

Acts of the Apostles / Bread for the Storm

Week of February 8, 2026

Acts 27:1–35

- **Presence** — God is with His people even when they lose control and direction.
- **Provision** — God gives what is needed for the journey, often before deliverance comes.
- **Promise** — God’s word remains true, even when circumstances are overwhelming.

**Sermon Notes:**

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**Prayer Prompt:**

Ask God to help you trust His presence in uncertainty. Pray for eyes to see His provision when you feel weary. Ask for confidence in His promises, even when the outcome is unknown.

**Understanding the Text**

- **Presence** — How does this passage challenge the idea that God’s will always feels safe or predictable?
- **Provision** — God sustains the people on the ship before the storm ends. Why is it important that nourishment comes before rescue?
- **Promise** — Paul says, “I believe God.” What does this teach us about faith when fear remains and circumstances do not change?

**For Further Consideration and Application**

- Where are you currently experiencing a loss of control? How does Acts 27 speak to that place?
- Paul becomes a steady presence for others in the storm. Who might God be calling you to encourage or strengthen this week?
- How does remembering Christ’s sacrifice at the Lord’s Table give you strength for the journey ahead?