

PRAYER & BOLDNESS

ACTS 4:23-37

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

1. Was there anything about the message today that was particularly helpful? Anything that you'd like to discuss further?
2. In our passage today we see the marks of a bold faith? Which one resonated most? Why? What would you add in light of today's passage?
3. Discuss when your belief in God shifted from just something you believed to a personal relationship you maintained? What is the difference between the two? How would you help someone struggling with this?
4. What do you do when it seems like God isn't listening to or answering your prayers?
5. At the end of our text we see another "summary statement" of what life looked like in the early church. What differences are there between what they did then and how we do church today? What changes do you think we should make?
6. You see again in this text that "boldness" is a clear mark of being filled with the Holy Spirit. Do you struggle with fear? What are some clues in this text that would help us live a life that experiences the fullness of the Holy Spirit and therefore boldness?
7. How does a belief in the sovereignty of God inspire boldness and faith in the heart of a believer? What does it look like to trust in the sovereignty of God today?
8. The Spirit inspires generosity. How can you be more generous with your life?
9. What practical changes are you going to make in your life in light of today's discussion?