

CHARGE Youth Discussion Questions Outline

GRADE
7-12

Date & Week

August 10, 2025 (Wk 3)

Bible Focus

Acts 2:42-47

Theme Focus

**Belonged to a Household
of Faith**

Discussion Questions

Main Point: In a world where people cared only for their own families, the first Christians became one big family that shared food, helped each other, and worshipped God together. They showed everyone that God's family is open to all who follow Jesus.

Warm-up questions

1. Who is part of your household? What does it mean to belong to your household (or what makes it unique)?
2. Do you think generally our society is shaped by community or individualism? Discuss how you think that differs: (a) In different parts of the world; and (b) In different times throughout history.

Read Acts 2:42-47

3. How did the early church do community? What are the specific things are mentioned in vs 42-47?
4. What stands out most for you as being counter-cultural (both now and back then)?
5. What was spurring on the early church to devote themselves to such a way of life?

6. What was the key thing that united these believers? Do you think the church today still has this unity?

7. What are the best ways you have witnessed the church being a 'household of faith' that cares for each other?

8. How can we help ourselves and each other engage more as a body of Christ?

Application

9. What would you give up for the sake of belonging, sacrifice, and shared mission?

10. Commit to be involved in the Friday or Sunday Community at church for one month in a row. See what difference it makes to be part of that community.

Prayer

Dear God, Thank you for the gift of community, and the body of Christ. Help us to keep growing and maturing as disciples of Jesus, and to always stay connect with others who will help us grow in our faith. We pray this in Jesus' name, Amen.

They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer. - Acts 2:42.