

# Alive IN US

## When the Spirit Comes

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Acts 1:7-8, Acts 2:1-4, Acts 2:37-38

Today we begin an exciting series reflecting upon what it looks like to have “the same Spirit that raised Jesus from the dead living in us!” (Romans 8:11) Wow! That is great news!

Just before Jesus went to the cross, and then again before He ascended to heaven, He promised He would send the Holy Spirit to not only be with us, but to live in us! As followers of Jesus, our lives are under new management: His management. We begin an exciting journey of exploring what that means.

“The Greatest **crisis** in the **Church** today is God’s people don’t know **who** they are.”

- 1. A **promise** KEPT
- 2. A **power** RELEASED
- 3. A **purpose** GIVEN

“And you will be my **witnesses**.” Acts 1:8

### TAKE HOME

- 1. **Repent**
- 2. **Surrender**
- 3. **Submit**

## DISCOVERY QUESTIONS FOR FAMILY OR GROUP DISCUSSION

*Check-In: Since we last met, how did your “I will...” and sharing go?*

1. What are you thankful for? What challenge or stress are you facing? Do you know anyone who needs help at this time? As a group, how can we help?
2. Read [Acts 4:23-31](#), together (at least twice), and take turns retelling it in your own words as if sharing with a friend who isn’t here.
3. What stands out to you and why? What do these verses tell us about God? What do these verses tell us about humanity/about us?
4. If this is God speaking, how will you apply it to your life? *(Share a specific: “I will...”)*
5. Who will you share with before we meet again? *(Name a specific person you plan to **share with**.)*

*If you’d like to learn more about the discovery group process, connect with [marcus@oakwoodnow.org](mailto:marcus@oakwoodnow.org)*

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THROUGH OAKWOOD



### FINANCIAL UPDATE

FISCAL YEAR TO DATE  
[AUGUST 2021-FEBRUARY 2022]

BUDGET	ACTUAL EXPENSES	GIVING
\$859,469	\$765,479	\$738,916

