

# THE GOING GOSPEL

## JERUSALEM – YES OR NO?

Acts 21:1-26

Sunday, February 23, 2025

**Gospel Truth: Following Jesus may involve persuasion and pain, but always deserves top priority.**

I. The \_\_\_\_\_

Paul and his companions \_\_\_\_\_ finding other believers to see and stay with.

*Point: Believers desire to be with other believers, even when \_\_\_\_\_.*

II. The \_\_\_\_\_

Fellow believers \_\_\_\_\_ tried to persuade Paul from going to Jerusalem so that he would avoid persecution.

*Point: Sometimes believers try persuading fellow believers to \_\_\_\_\_ at all costs.*

III. The \_\_\_\_\_

Paul was \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ in Jerusalem for the name of the Lord Jesus.

*Point: When we are confident that Jesus is Lord, we are more likely to \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ serving Him.*

IV. The \_\_\_\_\_

Paul's companions eventually said, "The \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_ be done!"

*Point: All believers should say and mean, "Thy will be done" instead of "My will be done" even knowing \_\_\_\_\_ are ahead.*

V. The \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

Paul announced God's great work among the Gentiles and acted \_\_\_\_\_ to calm some Jews.

*Point: We celebrate the good things of God, and prayerfully \_\_\_\_\_ the best way to deal with concerns.*



## WORSHIP GATHERING

*"O God, Our Help In Ages Past"*

OBSERVANCE OF BELIEVER'S BAPTISM (9 & 10:30)

WELCOME & PRAYER

TESTIMONY

*"Your Will Be Done"*

PRAYER

*"His Glory And My Good"*

MESSAGE

PRAYER AND COMMITMENT

SPECIAL CALLED BUSINESS MEETING

CLOSING PRAYER

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Pastoral Staff and Personnel Committee are pleased and thankful to have **Eli Rank**, **prospective Director of Student and Collegiate Ministries**, with us today in view of a call. Eli will share his testimony during both services. Church members will vote (by ballot, without discussion) on calling him during today's special called business meeting. If called, Eli intends to start serving full-time with Park Place in May. See today's handout for more info.

The **Cambodia mission trip interest meeting** is today in Room 124 following morning worship.

If you've ever wanted to be a part of the **music ministry**, now is the perfect time to join us in preparation for our Palm Sunday Night of Worship! Rehearsals begin today at 4:00 p.m. in the sanctuary. Childcare is provided.

Everyone is encouraged to attend tonight's **Meal & Message** at 5:15 p.m. The meal will be catered by Fernando's (\$5 per meal / \$20 family max). Childcare will be available (4 and under) during the message portion.

Students, it is time to register for **Super Summer 2025!** Super Summer is a Christian leadership camp for teenagers of Southern Baptist churches across our state. Super Summer will be held on the campus of Mississippi College July 8-12. The cost is \$285. A \$50 per person deposit is due Friday, February 28.



**Attention senior adults:** the Show Time in Branson, MO trip is April 28-May 1. Pick up an information and registration form on the table near the elevator. Vacation with your Park Place family!

As part of our Acts 1:8 mission strategy to reach Rankin County and the nations, we are excited to announce our **Neighborhood Reach Event** Saturday, March 1 from 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. During this event, we'll provide you with door hangers, gift bags, a map, and instructions on how to pray for the homes and neighborhoods in our community. Your participation is crucial in making an impact - all ages needed. To sign up, please visit the Welcome Center or use the QR code. Arrive at Boatner Hall by 10:30 a.m. for a time of group prayer and instructions. Never underestimate the power of God and how He might use you in this outreach to see someone saved or get involved in church life.



All Sunday School teachers (preschool, children, students, and adults) are encouraged to attend the **SS Equip** Sunday, March 2 from 5:00-6:00 p.m. in Boatner Hall. This is an important time for all teachers to hear updates related to their SS classes. Daniel Bray will lead the training time on how to find and emphasize the Big Idea of a Bible passage. Snacks and drinks will be provided.

There will be a **Disaster Relief training day** Saturday, March 8 from 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. on the PPBC campus. Registration begins at 7:30 a.m. Lunch will be provided. All participants will complete Introduction to BC Disaster Relief Ministry. The cost is \$25 for new or renewing volunteers and \$15 for additional credential area volunteers (bring cash payment that day). Sign up at the Welcome Center or use the QR code.



## CONTRIBUTION REPORT

2/16/25

Weekly Budget Receipts	\$27,983
Weekly Budget Required	\$34,700
Giving over (under) budget	(\$6,717)
Global Impact	\$140
Construction & Renovation	\$65
Other	\$183
Total Received	\$28,371

<b>YTD Budget Needed</b>	<b>\$242,902</b>
<b>YTD Budget Received</b>	<b>\$202,247</b>

## REJOICING OVER DECISIONS MADE

This Week



Jon, Alicia, & Gabe Germany  
(Ruby & Ella Grace)

*Requesting Membership  
by Transfer of Letter &  
Baptism*



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