

LIVING FOR JESUS

READ: ACTS 2:42-47

⁴² All the believers devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching, and to fellowship, and to sharing in meals (including the Lord's Supper), and to prayer.

⁴³ A deep sense of awe and wonder came over them all, and the apostles performed many miraculous signs and wonders. ⁴⁴ And all the believers met together in one place and shared everything they had. ⁴⁵ They sold their property and possessions and shared the money with those in need. ⁴⁶ They worshiped together at the Temple each day, met in homes for the Lord's Supper, and shared their meals with great joy and generosity— ⁴⁷ all the while praising God and enjoying the goodwill of all the people. And each day the Lord added to their fellowship those who were being saved.

REFLECT: What are some changes that occurred in the lives of those who believed in Jesus?

What continued to happen each day?

Those who believed in Jesus were changed radically. They started living for Jesus. They became super generous by sharing all they had, worshipped together and prayed for each other. Then when others saw how they lived, they also changed their ways and followed Jesus.

When you ask Jesus to forgive you and become Lord of your life you are changed for the better. 2 Cor. 5:17 says you become a new creation. You become a child of God! God will start to change you so you can live for Him and do what is right, loving God and those around you each day.

RESPOND: What are some things in your life you need to change so you can put your main focus on doing what God wants you to do?

Thank God for who He is and praise His name. Then ask God to help you focus your life on what God wants you to do.

Thank God for _____

Pray for _____