

SUNDAY MORNING

7/12/20

Dr. Maarten Kuivenhoven

Votum and Salutation

Psalter 260:1, 4, 5, 6

Reading of the Law of God

Scripture Reading: Acts 23

Prayer

Psalter 165

Sermon Text: Acts 23:11

Gospel Rejection by the Religious (Acts Series #40)

1. *Marked by internal controversy*
2. *Heightened by deadly conspiracy*
3. *Rebuffed by protective custody*

Psalter 5:3-5 (standing)

Closing Prayer

Psalter 425:1, 2

Doxology of Praise (pg. 415)

Benediction

1. *How did Paul's former status as a Pharisee help him before the council?*

2. *What comfort did Paul receive from the Lord in the midst of trouble?
How can that encourage us in troubling times?*

3. *How does God's providence overrule the blood-thirstiness of the wicked?*

4. *Why did the religious people oppose the gospel?*

5. *How was Paul protected through all of this to fulfill God's purpose?*

Post-sermon discussion: *What discouragements or opposition have you seen or faced to the gospel? How can this account encourage you to press on in the work of the Lord?*

SUNDAY EVENING

Dr. Joel R. Beeke

Votum and Salutation

Psalter 259:1, 2, 4

Scripture Reading:

1 Thessalonians 3:11–4:8

Reading of the Westminster

Larger Catechism, Q. 60-65

Prayer

Psalter 420:3, 5

Sermon Text: 1 Thessalonians 4:7

Lord's Day 32

God's Will: Your Sanctification

- 1. The terminology of sanctification*
- 2. The necessity of sanctification*
- 3. The grace of sanctification*
- 4. The implementation of sanctification*
- 5. The applications of sanctification*

Psalter 325 (standing)

Sermon Conclusion

Closing Prayer

Psalter 266

Doxology (Psalter 196)

Benediction

1. *What is the basic biblical and theological terminology for sanctification?*

2. *Why is sanctification essential?*

3. *How is sanctification built on Trinitarian grace, and why is that necessary?*

4. *How does the Holy Spirit implement sanctification in a believer?*

5. *List half a dozen practical applications that flow out of this precious doctrine of sanctification.*