

New Life Christian Fellowship

You only have to watch recent news to see how anger can consume and destroy people.

Meet Saul, a thorough bread Jew, a member of the Pharisees, who demanded strict obedience to the Jewish law. (Acts Chapter 9).

When the first followers of Jesus shared "The Good News" about Jesus love for all, many of the Jewish leaders raged with anger. Saul was one of them, he went : "...everywhere to destroy the church. He went from house to house, dragging out both men and women to throw them into prison...Meanwhile, (on his way to Damascus) Saul was uttering threats with every breath and was eager to kill the Lord's followers. .."

How did Saul go from this, to this?: "Saul stayed with the believers in Damascus for a few days. And immediately he began preaching about Jesus in the synagogues, saying, "He is indeed the Son of God!"

Saul met Jesus.

Jesus makes all the difference. Saul's was blinded by hatred and compelled by anger. Jesus stopped Saul on his path of destruction, asking "Why are you persecuting me?" Physically blinded, Saul started to follow Jesus directions, he was filled with God's Spirit and the scales fell from his eyes.

This is what God said to Christians afraid of Saul: "Saul is my chosen instrument to take my message to the Gentiles and to kings, as well as to the people of Israel. And I will show him how much he must suffer for my name's sake."

Saul, renamed Paul, took a new direction. He was filled with, and followed, God's Spirit. He lived in love. He gave his life to share God's Good News. Once he had met Jesus, no-one could stop him from telling everyone he met about him!

Jesus changes lives.

If you feel angry, disappointed or dismayed don't follow the path of destruction, look to Jesus. He can set you free today.

New Life Christian Fellowship meet in Kilgetty Community Centre, 10.45am on Sundays.

Please call if you want someone to talk to or pray for you: 01834 831533 / 07827 293781