**April- Session 8, Unity, ACTS 2:42 Eucharistic Revival Small Group**

Two-hour Session, 7-9 p.m., adjust to your meeting time as needed.

7:00 Welcome/Gathering Time

7:20 Opening Song

* Our God is here…
* <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BpQzLl4eT6E>

7:25 Opening Prayer

* The opening prayer is on page 56. Ask for a volunteer to lead us by reading the prayer.

7:30 God Sightings- Let us proclaim the great things God has done in our lives over the past month. Any new breakthroughs, beginnings or struggles in your life where you see God at work, or where you really need/hope to?

7:45 Invite members to volunteer to read pages 57-59

(Note- I made a mistake in the introduction. The last line should read… “excerpts from his first letter to the Corinthians and the letter to the Ephesians.”) 😊

7:55 Discuss the three questions on page 59.

8:10 Play Bishop Medley’s Video- Session 8

Youtube: <https://youtu.be/max4g34pcjk>

Vimeo: <https://vimeo.com/925523584?share=copy>

8:20 Discussion Questions:

1. What are the four ways the Second Vatican Council taught that we encounter Christ’s presence at Mass?
   * 1. The Assembly
     2. The Priest
     3. The Word
     4. The Eucharist
2. The Eucharistic Revival is an effort to highlight Christ’s Real Presence, how does Bishop see this in the people coming forward for Communion?
3. How does the Eucharist call us to become Eucharistic People who foster unity in the Church?

8:35 Closing Prayer- The closing prayer can be spontaneous or done by reading the prayer on page 61.

8:40 Announcements:

1. Next Meeting date.
2. There is going to be a second year of Acts 2:42 Small Groups titled “On Mission as a Eucharistic People.” Would our group like to continue meeting for year two? Is there anyone else we should invite to join us? Would any of you be willing to become a Host Team Leader and facilitate a new group of people from the parish?
3. Any parish announcements or events coming up this month?
4. There are a few remaining tickets for the Eucharistic Revival. Email Jeff (email at end of this booklet) and he will forward your email to Kathy Doup for details.

8:40 Social time

Plan to have a dessert to share with the group and encourage people to stick around and enjoy one another’s company.

9:00 End

Some groups have missed a session and will meet in June to complete the booklet, others groups have encouraged members to go through the lesson on their own and watch Bishop’s video from the Diocesan Website.