## The Amazing Acts of the Holy Spirit Continue Small Group Study January 23, 2022: Acts 10:1-23 Peter's Vision of God's Heart

What dream (or nightmare) has inspired (or haunted) you?

Read Acts 10:1-8. How would you describe Cornelius? Since he is part of an occupying army, what is unusual about him? How does the way he lived his life challenge you?

What do you notice about Cornelius' encounter with the angel?

Read 10:9-23. As a child, what foods did you refuse to eat? What foods do you still dislike today?

Look at Leviticus 11:4-7, 13-19, and 29-30. With these restrictions, how do you think Peter felt when he heard the voice ordering him to eat these animals? Why was it repeated 3 times?

What would the command given in verse 15 have meant to Peter? How does it fit with the story of Cornelius?

How do you think Peter felt when the men sent by Cornelius showed up?

What do you think keeps you from reaching out to people who are different from you? How would others around you feel if you moved beyond those limits?

What new relationships has God given you recently? How has he brought these people into your life? How have you influenced each other?