

# unfolding church

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STUDIES IN THE BOOK OF ACTS

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## **Read Acts 1:1-8**

What do you think Jesus meant by calling his disciples to be his witnesses to the ends of the earth? Do you see yourself as sharing that same calling? Why or why not?

The ministry of the church begins with a period of waiting on God. In your mind, what does waiting on God entail?

Look at the story of Jesus in the Garden (Matthew 26:36-46). What do you note about Jesus' experience of waiting on his Father?

The sermon talked about how we wait for specific things (peace, confirmation, explanation, clarity, etc.) when God is using the process of waiting itself to change us. How have you seen this play out in your own life?

Read Isaiah 40:13. The Hebrew word for waiting here can mean "to twist or stretch." How might that hold true in the way God meets us in our waiting?