

January 19, 2025

Good Church: Good Groups (Hebrews 10:22-25, Acts 2:42-47)

Good Groups grow a confident faith full of action! Warmup: What made the early church so appealing to others?

READ Hebrews 10:19-24, Acts 2:42-47

- After reading the passage in Hebrews, there are four directives given. List them below. Which one of these is your favorite way to receive encouragement?
- What additional characteristics of faith do you note in the Acts 2 passage?
- In what ways did God bless the Acts 2 church?
- What is God revealing?

REFLECT

- What does it mean to "hold unwaveringly" to the hope we confess?
- In reference to the above questions, when do you find yourself loosening your grip? When do you hold tightly to hope?
- (smaller group) Ask the people next to you the following questions: "Are you a person who appreciates a stirring of faith or a spurring?" When you've experienced a stirring or spurring, what happened what was the result?
- (smaller group) What stirs your faith? In your group of 3 or 4 take a few minutes to share stories of when your faith was stirred.

RESPOND

- After reading these passages of Scripture and listening to the faith stirring stories of your friends, take 2 minutes to journal on the back side of this paper what the Holy Spirit is stirring within you.
- How is the Holy Spirit asking you to respond?
- What is your plan for follow-through? How do you expect God to work in your response?

Our God is faithful to multiply our efforts as we hold tightly to our LORD Jesus. Amen.

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