

Small Group Discussion Questions

Following the Weekend of November 1-2, 2025

No need to answer every question. Feel free to jump around.

Finish Line, Friends, and Film

(Acts 21:1-26)

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Group Interaction & Application

Read aloud Acts 21:1-26.

What words, phrases, concepts, or images from these verses stand out to you as you just read them, or create curiosity for you in some way?

What aspects of Pastor Stetson's message gave you fresh insight into this passage, or helped you the most in understanding these verses and what we experience here?

Take some time to reflect on different seasons of your life (seasons related to age, work, relationships, education, etc.).

Share a bit about these various seasons.

When have you experienced significant heart ache when a chapter of your life ended?

Share a bit about this experience.

As Paul's story plays out in this portion of scripture, Pastor Stetson observes three ways he sees Paul navigating this close of season.

First observation: Paul listens to God. (vs. 4, 11)

When have you heard God tell you to bring a season of your life to a close?

If you sense God is telling you to bring a current season of your life to a close, share what you sense you are hearing.

If you are resisting, share a bit about the tension you are wrestling with.

Second observation: Paul was prompted to spend time with the people he loved. (vs. 7-9)

When have you had to say goodbye to those you had been in close relationship with?

If this was confusing or difficult, share a bit about this experience.

Who are the close relationships in your life today?

In what ways are you nurturing these relationships – knowing that you may be called away from them at some point?

Third observation: Paul was given time to reflect. (vs. 23-25)

How often do you pause to reflect on your spiritual journey?

When/if you do take time to do this, what does this time of reflection look like (meditation, journaling, hiking, etc.)?

If this sermon is prompting a desire to be more intentional in pausing to reflect, what next step could you take?

If it is not in your nature to slow down, what is needed to help make this possible?

Conclude by praying for one another in taking practical next steps in applying this weekend's message and group discussion, after which pray for group needs and concerns.

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