

**Series:** The Gospel of God  
**Title:** Paul, the Apostle (Part II)  
**Texts:** Romans 1.1 & Various Other Old & New Testament Texts  
**Date:** Sunday, April 29, 2018

### **For Further Study**

*(Please use on your own, with a friend, or in your small group.)*

1. As you listened to this week's sermon and read the Scripture passages, what were you convicted about? What do you believe the Holy Spirit has said to you through the Word of God? Write this down.
2. Pastor Mark spoke about the Apostle Paul praying about and living by the will of God. Read these other passages concerning the will of God and use them to guide you, asking for the will of God in your own life.

Acts 18.21; Romans 1.10, 15.32; 1 Corinthians 4.19, 16.7; Hebrews 6.3; James 4.15; and 1 Peter 3.17.

3. Do you believe God not only knows the future, He plans the future? If you do not believe this, why not? If you do believe this, how should it change how you're living right now? If possible, talk about this question with your small group, spouse, family and/or friends.
4. Read the following passages, keeping alert for the phrase "the gospel of God" or something similar. When you see it, highlight it in your Bibles.

Acts 20.24  
Romans 1.1, 9  
2 Corinthians 4.4  
2 Corinthians 9.13  
2 Corinthians 11.7  
1 Thessalonians 2.2  
1 Thessalonians 2.8 and 2.9  
2 Thessalonians 1.8  
1 Timothy 1.11

What is your response? Why do you think "the gospel of God" (or similar) is so important in the Scripture?

Share what you are learning with other Christians  
and pray for one another.