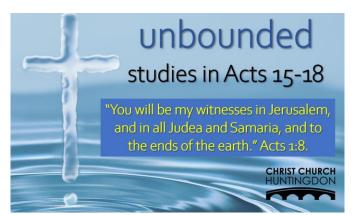
# Dig Deeper Acts 18:1-17 for lifegroups/personal study ...



The passage describes how God, Paul, & Paul's amazing co-workers formed an unstoppable mission partnership in Corinth. As CCH explores how to share the good news of Jesus with our neighbours, let's be encouraged by our amazing set of coworkers. Let's be encouraged to persevere in sharing the good news of Jesus; whether or not it bears fruit, and whether or not we face opposition & abuse. Safe in knowledge that God is with us, and that God is sovereign (God's will, will be done).

### Read the passage

Chance for questions and comments

## Group reflection

Discuss the amazing co-workers in Corinth (& CCH?) with possible reference to a few bible verses:

- Paul Acts 8:1-3, Acts 9:15, Acts 18:4,5,11
- Priscilla & Aquilla Acts 18:2-3, 26, Romans 16:3-5
- Timothy & Silas 1 Peter 5:12, Acts 15:22 & 32, Phillipians 2:19-23

NB "Co-workers" or "fellow workers" in 1 Corinthians 3:9 is a translation of the Greek word "synergoi"

## Questions

- Ezekiel 33:1-6 Do you agree that we "watchmen" responsible for 'warning' people about the coming of Jesus? Is this an encouragement to you in your evangelism?
- Acts 18:9-10
  - Is the promise that *"no one is going to attack and harm you"* a promise just for Paul?
  - What is meant by *"because I have many people in this city,"* and might this be an encouragement to us in our evangelism?

## Personal reflection (and then discussion?)

- Do you need co-workers to come alongside you to support you in your ministry?
- How you might more intentionally support the ministry of others?
- What do you think this means in terms of our weekly service at church?

## Resources...

- **NEW** Awesome map of Acts with today's cities overlaid. <u>here</u>.
- Click <u>here</u> for the CCH co-workers document!

