Acts 28 Last Call

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## **Sermon Main Points:**

I. Excuses Removed (26): All the proof that anyone could ask to prove Jesus is the Christ has been provided.

- A. Heard: Paul passes the test to be accepted as an apostle through the fulfillment of his prophecy.
- B. Seen: Paul's preaching was accompanied with miracles to confirm it.
- II. Essential Revival (27): The only way we are ever turned to the Lord is for him to turn us to himself.
  - A. Repentance: Repentance must be granted as a gift of grace.
  - B. Faith: Faith is also a gift of grace. It is not just knowledge (assent), but rather a whole life commitment to the fact that Jesus must save you from your sins and rule your life (consent).

## **Discussion Questions**

- 1. How does God give us proof from this passage that his word can be trusted?
- 2. How does revival happen in our hearts?

## **Going Deeper**

- 1. Do you sometimes look for "additional proofs" beyond scripture that God can be trusted?
- 2. If the repentance and faith necessary for personal revival are gifts from God, how must we approach God concerning these things? How does this remove any source of pride regarding our faith? How does this increase our gratitude for salvation?