Bible Study on CONNECT in ACTS - Acts 2.41-47
For Sunday, February 13, 2022

Acts 2:41–47 (ESV)
41 So those who received his word were baptized, and there were added that day about three thousand souls.

The Fellowship of the Believers
42 And they devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers. 43 And awe came upon every soul, and many wonders and signs were being done through the apostles. 44 And all who believed were together and had all things in common. 45 And they were selling their possessions and belongings and distributing the proceeds to all, as any had need. 46 And day by day, attending the temple together and breaking bread in their homes, they received their food with glad and generous hearts, 47 praising God and having favor with all the people. And the Lord added to their number day by day those who were being saved.

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1. Name some of the "groups" you have been part of over the years. Which were the groups where you felt the most committed and challenged?

2. What made those groups challenging? What were the groups that disappointed you the most? Why?

3. On a scale from 1 to 10, where would you put the "challenge" level of "church life"? Why did you rate it there? Where do you think it should be?

4. What do Jesus' followers devote themselves to in this passage? Name what that would look like for you today.

5. Think about what it would be like to sell even half of your possessions - and giving that money away to people in need…. Could you do it? What **wouldn't** you sell?

6. Looking at these verses, what observations would you make for followers of Jesus today?

7. What is the end result of what is happening in these verses?