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3. **Prayer:** Ask God to give you an opportunity to share your testimony with someone this week.
4. **Reflect:** What are ways that you tend to hide your faith? In what type of circumstances? Around what type of people?
5. **Make a list:** Write down the people in your life who have boldly shared the gospel with you.

### Discussion Guide

1. What stood out to you in today's gathering?
2. What role do you think deeds/actions play in evangelism? What role did Peter's healing of the lame man play in his gospel proclamation?
3. The healed man's transformation (Acts 3:8-10) draws attention to God's work, prompting Peter's sermon. How have you seen changed lives (yours or others') serve as a platform for evangelism?
4. Which of these shared aspects of devotion (teaching, fellowship, breaking bread, prayer) resonates most with you right now, and why? How can you grow in this area?
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