

PREACHING CURRICULUM



SERMON TITLE: A Gospel Sourced in God

SCRIPTURE: Galatians 1:11-24

But when he who had set me apart before I was born, and who called me by his grace, was pleased to reveal his Son to me...

1 REVIEW THE SERMON

Galatians 1:11-24. Where did Paul get the Gospel? How does this give us confidence in it?

See verses 13-14. According to Paul's own testimony, what was his former life like? How does this further add to his credibility?

See verses 15-16a. When exactly did God choose Paul? Why does it matter? What assignment was Paul given after God had called him?

See verses 16b-24. Why is it significant that Paul did not consult with any of the other apostles immediately after his conversion? What was his purpose for telling us this? How does this further validate his credentials as an apostle?

2 ASSESS YOUR LIFE

What was your life like before you became a Christian? How did your life change once you believed in Christ?

What work has God assigned you to be engaged with? If you aren't sure, how might you find out?

3 APPLY THE TRUTH

Why do we often fail to believe that the Gospel is good news for even the worst of sinners? How do our lives sometimes betray our lack of confidence in the Gospel's power?

How can we bolster our own confidence in the Gospel, knowing that it can change even the hardest of hearts, like Paul's? What would our lives look like if we really believed this was true?

4 COMMIT THIS WEEK

What might it look like to live with a sense of confidence in the power of the Gospel this week?