



Summary of Sermon

Pastor Steve spoke about breaking ground, especially in the area of sharing the good news.

Paul and his ministry team made a difference wherever they went (Matthew 5 .13-16). In Acts 16.11-34 are three examples of different circumstances in which they were able to salt and light in the earth and people were saved and delivered as a result.

Steve concluded:

- That people who are transformed by encountering Jesus bring transformation
- Embrace the lifestyle and being and becoming a blessing
- Recognise and take the opportunity to speak the good news of Jesus.

Questions

1. Do Christians need further transformation? If so, why and how?
2. People used to say “Pick yourself up” and “Pull yourself together”
How does the God’s approach to transformation differ from that?
What does Paul and Silas’s example show us?
3. In which ways do you encounter God?
4. Obligation, debt, submission and being a servant are seen as things to avoid by the world.
But in relation to Jesus they take a very different form. How can we help unbelievers to overcome any anxiety they might have about committing their life to Jesus?