

Preaching the Gospel  
Romans 10:8-17

Review:

1. In order to be saved, people need to put their trust in Jesus, relying on His atoning sacrifice, and bowing the knee to Him as Lord.
2. In order to trust in Jesus, people need to know more about Him – about His sacrificial death and the truth of His Resurrection.
3. In order to know about Jesus, people need to hear His story, the truth about Him contained in the Scriptures, as well as the promises He has made to those who trust in Him.

Go Further: Read Isaiah 55:1-13

1. In verses 1-2, what does God say is the price we must pay for His blessings?
2. What does God invite us to do in verse 3? What promise does He make to us?
3. Who do you think is the witness, the leader, and the commander God is talking about in verse 4? How has this prophecy already come true?
4. In verse 5, God says that the good news is for all nations. How has that prophecy been fulfilled in the coming of Christ?
5. Verses 6 and 7 summarize how we are to respond to the good news in repentance. What do these verses say are the components of repentance?
6. In verse 7, what promise does God make to those who come to Him?
7. How does God compare His thoughts and ours in verses 8 and 9? If we did not know the Gospel, what thoughts might we have about the best way to “get right” with God?
8. What does God promise about His Word in verses 10 and 11? How can this promise give hope and assurance to those who try to spread the Gospel?
9. Look at the beautiful promises in verses 12 and 13. Which of these do you think have already been fulfilled in the coming of Christ? Which will be fulfilled at His second coming?

Apply:

1. Who do you know who needs to hear about Jesus’ saving work and His plan of salvation?
2. Who do you know who needs to be reminded of Jesus’ welcome for sinners and His loving promises?
3. What can you do to build your relationship with these people so that they will be willing to hear the good news from you?