

**Series: *Uncharted***  
**Sermon: Losing Sight of Shore**  
**Text: Acts 8:1-40**

**TALK IT OVER**

### **Start Talking**

Daniel began the sermon by sharing the following quote from Andre Gide, 'You cannot discover new oceans unless you have the courage to lose sight of the shore.' What does this quote mean to you?

### **Start Thinking**

What is one part of the message that resonated with you? What's one thing you will take away from the message?

### **(v. 1- 40)**

- Why had the early church taken so long to carry the gospel with them beyond Jerusalem? What makes the first step of a new journey so hard to take?
- Daniel said that God often uses uncomfortable situations to push us beyond our comfort zones. How has this played out in your life? In what ways has God used stretching seasons to grow you personally? How does this change your perspective on difficult situations?
- God called Philip to leave Samaria in the middle of a revival. Why did He do that? Has God ever asked you to do something that didn't make sense at the time?
- Daniel said that Philip's story reminds us that God leads us one step at a time. In what ways did this play out in Philip's story? {see Proverbs 4:12} How did Philip's obedience to God's directive lead him into his purpose?
- Look up and read Romans 8:14. What are some of the different ways that the Holy Spirit lead us? How has God's Spirit led you in the past?
- Philip stepped out in faith and shared the gospel with this man. Have you ever shared the gospel with someone? What was that experience like? Did someone share the gospel with you? Talk about that experience.

### **Start Praying**

Spend some time praying with your group and ask Jesus to guide you by His Holy Spirit and lead you towards people who need to know Jesus!