29. PRAYER

THEY WERE ALL AMAZED, AND THEY KEPT ON ASKING ONE ANOTHER, "WHAT IS THIS? A NEW TEACHING—WITH AUTHORITY! Mark 1:27

Calling through Prayer

Revealing God, throughout time and space you've made yourself known to the whole of creation. When we encounter you now, truly encounter you, we are awed and amazed at your great love for us, particularly for those who are in need of healing. Sometimes, it is hard to know how to respond to your greatness! Open our senses to the magnificence of your work in the world. Let us see, hear, smell, taste, and touch even glimpses of your great glory. Deepen our awareness of you in our daily lives and in the lives of those around us, so that the whole world might grow in amazement of you. Amen.

Exploration Questions

- · If you have had a season of life when prayer was natural and important to you, describe why that was so.
- In the last year, what's something new you're learning about God? about yourself?
- How has your calling to prayer changed and matured over time?
- What's one thing that comes up quickly in your prayers?