

You Can Know God

Acts 17:16-34

	HCIS 17.10-34
Bobby Blakey ~ September 25 & 26, 2021 ~ The Book Of Acts #35	 22 So Paul, standing in the midst of the Areopagus, said: "Men of Athens, I perceive that in every way you are very religious. 23 For as I passed along and observed the objects of your worship, I found also an altar with this inscription: 'To the unknown god.' What therefore you worship as unknown, this I proclaim to you. 24 The God who made the world and
1 (v2	 4-28) everything in it, being Lord of heaven and earth, does not live in temples made by man, 25 nor is he served by human hands, as though he needed anything, since he himself gives to all mankind life and breath and everything. 26 And he made from one man every nation of mankind to live on all the face of the earth, having determined allotted periods and the boundaries of their dwelling place, 27 that they should seek God, and perhaps feel their way toward him and find him. Yet he is actually not far from
2 (v29-	9-30) "In him we live and move and have our being';
	as even some of your own poets have said, "For we are indeed his offspring."
3 (v3	 29 Being then God's offspring, we ought not to think that the divine being is like gold or silver or stone, an image formed by the art and imagination of man. 1-34) 30 The times of ignorance God overlooked, but now he commands all people everywhere to repent, 31 because he has fixed a day on which he will judge the world in righteousness by a man whom he has appointed; and of this he has given assurance to all by raising him from the dead." (ESV)

Application Questions:

#1. Read Acts 17:16-34. What stood out to you from Paul's time alone in Athens?

#2. **Read Jeremiah 9**:**23-24.** What does it look like for you to boast that you know the Lord? Are there other things you are tempted to boast about besides him?

#3. What does it look like for you to seek God? Can you say you are doing it with all of your heart?

#4. What Scripture would you use to share with someone they need to repent?

Can you find a Scripture that says why God wants them to repent?

#5. If the resurrection is the theme of the preaching in Acts, when was the last time you shared with someone how Jesus rose from the dead?

When was the last time you thought about what the resurrection means to you?

Next Weekend: Acts 18:1-11 ~ Paul goes to Corinth

LAST WEEK OF READING THE PSALMS

Pick up your Calendar for reading Proverbs in the 31 days of October!



Monday ~ Psalm 142-143

Tuesday ~ Psalm 144-145

Wednesday ~ Psalm 146-147

Thursday ~ Psalm 148-150

Friday ~ Proverbs 1

Saturday ~ Proverbs 2