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# Community Group Questions

Passage: Acts 16:1-40

To be preached: March 3, 2019

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*Directions: Answer the following Questions to the best of your ability—with prayerful thought and diligent study. Be prepared to share your answers and discuss with your Community Group. Use the back side of the paper to write down prayer requests from your group.*

#1. What seems to stand out to you about the passage? What are the most important details of what the author says?

- Why does Paul have Timothy circumcised in 16:3? How does this line up with the Jerusalem Council's request of gentile believers in 15:19-21? Why does Paul add this extra stipulation?
- How does the gospel progress in Philippi (see 16:11-40)? Is there a set program for expansion? Or is the mission entirely ad-hoc?

#2. What is the main point of the passage? Why did God include this passage in His book?

#3. How should the truth of this passage affect your life? How does God push us to live differently because of what is expressed?

#4. In what ways does the passage speak to our need?

#5. How does the passage draw us back to Jesus' work on the cross? How does Jesus seem sweeter to you because of what's written?