

MAKING ROOM FOR MORE PEOPLE TO MEET JESUS LIFE GROUP APPLICATION

Scripture: Acts 2:42-47

Our theme is living as a witness of Jesus Christ, being someone who shares Christ intentionally not just occasionally. We are discussing how the early church saw the Lord add to the church daily those being saved. They had favor with their city and were filled with a power that supernaturally drew people to know Christ.

Questions for Application

1. Who had the biggest influence on you coming to Christ? What was it about them that impacted you?

2. Satan tempts us in lots of ways to keep our light hidden. What is one way that you have felt hesitant or intimidated about sharing your faith?
 - a. Feeling like you didn't have the courage or ability to start a conversation
 - b. Reminding you of past mistakes and making you feel unworthy
 - c. Feeling convinced that no one would listen to you
 - d. Being concerned or afraid of embarrassment or rejection

3. We are most effective in leading people to Christ as a team. Preaching the gospel doesn't just happen from the pulpit; playing on the worship team could be a part of the way the whole church preaches the gospel. Describe a way you feel your God given gifts, fully utilized, could help our team win people to the Lord?

4. Prayer is key to reaching people for Christ because it releases the presence and power of God in people's lives. Was there someone praying for you to accept Christ? Is there someone on your heart that God wants you to pray into the Kingdom?

How could you pray and follow the Spirit to see the power of God work through you to draw people to Christ?

- a. Asking God for a prompting or whisper of who He wants you to reach out to?
 - b. Asking the Holy Spirit for a word of encouragement or revelation to share with a person, that would draw them to God?
 - c. Asking for opportunities to pray for people outside the church who need healing?
-
5. What is a strategic way you could see yourself or this group loving people to Christ and establishing favor in our community?
 - a. Offering practical acts of service in our community
 - b. Having a party for people who don't normally come to church, letting them experience the love of our group
 - c. Looking past labels, faults, and differences to reach out to build positive relationships with people
 - d. Looking for the one God might want you to reach out to
 - e. Becoming more familiar with the gospel and how to share the gospel message
 - f. Being ready to share your/our story with friends