

# FBC Groups Ministry Discussion Guide

## **Infinite Opportunities from the Ordinary**

### **A Series Based on the Book of Acts**

#### **Part Seven: When You have a Ministry Mindset, Acts 17:16–22**

Life may often seem ordinary, but the potential for our lives to matter is infinite when we look to the God who is infinite. We see this in the Book of Acts where God advanced the good news about Jesus through people who were otherwise ordinary. What does this teach us about how God is working in our lives today? We continue our journey through Acts with Paul in Athens and how his faith in Jesus gave him an important mindset for ministry. Read Acts 17:16–22.

#### **Faith in Jesus will give you a Ministry Mindset based on the following:**

A Perspective that Comes from God

A Passion that Comes from God

A Persistence that Comes from God

#### **Questions for Group Discussion:**

1. What is the difference between a consumer mindset and a ministry mindset?
2. How would you describe your mindset when you view your surroundings?
3. Is there something in your surroundings that stirs a passion for ministry?
4. What are idols and are you able to recognize them when you see them?
5. Describe a time when your perception was different than the reality.
6. Discuss what it means to have a biblical worldview and how faith impacts it.
7. How did Paul's worldview impact his perspective and passion in Athens?
8. What do you perceive as the greatest need of the church to reach a lost world?

#### **Final Thoughts and Closing Prayer:**

How will Jesus help me notice and care about things differently this week?

How will I live differently and help others do the same because of this study?

#### **Notes & Reflections:**