

**Being Interruptible to Go Viral**  
**Sermon # 11, Acts 10:1-11:18**

**Main Point:** *Get on God's plan to go viral with all people, because God wants everyone to hear about Jesus.*

**Getting to Know You**

1. Tell us about a time when you were interrupted for a good reason.

**Getting into the Book**

**Read 10:1-33**

2. What was Cornelius like? If he was such a good man why did he need Jesus?
3. Why was Peter so shocked by the vision God gave him? (see 10:14, 28; 11:2-3 for hints)
4. Picture yourself on a couch in Cornelius' house. What do you think the atmosphere was like when Peter walked in? See 10:24, 27, 33

**Read Acts 10:34-48**

5. What did Peter tell these people in his gospel presentation? What content did you learn from Peter's speech that you could include when you go viral?
6. How did God surprise Peter and his Jewish friends? (10:44-48)

**Read Acts 11:1-3, 15-18**

7. How did the Jewish Christians respond to Peter when they heard about his trip to see Cornelius?
8. After re-reading 10:14, 28, 34-35; 11:15-18, describe the change in thinking that Peter and his associates had.

**Getting Out There**

9. In light of Acts 1:8, why is this event (Acts 10:1-11:18) so significant in God's plan?
10. Be honest with the group, who are some people you are hesitant to go viral with because they are different than you. How should your thinking change in light of what we learn about God's heart for the nations?
11. On a scale of 1 ("Don't bother me!") to 5 ("I'm always on call."), how interruptible are you to go viral for God?
12. Who are you reaching?
  - a. Have you been praying for three people to come to Christ?
  - b. Have you reached out to them in relationship?
  - c. Have you reached in with the gospel?

**Reminder:** If you have not done so, fill out a "My Faith Story" card and turn it in at church.

**Pray**

Pray that God will open our hearts and eyes to His mission to go viral globally. Pray for the opportunity and conviction to share the gospel with someone you wouldn't normally talk with. Pray that our church would be filled with interruptible Christians.