# The Triumphant Gospel Confronts Worldly Power (Acts 12:1-25) – May 9, 2021

**1) The hand of God will rescue those who serve the gospel and punish those who suppress it.**

**We need to:  
a) Trust God’s sovereign choice over the life and death of His saints.  
b) Pray continually with faith for God to accomplish His gospel purposes.**

**2) Ultimate reality is determined by the presence and work of God who furthers His gospel in the face of persecutions.**

**We need to:  
a) Share testimonies of God’s work with each other.  
b) Continue to preach the gospel to the lost.**