# York St Small Groups Sermon Based Studies

SUNDAY 29th August 2021

The Courage Acts 27



These studies are designed to be explored after hearing the Sunday sermon and to be accompanied by a time of prayer/sharing.

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# **GETTING STARTED**

**Q1.** Describe a time when you have needed courage to do something.

**Q2.** Describe a time when you have lost or found it hard to have courage.

### INTO THE WORD

#### Read Acts 28:1-6

**Q3.** The people name Paul as a murderer. The irony of this story is that Paul had killed people, rounding up Jesus' followers before he met Jesus himself. But in Jesus we are a new creation, the old is gone. Paul shook the snake off and had no ill effect from the snake or the words spoken over him. What words and labels have been given to you that you need to shake off?

**Q4.** GOD says a number of TRUTHS about you. Write down as many as you can remember.

# **GOING DEEPER**

#### Read Acts 27:21-32

**Q5.** Escaping a shipwrecked boat doesn't seem like such a bad idea. Why was it important the men stay on the boat?

**Q6.** What 'life-boats' are you holding on to that may prevent you from fully putting your trust in God?

## **Pray**

Spend some time together sharing what you may be struggling with in this current season of your life, and then praying for each other.