

PURPOSE CHURCH

SUNDAYS 8:30am | 10:00am | 11:30am



OCTOBER 11, 2026

THE BOOK OF ACTS



the MOVEMENT

THAT CHANGED THE WORLD



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WELCOME TO PURPOSE CHURCH!

Are you new to Purpose Church?

We are so glad you are here! We want to meet you, answer any questions you might have, and help you get connected. Come to the Connect Center located in the Lobby after the service to meet our friendly team and pick up a free gift!

NEXT STEPS AT PURPOSE

We believe every person has a *next step* to take.
We are here to help you discover and take yours.

Have you decided to follow Jesus?
Do you want to get baptized?
Do you need hope, healing and support?
Are you looking for meaningful community?

Head to: purposechurch.com/nextsteps



EVERYONE EVERYWHERE FOLLOWING JESUS

PRAYER

We would love to pray with you!
Please stop by the prayer room
after the service or submit a
prayer request online.
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GIVING

We believe that generous people
transform the world! Offering
boxes are available in the lobby on
Sundays or you can give online.
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COURAGEOUS CHRISTIANS DON'T AND DO

October 11, 2026 / Pastor Eric Holmstrom

#1 - Courageous Christians ***DON'T*** wait for the _____ moment

Acts 4:1-8

3 Questions to Start a Spiritual Conversation:

#1 - Has anyone ever told you that Jesus loves you?

#2 - What's holding you back from totally following Jesus?

#3 - What do you think about the idea that Jesus rose from the dead?

Acts 4:12

#2 - Courageous Christians ***DON'T*** try to be _____ else

Acts 4:13, 18-20

#3 - Courageous Christians ***DON'T*** rely on their _____ strength

Acts 4:29-30

#4 - Courageous Christians ***DO*** see the Holy Spirit _____

Acts 4:31

John 14:15-17, 26

“One ***advantage*** of being thrown on your back is that ***you face Heaven.***”

—Fulton Sheen, the late Archbishop

#5 - Courageous Christians **DO** have _____ with other believers

Acts 4:32

#6 - Courageous Christians **DO** find joy in being _____

Acts 4:34-35

REFLECT | DISCUSS | PRACTICE

1. **REFLECT:** How did you sense God speaking to you through the sermon and Bible verses?
2. **DISCUSS:** What is something you've done that took courage but, looking back, turned out to be totally worth it?
3. **DISCUSS:** Read Acts 4:13, 18-20. Where are you tempted to compare yourself with someone else rather than allow God to use who He created you to be?
4. **DISCUSS:** Read Acts 4:29-30. How would your prayers change if, before asking God to remove a difficult circumstance, you first asked, "God, what do You want to accomplish through this?"
5. **DISCUSS:** Read Acts 4:31 and John 14:15-17, 26. Tell us about a time you sensed the Holy Spirit prompting you to do something and you actually obeyed. What was that like?
6. **DISCUSS:** Read Acts 4:34-35. What is one step you could take toward becoming more generous with your money, possessions, investments, property, or other resources?
7. **PRACTICE:** Ask one person this week one of these questions:
 - #1 - Has anyone ever told you that Jesus loves you?
 - #2 - What's holding you back from totally following Jesus?
 - #3 - What do you think about the idea that Jesus rose from the dead?

For more life group, reflection, and discussion content, and to join or start a group, visit: purposechurch.com/groups

Fill in the blanks: PERFECT, SOMEONE, OWN, MOVE, UNITY, GENEROUS

