



**Rock Church**  
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**Empowered: To Live a Transformed Life**  
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**Monthly Discipleship Focus for July**  
Humbly embraces a kingdom mindset

*This 9-week series journeys through the book of Acts and discovers practical ways the Holy Spirit equips and empowers us. In Part 8, Pastor Santiago discusses how the Holy Spirit empowers us to live a transformed life to the world around us.*

Based on the [broadcast message](#), read Acts 9:3-6, review the following statements and questions below, then briefly respond accordingly to these three main points:

1. **We are empowered for SPIRITUAL transformation** (Acts 9:17-18, Matthew 28:18-20). This transformation is the invisible proof that we are a new creation in Christ, which includes surrendering our lives to Him and trusting in Him. How do you know you are “born again”?
2. **We are empowered for SOCIAL transformation** (Acts 9:26-28, Acts 19:15-16). This transformation is external proof that something is different within us. We need to take an inventory of our lives and be bold in standing up for what we believe in. What are people saying about you that shows them you are now a different person because of God?
3. **We are empowered for SUPERNATURAL transformation** (Acts 28:7-10, Acts 19:11-12). This transformation is the expression of the Kingdom coming out of us as believers, so that we can expand the Kingdom of God here on earth. Are you praying for people? Does your life demonstrate the fruits of the Spirit - love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control?

**This Month’s Memory Verse – Luke 9:11 (NKJV)**

But when the multitudes knew it, they followed Him; and He received them and spoke to them about the kingdom of God, and healed those who had need of healing.

**This Week’s Bible Readings & Bible Project Videos**

Jeremiah 50-52: <https://bibleproject.com/explore/video/jeremiah/>

Proverbs 20: <https://bibleproject.com/explore/video/proverbs/>

Lamentations 1-5: <https://bibleproject.com/explore/video/lamentations/>

Ezekiel 1-15: <https://bibleproject.com/explore/video/ezekiel-1-33/>

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