

Week 22:
Acts 19:11-20

ACTS²

Fear or Faith

TODAY'S VERSES:

Acts 19:11-20

Ephesians 1:17-20
Ephesians 6:12
Ephesians 1:19-20
Ephesians 3:16
Ephesians 3:20-21
Ephesians 6:10
Revelation 2:2

UPCOMING @ ELEMENT

Need Prayer?

Use our digital connect card to let us know, and we will schedule a zoom call to pray with you.

All Youth Outdoor Movie Night Tonight from 6-8p at Element.

Find all links at:

<https://linktr.ee/ourelement>

BIG IDEA:

The birth of the church in Ephesus was chaotic, but the power of God overshadowed it and brought peace. As people came to believe in Jesus their fear was turned into true worship of God. A generation later the church of Ephesus had “lost their first love,” and their focus became inward; as they grew, they lost their passion and impulse. God wants us to see the vibrancy and the Holy Spirit’s power and Christ’s resurrection and Salvation for us!

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

Do you have (or have you ever) had any superstitions?

What are/were they and do they still play out in your life?

What beliefs do you have of how these superstitions will help protect you?
What is the truth?

In what ways have you become self-focused in your walk with Christ?

What is the “Holy Fear” in the power of God that brings people to extol the name of Jesus?

Why do we need to know Jesus in order to be able to worship Him?

Acts is showing us that what we worship apart from Christ has no value.

Do you believe this is true?

What idols have you had in your life that have had no value?

As you follow Christ, have you ever experienced your life get out of control?

What is good “out of control” verses bad “out of control”?

How has the power of God overshadowed all of it?

Do you believe that God has bent His heart toward you?

Do you believe that you can know where you stand with God because He has brought peace?

Have you ever lost sight of “the love you had at first,” in relation to Christ?

Has it come back? How could others help in this?

As a church, how have you seen Element lose its collective passion and impulse?

How can we return to see the vibrancy and power of Christ’s resurrection and Salvation for us?

