SCC Small Group Study – July 23, 2023 Dr. Scott Koenigsaecker Acts 2:36-47

Getting Started:

What are you looking for in terms of community when it comes to church?

What are some characteristics of authentic community that you value?

Searching the Scriptures:

A. What made the early church so appealing to others?

B. What does it mean to be devoted?

C. How important is having a sense of awe and expectancy in our fellowship together?

D. What do you think the impact was from the "wonders and miraculous signs"? What were these signs?

- E. How would sharing everything and being together every single day change our experience of fellowship?
- F. Why do you think the Christian community today does not have the early church's depth of relationships?

Application of Scripture:

A. How is our church fellowship like or unlike the fellowship described in these verses? How could our church be more like this example?

- B. Which aspect of the spiritual life and energy found in the early church do you most desire for yourself? For our church?
 - Spiritual commitment and growth
 - Expecting or asking for the miraculous
 - Caring for one another materially
 - Intimate fellowship
 - Faithfulness in prayer and worship
 - Reaching out/growing in numbers