The JOURNEYMEN

"We are journeying unto the place of which the LORD said,
I will give it to you: come with us, and we will do you good..."
-- Numbers 10:29

Book Study #2 ACTS — Acts 2:13-3:10

Peter Addresses the Crowd – The Fellowship of the Believers – Peter Heals the Crippled Beggar

Before we begin this journey...

1. How would you feel just before getting up to speak to a large group of people?
2. What possessions do you have that you enjoy sharing with others?
3. What do you remember about a time when you were very sick or hurt?

Do Some Research and Mapping...

4. What did Peter say about Jesus of Nazareth? (2:22-24)
5. How did Peter explain Christ's work as Messiah? (2:25-35)
6. How did the hearers respond to Peter's words? (2:37)
7. What were the activities of the early church? (2:42)
8. What unusual deeds did the apostles do? (2:43)
9. How did people respond to what was going on? (2:43)
10. Why did the crippled man spend every day at the gate called Beautiful? (3:2)
11. What did the beggar do when he saw Peter and John approaching? (3:3)
12. What did Peter say to the beggar? (3:4-6)

Sort, Organize, Discuss, Understand...

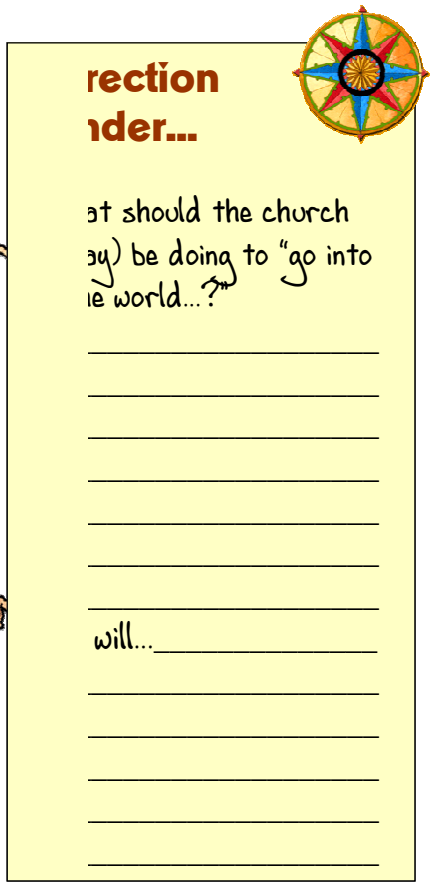
13. How were you challenged to become a believer?
14. How can you challenge others to follow Christ?
15. How do you think your church should be more like the early church?
16. In what ways should your church be different from the early church?

17. What specific attitudes toward the weak and needy need to change before God can effectively use a person to help them?
18. What do you have to offer to others who are disabled or in need?

Application for this week...

19. How can you prepare your friends and neighbors for the news that Christ can change their lives?
20. What can you do to help your church be more like the early church?

21. How can you be prepared to help a person in need this week?



A prayer for your journey… *"Lord Jesus, as I walk through this coming week, help me prepare for my journey by reading my Bible more regularly, seeking help as I need it from my Christian friends and focusing on the needs of others instead of myself. Help me to demonstrate my faith by stepping into the unknown, untried, and untested areas of my life."* *-Amen*