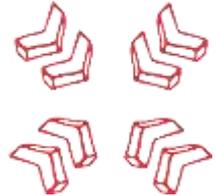




**Introduction:**

After being told not to teach in the name of Jesus by the religious leaders Peter and John are threatened and let go. Upon their release they gather together with other believers in prayer and praise to God and make a bold request of God.



## Into the scriptures

Read: Acts 4:23-31

What do you notice about the passage itself? (Structure, repeated words or ideas, unique words, main points...)

Who are the people mentioned in these verse? What image do you get of them?

Read Psalm 2 which is quoted in this passage. What is significant about this Psalm for the believers?



## Into my life



Have you ever been in a situation where you were threatened? How did you respond? What do you think is significant about how the believers responded in Acts?

From this passage. Who is clearly in control? What keeps you recognizing that God is in control of everything? How can we encourage one another to respond like the believers did?

Have you ever prayed for boldness to share your faith? Why not?  
(Pray for each other right now)

What is the promise to claim hold of in this passage?

How will you be different this week because of what you have just read?



## Into the world



Read Psalm 2 again and use it to guide your prayer time.



**Prayer List**



**Challenge for the week:**

From Acts 4 my challenge for this week is:



**More Resources for personal and group use:**



**A little about Westwood Church...**



We believe that God changes lives!

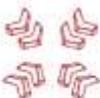
That motivates us to...

Bring Jesus into Life

By...

...becoming an increasingly healthy, vibrant and effective witness for Jesus in Prince George and around the world!

We do this by engaging in three things:



**GATHER**

Sunday mornings to celebrate and learn about God



**GROUPS**

Weekly meetings that go deeper in relationships with each other and God



**GO**

Serving in the church and community to present Jesus to the world