

# SERMON APPLICATION SHEET FOR:

Pastor Tony Felich

Staying on Mission

Acts 20:24

September 8, 2019

Sermon Text	Sermon Notes
<p><b>Acts 20:24</b> But I do not account my life of any value nor as precious to myself, if only I may finish my course and the ministry that I received from the Lord Jesus, to testify to the gospel of the grace of God. (approx. 57 AD)</p>	<p><b>The effectiveness of Paul's ministry (life) was dependent on steady clarity about His Christ-ordained, Holy-Spirit empowered mission.</b></p> <p><b>There are several universal Christian truths revealed by Paul's example:</b></p>
<p><b>Galatians 2:20</b> I have been crucified with Christ. It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me. (approx. 56 AD)</p>	<p>I. As our Savior, Christ is also our Lord who directs our life.</p> <p>II. The priority of Christ is the priority of every believer.</p>
<p><b>Philippians 3:13</b> Brothers, I do not consider that I have made it my own. But one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, [14] I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus. (approx. 61 AD)</p>	<p>III. The Christian life is filled with challenges that require constant dependence upon Christ.</p>
<p><b>Colossians 1:28</b> Him (Christ) we proclaim, warning everyone and teaching everyone with all wisdom, that we may pre-sent everyone mature in Christ. [29] For this I toil, struggling with all his energy that he powerfully works within me. (approx. 62 AD)</p>	<p><b>Memory verse for 2019-</b></p> <p>Acts 10:42-43</p> <p>[42] And he (Christ) commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one appointed by God to be judge of the living and the dead.</p> <p>[43] To him all the prophets bear witness that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.</p>

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## Sermon Application Questions

1. What was Paul's mission?
2. How do the passages from Paul demonstrate staying on mission?
3. What is the mission of Redeemer?
4. What are some distractions to our mission, personally and corporately (as a church)?
5. Discuss Paul's closing reflections on his life and ministry from 2 Timothy (67 AD)

2 Timothy 1:12–14 [12]...I am not ashamed, for I know whom I have believed, and I am convinced that he is able to guard until that day what has been entrusted to me. [13] Follow the pattern of the sound words that you have heard from me, in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. [14] By the Holy Spirit who dwells within us, guard the good deposit entrusted to you.

2 Timothy 4:6–8 [6] For I am already being poured out as a drink offering, and the time of my departure has come. [7] I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. [8] Henceforth there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will award to me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have loved his appearing.

## Prayer Requests

This week our family will lift up requests for:

This week our family will praise the Lord for:

HFG Notes & Actions:

Next HFG meeting is: