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“A Richter Scale Response

Acts 4:23-31

Today's BIG IDEA:

When we pray in faith, God responds in power.

1. _____ **your need for God** (v.23-24a)
(Matthew 21:21b-22)

- In the face of opposition to our faith, we need Christ, and we need his church.

2. _____ **the power of God** (v.24b)
(Isaiah 40:28a)

- The perspective of our prayer affects the power of our prayer.

3. _____ **the Word of God** (v.25-28)
(Psalm 2:1-2; John 14:13-14)

- When we pray, we shouldn't just close our eyes and bow our heads. We should also open our Bibles.

4. _____ **for a movement of God** (v.29-30)

- Perhaps we should spend less time praying for comfort and more time praying for courage.

5. _____ **the work of God** (v.31)

A. The _____ of the saints are
_____ (v.31a)
(Matthew 9:37-38; James 5:16b))

B. The _____ of the Spirit is
_____ (v.31b)
(Acts 1:8)

C. The _____ of Scripture is
_____ (v.31c)

(Application questions on back)

APPLICATION QUESTIONS:

1. What is your typical response to opposition and trouble? How does the response of the apostles provide a guide for us?
2. What are the typical things that you pray for? Do they match the prayer requests in today's passage? How does your prayer life need to change?
3. How have you seen God clearly answer prayer? How does that testimony bolster your faith?

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