

## Feel the Power Acts 1:8

*Good-sized vision comes from a strong sense of national or ethnic or other ideological identity. God-sized vision comes from the \_\_\_\_\_.*  
*As Christ followers, we want the latter more than the former.*

**Discussion 1. Thinking about current events and issues (e.g., racism, immigration, abortion, etc.), what are some differences between good-sized vision and God-sized vision? In other words, what are the differences between political solutions and Spiritual solutions?**

*The \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ is the most world-changing, transformative vehicle for healing and reconciliation ever known to humankind. Shouldn't we, the people to whom it has been entrusted, act like it?*

**Discussion 2. What are some ways of turning difficult conversations in our current culture into gospel conversations? How would you test your own heart as to whether you really believe the gospel can fix what is broken in our world?**

*Being a witness for the gospel does not require any level of expertise at all. Nor does it demand training in apologetics. It merely requires some spiritual discipline of observing the Spirit of God around us and then telling what we have \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.*

**Discussion 3. For you, how do prayer and scripture study and gathering with other believers help you see and hear the Holy Spirit around you? What qualities and characteristics in others help you to see and hear the Spirit through them?**

*Is it possible God expects us to use these current circumstances to change our entire focus from going to church to \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_?*  
*Have you pondered what it looks like for you to be the church today?*

**Discussion 4. How has this pandemic and “sheltering in place” changed your perspective on what it means to BE the church? What next step(s) can you take in order to more effectively live in the power of the Holy Spirit?**

**Discussion 5. How does this lesson cause you to pray? How does it prepare your heart for worship?**