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Center Point Baptist Church
“The Power of the Gospel”
Romans 1:1-6; 16-17
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Introduction of Paul

1. Paula a servant of Jesus Christ
2. Called to be an apostle
3. Called and separated unto the Gospel
4. Verse 6 – Paul tells the Roman Christian that they are servants of Jesus and called of Jesus

- I. What is this Gospel of Jesus Christ?
 - A. Fulfilled prophecy
 - B. Incarnation into flesh
 - C. Life, work, and atoning death of Jesus
 - D. The power and proof in the resurrection
 - E. The promise of power to become God’s son – John 1:12
 - F. The promise of Jesus – John 6:17
- II. The Gospel of Jesus provides.
 - A. Grace for all who humble themselves before Him
 - B. Cleansing from all sins
 - C. Power to live a new life
 - D. Power for the special calling He give each of us
 - E. A calling that will give purpose to life
 1. Paul spells out his calling but reminds them that they all have a calling
 2. We all have a calling to share the Gospel
 - a. Some to preach
 - b. Some to be missionaries
 - c. Some to religious education
 - d. Some to youth work
 - e. Some to music

f. All called to live the life of the redeemed and to be a vocal witness

III. There is just as much power in the Gospel of Jesus Christ today as there ever was.

A. The power that changed Saul of Tarsus into Paul the apostle can change you

B. Jesus can give purpose to your life

C. Will you receive Jesus and know this power of God?