

## **Small Group Discussion Guide**

*The Power of the Resurrected Life: The Power to Be Readied Scripturally*  
Acts 2:14–41

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### **Discussion Questions**

#### **1. Scripture Awareness**

The sermon opened with phrases that sound biblical but aren't.

- Which example surprised you most?
  - What does this reveal about how easily Scripture can be misunderstood?
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#### **2. Peter's Boldness**

Peter confidently interpreted Scripture despite lacking formal training.

- What gave Peter that confidence?
  - What holds us back from engaging Scripture with boldness?
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#### **3. Reading Through the Lens of Jesus**

We are called to read Scripture through a Christ-centered lens.

- What does it look like to read the Bible this way in everyday life?
  - Can you think of a passage that changes when viewed through Jesus?
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#### **4. Role of the Holy Spirit**

The Holy Spirit enables understanding and interpretation.

- How have you experienced the Holy Spirit helping you understand Scripture?
  - Where do you desire more clarity or guidance?
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#### **5. Misuse of Scripture**

Scripture has often been taken out of context or used harmfully.

- Why do you think this happens?
- How can we be more faithful in how we handle God's Word?

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## **6. Cultural Blind Spots**

Our context shapes how we read Scripture.

- What assumptions or “blind spots” might our culture bring to the Bible?
- How can we become more aware of them?

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## **7. Response and Action**

After Peter’s message, the people asked, “What should we do?”

- What is one step you feel led to take this week in how you read or apply Scripture?