Acts: O Church, Arise!

September 7, 2025 – Acts 1:1-11

You Will Be My Witnesses

Message for today – Jesus has equipped and empowered Hi
disciples to continue His work as we act as His witnesses

Quick summary of Luke's gospel

He told of what Jesus to do and teach
This doing and teaching included preparing His witnesses
He commanded them concerning the coming of the
More detail concerning Christ's appearing and ascension
The disciples still had wrong
They needed to move from spectators to participants
Witnesses are to Christ's return

Reflections

Acts 1:1-11

Hear the Word

- 1. What is this passage telling me about who God is (His character, actions, attributes, Word)?
- 2. What themes do I see here, and how do any of those connect with what I am currently facing?
- 3. What seems to have been the mindset of the disciples after the resurrection?
- 4. What is the main purpose of this passage, and does it bring other passages to mind?
- 5. How does this passage point me to Jesus, and help me to see the gospel more clearly?

Do the Word

- 1. How do my actions, thoughts, words or emotions need to change in light of this passage?
- 2. How does my prayer life need to change as a result of this?
- 3. What relationships has God brought to mind that need to change?
- 4. Do I see any other way that this should impact my worship of God?

Next Week: Acts 1:12-26