

Cliff Notes Discussion Questions

Week of 4/12/26 WildFire The Unstoppable Power of the Holy Spirit

Acts 2: 1 – 18

Below are questions for both the sermon message and the passage. Pick and discuss whatever ones speak to you and your group!

General Reflection Questions

1. 1. What stood out to you most from this Scripture or sermon, and why?
 - a. Was there a word, phrase, or image that caught your attention?
 - b. Did anything feel encouraging, confusing, or challenging?
2. How do you think you would have reacted if you were there when the spirit was poured out at Pentecost? Amazed? Skeptical? Scared?
3. Why do you think God chose to send us the Holy Spirit, to write the law on our hearts rather than the external tablets? Think about what the religious leaders had done to God's original law. What does that mean for our lives today?
4. Why do you think people sometimes have a hard time sharing God's message? Intimidation? Feelings of inadequacy? Worry?
 - a. What fears, doubts, or barriers keep people from fully trusting God?
 - b. What about you – what gets in the way of sharing God's message with others?
5. Can you think of a time when you sensed God prompting you to act—or to wait? What made it easy or hard to respond?
6. In what areas of life is it hardest to rely on the Holy Spirit instead of yourself? Where do you feel most tempted to rely on your own strength?
7. How might God be inviting you to use your gifts right now?
 - What fears or distractions hold you back?
8. What is one next step God might be inviting you to take this week?
 - It doesn't have to be big—what's one small, faithful step?
 - How can the group support or pray for you?

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Scripture Questions

1. How does this passage challenge the way you currently live or think?
 - Does it challenge your comfort, priorities, or assumptions?
2. What does this passage teach us about God's character?
 - What does it reveal about God's power, patience, or love?
 - Which aspect of God feels most meaningful to you right now
3. Why do you think the Holy Spirit first came in a communal setting rather than to individuals alone?
 - What does this suggest about God's design for the Church?
4. The crowd heard the disciples speaking in their own languages (Acts 2:6–11).
 - What does this reveal about God's heart for people?
 - How does this shape the way we think about sharing faith today?
5. Some people were amazed, while others mocked (Acts 2:12–13). Why do you think people responded so differently?
 - How do we see similar reactions to faith today?
6. In Peter's explanation (Acts 2:14–18), what stands out to you about God's promise to pour out His Spirit on "all people"?
 - What encouragement or challenge does that bring to you personally?