

Sermon Discussion Questions
The Church Jesus is Building: Week 6
Acts 9:1-19

*Here are some questions to discuss as you think about the message from **Acts 9:1-19**.*

1. What stands out to you about the apostle Paul's conversion experience?
2. What did Paul recognize? How did he respond? Think about your own experience. What have you recognized about Jesus? How have you responded?
3. When you think of your identity as a follower of Jesus, what comes to mind? Which "facet of the diamond" of the Gospel resonates with you the most? Think about (1) the legal status as one who has been "justified" and set free from the punishment sin requires and (2) the family status as an adopted child of God.
4. Paul describes in Romans 7:7-25 the inner battle between the law of God and the law of sin. What does that battle look like for you personally?
5. Think about your own planned disciplines, summarized by the early church's devotion to the apostle's teaching, fellowship, and prayer. Why do these matter? How do they help us in the change process? What is your next right step?

If you would like to dig a little deeper, here are some more scriptures to read and questions to guide you.

Read 1 John 3.

- How does John describe the Father's love for us?
- What role does the Holy Spirit play?
- What promise is given in verse 2?
- How do we grow in obedience?
- What is the primary evidence of our identity?
- What is God teaching you? How will you respond?

