

Community Group Questions

October 5, 2014 | God With Us | Acts 1:1-5 & Matthew 28:20b

Open

Since this is our first meeting together, take some time to discover how each of you found Morning Star and landed in a Community Group.

Dig

Our study in the first five chapters of the book of Acts involves a number of prepositions (they're italicized). Some of the teaching titles for this series are: "God *With* Us," "God *In* Us," "God *Through* Us," "God *For* Us," and "God *Against* Us." Change "us" to "me" and pick the preposition that best fits where you are in your walk with God right now. Why did you pick that one?

Read Matthew 28:20b and Acts 1:1-5. How does it make you feel to know that Jesus **wants** to be with you, **is** with you, and that you are part of His continuing story? Why do we sometimes "read ourselves out" of the story? How can we see ourselves back in the story?

Think of a time when you experienced God's presence and direction as a result of being in a place you preferred not to be. How did God use that situation to speak to your heart or redirect your life?

Reflect

Why is obedience such an important part of receiving what God has for us? How's your obedience?