

# THE POWER OF HOPE

11/22/2020 "Unleashing Hope"

1. What stood out to you most from Sunday's message? Why?
2. Read Acts 11:19-30. What were some of the circumstances this community faced?
3. What were some of the actions and characteristics of this community that allowed the hope of Jesus' message to spread?
4. Is there someone in your life that has helped you find hope? What did they do that helped?
5. The first century church was under strong persecution. What circumstances tend to steal or have stolen your hope?
6. One of the main points from Sunday stated, "The question isn't 'Why is this happening?' It's 'What can we do to help?'" What are the strengths in this perspective?
7. Read Acts 4:32-35. What are the distinctive marks of this community?
8. How does community, specifically Christian community, unleash hope?
9. What do you think is meant in Acts 4:32 when it states, all believers were "one in heart and mind"?
10. With so much diversity, how can you pursue being "one in heart and mind" with other Jesus followers?
11. What challenge(s) do you need to respond to from Sunday's message and these two passages in Acts?