

The Book of Acts

This Week:

Lesson: Second to Third Mission Journey

Scripture: Acts 19

Next Week:

Homework Scripture Read: I Corinthians

Celebration of Easter Sunday Mark 16:1-8

Lesson Text:

Acts 19:1-7 More disciples of John the Baptist
Acts 19:8-10 Thrown out again, 2 Years in “Asia”
Writes I Corinthians
Acts 19:11-17 Healings and Exorcism
Acts 19:18-20 Victory over witchcraft
Acts 19:21-22 Sending ahead into Macedonia
(Philippi, Thessalonica, Athens, Corinth)
Acts 19:23-41 Demetrius’ riot

Discussion:

- Geographically locate all cities named
- Note the 2 years spent in Ephesus as the time of the writing of I Corinthians
- Discuss the reality of demons and witchcraft
- Note 50,000 drachmas = 137 year’s wages or 5 ½ M\$, today’s economy¹

¹ Equating a piece of silver or drachma to a day’s wage, and then basing a year on 2008 ave. US annual income of \$40,000