OUR MISSION: GROW TOGETHER ACTS 2

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Big Idea: The Holy Spirit is the One who motivates believers to grow together. Doing life together reveals the presence of God.

Called-Out Ones - "But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people belonging to God, that you may declare the praises of him who <u>called you out</u> of darkness into his wonderful light. 1 Peter 2:9

Acts 2:42-47

42 They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer. 43 Everyone was filled with awe, and many wonders and miraculous signs were done by the apostles. 44 All the believers were together and had everything in common. 45 Selling their possessions and goods, they gave to anyone as he had need. 46 Every day they continued to meet together in the temple courts. They broke bread in their homes and ate together with glad and sincere hearts, 47 praising God and enjoying the favor of all the people. And the Lord added to their number daily those who were being saved.

Walking together is better than walking alone.

There's an old Zambian proverb that says, "When you run alone you run fast. But when you run together you run far." Life is not a 40-yard dash. It is a marathon.