

Obedient To Our



“The Church Alive: Walking the Walk”

Heavenly Calling

Acts 20:1-12
PART 51

INTRODUCTION

- keeping the main thing the main thing

1. Hearing the Word of God

- the ministry of putting the Word on the plate & palate

- speaking and writing Scripture

2. Giving to the people of God

- the relief effort for the poor in Jerusalem

1 Cor. 16:1-3; 2 Cor. 8:4

3. Serving with integrity

- Paul's *'plan B'* from Corinth

- those in Paul's company

- + a display of unity and spiritual indebtedness

Rom. 15:25-27

2 Cor. 8:16-20

4. Worshiping corporately

- Paul's renewed haste

- worship in the church at Troas
 - a. meeting on Sunday

Ex. 31:16-17; Ezk. 20:12

b. observing the sacraments

c. preaching the Word

CONCLUSION

“My life is governed by this rule: anything that dims my vision of Christ or takes away my taste for Bible study or cramps my prayer life or makes Christian work difficult is wrong for me, and I must, as a Christian, turn away from it.”

– J. Wilbur Chapman