

Small Group Questions | April 23rd, 2017

Serving a Movement: 4/23: Movement and Its Beginning (Acts 2:1-24)

Sermon Recap: Travis opened the series speaking on the beginning of the movement from Acts on the day of Pentecost. He presented four pictures we should have in our minds for the beginning of the movement. Pentecost: God's provision, the wind: God's new creation by his spirit, fire: every believer is a burning bush, and languages: we are all called to be voyagers. God is now using his people to move and work through this world, will you let him use you?

Hook: These questions can help introduce the topic.

1. When have you felt stuck in life? What helped you get moving again or what has to happen to help you move?

Look: Read the sermon passage. Answer the following textual questions.

2. If Pentecost was a Jewish celebration of God's provision (Deut. 16:9ff) then how would God's Spirit have been the ultimate provision?
3. Travis referenced the 'new creation' that the sound of rushing wind would have reminded (Gen. 1:2) the people of on that day. In the garden, God created man to reign over his creation. On Pentecost, what has changed?
4. The burning bush (Ex. 3:1-2) displayed God's power to Moses. How did this image become perfected on Pentecost?

Took: Applying the message to our lives.

5. Since you are a burning bush, how bright is your flame? How clear is God's voice in you? What needs to change?
6. Where is God leading you to voyage with his good news? What is holding you back?
7. Has anyone considered going on one of Chapel's upcoming mission trips?

Prayer/Verses: Heavenly Father, thank you for your power and your love, help us to be obedient in our daily lives as well as obedient in wherever you may call us. For the praises of your glory! Amen.