## The Amazing Acts of the Holy Spirit Small Group Study

October 17, 2021: Acts 5:12-16 Signs and Wonders

What are you most grateful for about our congregation or this group?

How did the first believers experience the power of Christian community? (see Acts 4:32-37)

What do you make of the story about Ananias and Sapphira (5:1-11)? What's the difference between healthy and unhealthy fear?

Read 5:12-16. How did more and more people come to faith? Why do you think most of them were afraid to join the apostles in Solomon's Portico on the temple grounds?

What do street signs do? How does that connect with the "signs" that were being done by the Holy Spirit through the apostles? What was the result of these signs?

In what ways do people often want to see "signs" from God? Take a look at Matthew 15:1-4. What were the Pharisees looking for? What sign did Jesus give instead? (see Jonah 1:17-2:5, 10)

What does the writer of the Gospel of John say about the purpose of the signs that Jesus did? (see John 20:30-31)

What "signs and wonders" have you witnessed? What impact have they had on your faith?

Describe a time you experienced a sense of awe and wonder at what God has done. Give thanks together for the wondrous ways God is at work in our world today.