



SMALL GROUP STARTER GUIDE

“Matthias Chosen to Replace Judas / The Holy Spirit Comes at Pentecost” on January 10th and 13th

HOOK

- If you could meet one Biblical character, who would it be and why?
- The vision of CU Church is to “Love God and Love People” – How can it change the world around you?

BOOK

Acts 1:15-26

Acts 2:1-21

LOOK

- How did the early church make decisions? (like choosing two new disciples) Why is this different than today? Why is this a better way?
- What happened on the day of Pentecost? Describe it. How would you have responded?
- What does it mean to “be filled” with the Holy Spirit?
- How did people respond? What did they think caused this miracle?
- What did this miracle symbolically show about the spreading of the Gospel, The purpose of the church and unity?

TOOK

- The disciples were filled with the Holy Spirit on that day to empower them to witness. Where do you need power today? Family, work, habits, spiritual?
- Martin Luther King Jr.’s birthday is this week. How did we see this Holy Spirit power at work through his life? How can you make those same differences?

PRAY

Pray today to be filled with the Holy Spirit’s power. Power to witness and overcome.