

## **Community Group questions**

**Icebreaker:** Share a time you got locked out of something.

## **Understanding the passage**

Read Acts 12:1-25

- Share some things you noticed from the passage or remembered from the sermon.
- List the comparisons between Peter and Herod in the passage.
- Compare Herod's power to God's power in the passage.
- Compare Peter in jail and Peter at the gate of Rhoda's house.
- What is the main point and what does it say to us today?

## **Taking stock of our lives**

- Have you ever struggled with pride or an unwillingness to give God glory? Why is this such a big issue?
- How do you see pride playing out in our world today?
- How can we grow in humility and lay down our pride?

## **Applying the Bible to our lives**

- The church prays (5) but is in disbelief when God answers their prayer with Peter (16). Why is this?
- How is our prayer life similar and different to church in this passage?
- How do we struggle believing God will answer prayer?
- How can we pray with greater expectation?
- Where do you need to trust the Lord more?