



When Heaven TOUCHES EARTH

Acts 1:14

ADULTS & STUDENTS DISCUSSION GUIDE

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- Prayer is the most important thing that believers in Jesus Christ must do. -

DISCUSS:

- Read Acts 1:14 and Acts 2:1.
- Pastor Darryl gives us the example of Habakkuk's shock at what God was allowing to happen in his age and day. God's response from Habakkuk 1:5 is, "The Lord replied, 'Look around at the nations; look and be amazed! For I am doing something in your own day, something you wouldn't believe even if someone told you about it.'" What are some things we are seeing in today's world that are hard to believe God is using for His glory? What could God be doing in His church and in our nation?
- Share an example of a time that God has answered a prayer in your life or how God has used others praying for you to work in your life.
- Scripture describes God's house as a house of prayer (Isaiah 56:7). What are some things that may get in our way of focusing on prayer?

APPLY:

- As you look at your own life, what is your plan for prayer? Oftentimes when we don't have a plan, prayer can get lost amongst the busyness of life. Answer the challenge of creating a prayer plan for your life. You can begin building it by using the acrostic ACTS.

Adoration: Praising God for all that He is and all that He does.

Confession: Bringing sin to God and asking for forgiveness.

Thanksgiving: Remembering the grace and mercy God has shown toward us.

Supplication: Bringing our requests for the needs of others and ourselves to God.

- If you were blessed with everything today that you prayed about yesterday, would your life or the lives of those you know be any different?

PRAY TOGETHER:

- Praise God for His love and care for your family.
- Ask God to give you courage to trust Him in the midst of difficult circumstances.
- Thank God for the ability to come to Him in prayer with all of our needs.