Welcome to SPC Kids Corner!

May 8, 2022

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY

Today, we'll be discussing Acts 16:16 - 34, Paul and Silas in prison

- Read along with the text, and take a look at the activity pages! Don't forget your crayons!
- For those worshiping in-person, we will meet in the parlor after the Word with Children for crafts, activities, and exploration.
- (Weather Permitting) Delayed from last week, we will be taking a walk around SMPC to see all of the new growth we will "tend" this Spring. We may even find evidence of a Farm or Orchard from years past! We will also be finishing up our special projects!
- If you are unable to be with us in person, but would like a "craft kit" with materials and instructions for our Mother's Day project sent to you, please contact Blair Baldwin (blairbaldwin@southminsterpc.org)!
- Finally... we would LOVE to see any at-home participation! Please send any photos you would like to share in the slideshow to David Kozich at kozichd1@gmail.com

Have Fun, and Happy Sunday!

Blair B.



Acts 16:16 - 34 (NRSV)

Paul and Silas in Prison

16 One day, as we were going to the place of prayer, we met a slave-girl who had a spirit of divination and brought her owners a great deal of money by fortune-telling. 17 While she followed Paul and us, she would cry out, "These men are slaves of the Most High God, who proclaim to you a way of salvation." 18 She kept doing this for many days. But Paul, very much annoyed, turned and said to the spirit, "I order you in the name of Jesus Christ to come out of her." And it came out that very hour.



19 But when her owners saw that their hope of making money was gone, they seized Paul and Silas and dragged them into the marketplace before the authorities. 20 When they had brought them before the magistrates, they said, "These men are disturbing our city; they are Jews 21 and are advocating customs that are not lawful for us as Romans to adopt or observe." 22 The crowd joined in attacking them, and the magistrates had them stripped of their clothing and ordered them to be beaten with rods. 23 After they had given them a severe flogging, they threw them into prison and ordered the jailer to keep them securely. 24 Following these instructions, he put them in the innermost cell and fastened their feet in the stocks.

25 About midnight Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns to God, and the prisoners were listening to them. **26** Suddenly there was an earthquake, so violent that the foundations of the prison were shaken;

and immediately all the doors were opened and everyone's chains were unfastened. 27 When the jailer woke up and saw the prison doors wide open, he drew his sword and was about to kill himself, since he supposed that the prisoners had escaped. 28 But Paul shouted in a loud voice, "Do not harm yourself, for we are all here." 29 The jailer called for lights, and rushing in, he fell down trembling before Paul and Silas. 30 Then he brought them outside and said, "Sirs, what must I do to be saved?" 31 They answered, "Believe on the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved, you and your household." 32 They spoke the word of the Lord of him and to all who were in his house. 33 At the same hour of the night he took them and washed their wounds; then he and his entire family were baptized without delay. 34 He brought them up into the house and set food before them; and he and his entire household rejoiced that he had become a believer in God.



Help Paul and Silas get from prison to the feast!

Mother's Day Adventures

Find all of the words that remind you of mom!

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