square One World Media) will be preaching Nov. 24

Generation Rising Concerts - Dec.1, 2:30pm & 6:30pm
Rosemary Siemens & Eli Bennett with The Singing Men
Admission is free with an encouraged offering for the renovation of a school in Nicaragua.



Please see the display in the foyer for community events.

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