



Coastline E-Bulletin

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SUNDAY PREVIEW FROM PASTOR NEAL

There is a difference between grace and mercy. Grace is getting what we do not deserve. Mercy is not getting what we do deserve. There are times in each of our lives that we confuse mercy and grace. When I look at how I have lived my life, I see how God has given me mercy and protected me. I do not deserve the life I've been given. I don't deserve the freedom or any of the wonderful things I've been given. But still God freely gave them to me.

When we look at the apostle Paul, we see God's mercy covering his life. He used to arrest, harass and murder those who followed Christ, but still God saved him. Twenty years later, in Acts 23, Paul finds himself in prison in Jerusalem, facing persecution for his own faith. He is going to find mercy from a Roman centurion while the Jewish legalists are looking to take his life. I hope you'll join us this Sunday at 10:30 AM as we continue our study of the book of Acts.

Miss a sermon?

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40 DAYS OF PRAYER AND FASTING

This Wednesday, **February 14**, begins 40 Days of Prayer and Fasting for our God-sized vision of being a church of 400 on Easter Sunday. Would you join us as we pray that God would strengthen and encourage us and that Coastline would experience a time of peace and growth? (see Acts 9:31)

FOOD ITEM OF THE MONTH

We're collecting **tuna** for Project Understanding's Food Pantry throughout the month of February. Donations may be dropped off in the collection basket in the lobby.

2017 GIVING STATEMENTS

Contribution statements for 2017 are now available by request from our financial secretary, Dorothy Gibson. To request an electronic or printed copy of your statement, please [email her](#) or call her office (ext. 103).

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