Stronger Together - The Power to Heal -

Acts 3:1-10	
I. The Holy Spirit gives the <u>power</u> to heal so that the name of Jesus Christ is known and God is praised. Isaiah 35:5-7a	
2. The Holy Spirit's <u>purpose</u> for the power to heal is to turn people to God and call them to repentance. Acts 3:11-20	Next Week's Reading Guide: Acts 4:1-12 Acts 4:12-22 Isaiah 49:1-6 Psalm 139:1-18 Hebrews 1:9-14 John 3:1-21 1 Peter 1:1-25
3. The Holy Spirit's ultimate <u>plan</u> for the power to heal is for people to receive the ultimate healing- Jesus Christ as Savior- and live for His return. 2 Corinthians 5:2-5; James 5:13-16; Isaiah 53:4-6	Discussion Questions: 1. Do you personally know someone who was healed by God's intervention, a gift of healing? Share the story. 2. Did the healing serve as a catalyst to turn people to God resulting in repentance? Discuss. 3. How has God's faithful presence in your life drawn you to Him and made you want to change how you live? (repentance). 4. Have you ever prayed for someone to be healed? Share the story. 5. How much do you long to be free from this body and have an eternal, pain-free, sin-free body? Why do we hang on to this body and this life, when we have the promise of perfect, eternal life in God's presence?
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