

DISCUSSION GUIDE

THE STORYLINE | EVERYDAY LOOKING CHURCH
OCTOBER 14/15

ACTS 2:42-47

FOR STARTERS

1. Looking back at your notes from this week's teaching, was there anything that particularly caught your attention, challenged you or raised questions?
2. What did you like to pretend to be or what toys did you play with as a child?
3. Why do you think people are skeptical of church or don't see the need for going to church?

DIGGING IN

1. Read Acts 2:36-41. Who were the people that made up the first church?
2. What does the word "devotion" mean? What did the people of the first church devote themselves to? Acts 2:42-47
3. Read Genesis 12:1-3; Isaiah 42:6-7; Acts 1:4-8. Why does what this first church did matter today?

BRINGING IT HOME

1. The church was defined this past weekend as, "God's people living out the mission of Jesus in everyday life." What are your thoughts on this definition? Do you think this supports or goes against how people typically view/understand church? Why or why not?
2. As a corporate body, but also as an individual member of the body, what do you think it means for the church to:

Look Upward:

Look Inward:

Look Around:

Look Outward:

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MESSAGE NOTES

Belonging to a small group is a great way to grow spiritually. If you would like to join a group or get more information, contact Deanna Wheeler at dwheeler@doorcreekchurch.org