Sermon Discussion Questions
Idols Confronted
Acts 19:21-41

ROOTED in the Word

1) *Why do you think Luke records that the crowd shouted, "Great is Artemis of the Ephesians!" for nearly two hours? What does this reveal about the nature of idolatry?*

2) *What does this passage teach us about the power of Christ compared to the idols people trust in?*

GROWING in Grace

1) *The sermon described the human heart as an "idol factory." What are some modern idols that Christians can be tempted to trust instead of God?*

2) *Why is it often difficult to recognize our own idols?*

3) *What practical steps can help us keep Christ at the center of our affections rather than allowing lesser things to become ultimate things?*

REACHING Others with Christ

1) *The Gospel transformed Ephesus dramatically. What would it look like for the Gospel to have that kind of influence in our community today?*

Family Challenge

1) *Ask:* What thing in life, if it were taken away, would make it difficult for you to trust God?

2) *Identify:* Which of these things might be an idol?

3) *Pray:* Refocus your heart on the Lord, and trust in Jesus' victory over your idols!