Bold Preaching
Text: 1 Corinthians 2:1-5
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BIG IDEA: Bold preaching is all about Jesus, so we must believe He is enough

Bold Preaching - Unapologetic exposition and application of the word of God.

a) How has bold preaching had an impact on your life?

Paul reminds them of….

The **Message** of Bold Preaching (v.1-2)

a) Read v.1-2. Why did Paul remind the church of his time with them?
b) When you first heard the Gospel, how was it communicated to you?
c) How has your understanding of the Gospel changed since then?
d) Why is it critical that we believe that Jesus will always be enough?

The **Power** of Bold Preaching (v.3-4)

a) How does knowing the Holy Spirit is at work shift our response...
    i) When you don't feel like you can actually share?
    ii) When you don't know the answer to a question?
    iii) When someone is hurt after you have shared the gospel?
    iv) When you are frustrated, and want to defend what you said?
    v) When you are sharing with someone who has hurt you?
b) What are some verses that can encourage you as you trust in the power of the Holy Spirit?

The **Result** of Bold Preaching (v.5)

a) How do we know if we are seeing the results of bold preaching?
b) What is one story of how the preaching of God's word has grown your faith?

Prayer Application:

Take time to pray from this passage as a group…

- Pray that we would continue to preach the word of God boldly.
- Pray for dependence on the Spirit's power as we preach.
- Pray that God would keep our faith resting in His power.
- Pray for those who don't yet know Jesus.

Memory Verse:

"For I decided to know nothing among you except Jesus Christ and him crucified."
1 Corinthians 2:2