

For the week of January 15, 2017
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Being Sent

16th Week in the series *Sent: Living the Mission of the Church*

Acts 12:25-13:52

Finally, for the first time in the book of Acts, we see people being intentionally sent to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus to the world. In Acts 13, we witness Paul and Barnabas being sent out on their first missionary journey. As they do so, we learn about who sends us, what it is like to be sent, and how to do it.

Discussion Questions:

1. Have you experienced a Christian community identifying strengths in you and encouraging you to use those for kingdom purposes?
2. What have you experienced in times that you've been sent? Success? Confusion? Failure? Progress?
3. When have you felt overwhelmed by the idea of being sent? What did you do?
4. What invitations are there for you to speak into others' lives?
5. Look at the pattern of Paul's sermon in Acts 13 (Story - Jesus - Gospel - Response). How is it a helpful model for you to follow?