



## Small Group Discussion Notes

Presented with Opportunities

Acts 8:26-40

Let's Go!

Week 6

March 3rd, 2024

### Warm Up

Share a time when you were keenly aware of the God's hand in a situation or a time when God presented a very clear opportunity for you.

### Digging Deeper

*Read Acts 6:1-7 and Acts 8:4-8*

What do these passages tell you about Philip? How would you describe his openness to fulfilling the Great Commission?

*Read Acts 8:26-40*

What initial observations do you have about this encounter? What stands out to you in this passage?

Using a study Bible, what additional context can you learn about this circumstance?

How is what you've read about Philip consistent with his response to the divine messenger telling him to embark upon this journey with limited information?

What actions does Philip take that help the man grow in faith? Are these types of actions applicable today?

How does this encounter encourage or challenge you?

### Next Steps

How intentional are you when it comes to being aware of opportunities God might be placing before you? How willing are you to pursue those opportunities when you become aware of them?

What opportunities are you more inclined to pursue, what opportunities are you hesitant to pursue? For example, are you more inclined to meet a physical need than share the gospel? Are you more inclined to tell your story of faith with someone you know or a stranger? Feel free to think beyond these two specific examples.

How can you be more intentional about being alert to divine opportunities? What do you need to do to grow in your willingness and step into those opportunities?

### Final Thoughts

Take time as a group to pray for God to present clear opportunities to live out the Great Commission this week, the eyes to see the opportunities, and the boldness to pursue them.