“Make Straight the Way of the Lord”

*1 Thessalonians 2:1-12*

Sermon Outline

Big Idea — Our conduct in evangelism can either greatly impede or commend the gospel, yet God himself is the ultimate basis for our confidence in His gospel.

**Introduction: Make Straight Paths for the Gospel**

Key Reference — Acts 17:1-10, 1 Thessalonians 3:6 1 Peter 2:9

**Wrong Approach to Evangelism (vs. 1-6)**

Key References — (Galatians 1:10), Romans 3:23

**Right Heart in Evangelism (vs. 7-12a)**

Key Reference — 1 John 3:16, 1 John 4:19, Romans 5:8, Galatians 1:8, 2 Corinthians 11:13-14

**Divine Basis for Evangelism (vs. 12b)**

Key References — 2 Corinthians 5:18-20

**Conclusion: Evangelizing Ourselves**

Key References — Psalm 2:10-12