

## SUFFICIENT GRACE

*Acts 20:17-37*

### MAIN IDEAS FROM THIS WEEK

1. THE CHURCH IS MEANT TO BE A COMMUNITY OF TRUTH
2. THE CHURCH IS MEANT TO BE A COMMUNITY OF TEARS
3. THE CHURCH IS MEANT TO BE A COMMUNITY OF TRUST

### DISCUSSION QUESTIONS – Pick one or two of these to talk about as a group

1. What stood out to you most from this week's message? Why?
2. One of the main ideas this week was that "the church is meant to be a community of truth." What are some ways you verify if you have the truth? What is the "profit" of knowing the truth?
3. What are some things that tend to prevent us from being a "community of tears" where we are vulnerable in all areas of our lives with one another? What are some things that could help create this type of openness in our community at Severn?
4. It is very common for us to misrepresent ourselves to others instead of being vulnerable in all areas of our lives. What aspects of your life do you find it most tempting to misrepresent to others?
5. Paul trusted God so deeply that he was willing to choose a life of difficult obedience over a life of easy disobedience. Why do you think Paul was able to do this?
6. Pastor Ryan mentioned how it seems like there has been a lot of extra difficulty facing the people of our church recently. What is causing anxiety or uncertainty in your life right now?
7. **OPEN DISCUSSION:** Talk about what it really means to trust God and discuss the areas of life that you find it most difficult to trust God. You could even close this discussion with a time of prayer focused around who God is and asking Him to help us trust Him more.