

# Historic White Marsh Church

July 9, 2023

Prelude Marjorie Lampkin - Pianist

**Hymn ~ 747 Sunshine in My Soul**

Welcome and Announcements

**Hymn ~ 208 Let the Redeemed**

Scripture Reading

Prayer

**Hymn ~ 45 Crown Him with Many Crowns**

Sermon

**Hymn ~ 480 Only Trust Him**

Benediction & Postlude

***Membership:** If you are interested in becoming a member of Historic White Marsh Church, please talk to Rev. Wes Hall.*

**Tithes & Offerings** Please use the wooden offering box or mail your offering to: PO Box 24, Lancaster, VA 22503. Thank you!

*Historic White Marsh Church is an independent, Bible believing, teaching, and Christ-loving Bible Church. We are made up of Christians from diverse backgrounds, who are going to the same place (heaven) because of Jesus Christ our Savior.*

**Board Meeting:** Tuesday, July 11 at 1:00 PM

**Friendship Fellowship today:** Please come and enjoy some ice cream and fellowship after the worship service.

## Historic White Marsh Church

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**Sunday Worship: 11:00 AM Thursday Bible Study: 6:00 PM**

## THINGS THAT GLORIFY GOD

### During Times of Hardship and Persecution

Acts 16:19-40

#### 1. SUFFERING FOR CHRIST V. 19-24

Paul and Silas suffered pain and agony for Christ. It is a privilege and honor to suffer for Christ's sake. How do you respond when people mistreat you?

#### 2. PRAISE V. 25

During a very, very difficult day, Paul and Silas prayed and sang praises unto God.

#### 3. A NEW LIFE IN CHRIST V. 26-34

A Roman jailor who almost committed suicide heard about Jesus and believed on Him. The jailor's family also responded to the gospel.

#### 4. GOD'S DELIVERANCE V. 35-40

After God's purpose for Paul and Silas being in jail was completed, God brought them out of jail.

Wes Hall

### Study Questions on Acts 16:9-40

1. What happened that caused Paul and Silas to be persecuted?
2. How did Paul and Silas suffer? How can suffering for Christ bring glory to God?
3. How did Paul and Silas show that nothing could stop their praise to God? How do you think you might do in such a situation? What would be the likely response be to such persecution and suffering? How does your praising God help you in times of trouble?
4. How likely would an escape be in Paul and Silas' circumstance outside of a miracle? What was the miracle that took place?
5. How did God save the keeper of the prison?
6. What did jailor need to do to be saved?
7. Who had the privilege to hear the gospel besides the jailor?
8. What did the jailor and his family do after believing on Jesus Christ?
9. How did the new believers show kindness to Paul and Silas?