United in Prayer and Possession

Small Group Questions



The following questions are intended to start conversations.
Use only the ones your group finds helpful. Explore others as they come up.

Read Acts 4: 23-37

- Recount a time when you were in on the ground floor of a new venture, what that was like and how that made you feel.
- Put yourself in the place of the new followers of Jesus. What would it have been like to be part of that community? What would you have loved? Is there anything you would have found difficult?
- The community gathered to pray. What is your experience of praying together as a group? What have you liked about that or what has been done well? What could be done differently or better?
- Do you find yourself struggling with fear in some area of your life? Have you ever prayed to ask God to help you be fearless? If yes, tell a story of what happened when you did.
- Your identity matters deeply to the way you will see the world and live your life. Take time
 to describe what you believe the root of your identity is. Do you find it easy/difficult to live
 out of that identity?
- Have you ever been part of a community that shared their goods in an "uncommon way"?
 If yes, what was that like. Do you have a sense of what might stop people from being willing to share what they have with others?
- What would you assess is the most costly thing to you? Do you find being generous with that easy or hard? Take time to talk about this together.
- It is the Spirit of God who propels us forward to be like Jesus. Spend time praying, offering
 yourself to God and asking for whatever filling you need. Pray also for our community, that
 we would be as energetic in our care for each other and for the witness to Jesus that this
 provides.