Full Send Acts – The Church

Make sure to print out the last page of this curriculum for each participant. They will take this home and use it throughout the week. People can also receive these daily tools through the Full Send App, go to the Full Send website or by contacting us at www.fullsendmin@gmail.com

Welcome: (15 minutes) (Includes our Fun Friday challenge)

(As you start today bring some brunch/breakfast items with you to share) Today we are going to start as always with sharing what God has done in our lives, then we will read the scripture and pray as we follow the example of the church in the book of Acts.

Welcome to the series on the book of Acts! The early church gathered together and spent time in fellowship. That fellowship consisted of talking about their common interest in God and what He had been doing in their life. Let's spend some time in fellowship this morning and share what God is doing. (Each week during the welcome time we want to hear where the group saw God at work during the week. Take 5-7 minutes to share some brief stories. Make sure to end this time with praise to God and expectation for the next week)

Let's read Acts 2:42-47 and Acts 6:1-7

Ask for a volunteer to open in prayer.

Worship: (10 minutes) (Includes the Tune in Thursday Songs)

We are going to take a few minutes to listen to two songs and as you listen I want you to answer these questions.

- What do these songs say about the Church?
- What do these songs say about God?
- Is there someone that could benefit from these songs in your life?

Less Like Me by Zach Williams - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hawc0emHg8c

Do Something by Matthew West - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=b RindG0IX8

Word: (20 minutes) (Includes Scripture Sunday, Memorize Monday and Watch It Wednesday)

Now we are a going to hear from Eric Groezinger as he shares about the Church in the book of Acts. https://youtu.be/IDDi17liur4

- What does Acts say about the Church?
- How do we live that out today?
- Where are places we could grow in at church?

Print out the memory verse today on pieces of paper. Invite members of the class to come forward and hold them up. Once you have memorized the piece of paper turn it backwards so that the words cannot be seen anymore.

And they devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers. Acts 2:42

Witness: (10 minutes) (Includes Table Talk Tuesday)

Each week we want to ask questions that will help us get into natural conversations about God with people. What is the job of the Church? What characteristics should the Church have?

Take a moment to Read Acts 6:3-4

The Church of Jesus is about helping others spiritually and physically.

Closing Prayer: (5 minutes) (Includes Seek Him Saturday)

We will close today as we close every time together, in prayer. Not just any prayer, but praying through scripture. Today we will be praying Acts 2:46-47 and we will pray for opportunities to meet with believers daily, give thanks to God and see people coming to Christ daily.

Scripture: Acts 2:42-47 and Acts 6:1-7 Topic: The Church

Scripture Sunday:

Read through Acts 2:42-47 and 6:1-7. What do we learn about God and the early Church?

Memorize Monday:

And they devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers. Acts 2:42

Table Talk Tuesday:

Talk: What do you think the Church's job is? What characteristics do you think a Church should have?

Text: Therefore, brothers, pick out from among you seven men of good repute, full of the Spirit and of wisdom, whom we will appoint to this duty. But we will devote ourselves to prayer and to the ministry of the word." Acts 6:3-4

Truth: The church is about helping others physically and spiritually.

Watch it Wednesday:

Full Send Acts The Church by Eric Groezinger - https://youtu.be/IDDi17liur4

Tune in Thursday:

Less Like Me by Zach Williams - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hawc0emHq8c

Do Something by Matthew West - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=b RjndG0IX8

Fun Friday:

Let's live out Acts 2 and 6 today! Go have some fun today as you come together to study the Bible, pray, eat together, fellowship or meet the needs of someone else. I bet it's even possible to do all of these things with a group tonight! Be the Church!

Seek Him Saturday:

Pray through Acts 2:46-47 today. Pray for the opportunity to gather daily with fellow believers, give thanks to God and that the number of believers would be added to daily.