

We exist to connect people to the life-changing power of Jesus Christ.

1. Gods awesome power was displayed through the hands of the apostles.
2. When the Holy Spirit moves, lives are changed.
3. We will face persecution for our faith, but rejoice for it brings blessing.
4. We must remain steadfast to fulfill the desires of the Holy Spirit.
5. God is faithful to see us through every circumstance.
6. Continue to pray for the return of the miraculous.

Discuss how we can make that happen in our everyday life. And as a church.

Suggested Discussion Questions

1. Think through the Old Testament. Who else faced persecution for obeying the Lord?
2. How would you have responded to the persecution they faced? Do you think you could rejoice for being persecuted for your faith?
3. How do you think the world would respond if they would witness a similar healing movement that happened in ACTS 5?
4. The events in ACTS 5 are truly epic. How can these events relate to the church today?
5. What will your epic story look like? The definition of epic says "legendary." Billy Graham passed this week and many refer to him as a legend in the evangelistic community. God calls us all to different callings. Are we corporately and individually fulfilling his epic purpose in our lives?
6. Discuss, repeat together and memorize our newly edited mission statement.