

For discussion in groups:

1) Select and read one of the following passages:

2 Chronicles 5.11-14 (compare Exodus 40.34-35)

2 Chronicles 20.20-23

Acts 13.1-4

Acts 16.25-30 (see verses 22-24 for context)

What can we learn from them about the connection between worship and the release of the Spirit?

2) You are a leader of a church where, whilst a majority of the congregation is released in the Spirit, there is a sizeable minority that is not. How do you incorporate the spiritual gifts (particularly those mentioned in 1 Corinthians 12) into the worship of the church?