# Week 36: Acts 26:30-32

# Hasty Words

## TODAY'S VERSES:

### Acts 26:30-32

Acts 26:28-29 Acts 23:11 Acts 21:13 Acts 18:33-38 Acts 24:16 Acts 24:24-25 Acts 25:10-12 Matthew 28:19-20 1 Corinthians 1:26-31 1 Corinthians 6:11

# UPCOMING @ ELEMENT

### Pumpkin Killing May look a little different this year but we will still be handing out pumpkins. Save the date Saturday, October 24th

### **Trick or Treating**

We are making a map around our community where parents can bring kids to trick or treat. If you would like you address added, please fill out form here.

Find all links at: https://linktr.ee/ourelement



# **BIG IDEA:**

Paul bears witness to Jesus in all aspects of his life, including his trials. Paul both listens to others and speaks of God's redemption with a simple message through the detours of life. What we learn, is that we can be honest about ourselves because the Good News is that God Himself is the one who cleans us up and uses all our weakness for His Glory.

# **DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:**

How are you in your life testifying/bearing witness to the Gospel?

Ask those around you to help you take an honest assessment of your life: Ask others, if you feel comfortable, to identify what your life bears witness to in the every-day stuff of life.

How do you respond to the message that God has called you to bear witness to something bigger than yourself (Jesus) and the truth of His saving grace in all aspects of life?

### **Detours:**

What detours has God brought into your life? In what ways do you bear witness where you are?

### Simple Message:

Do you speak *and* listen as you bear witness? How is your posture towards those with more or less power than yourself?

### **Clean Conscience:**

Why is having a clean conscience between God and man so important? Can you say that you "strive always" to have a clean conscience? Is there something in your life that needs to be cleaned up by God's grace?

What does/would it look like to walk daily in God's cleansing grace?

Spend some time being honest to God and others about where you would like to be stronger at bearing witness.