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"And they continued stedfastly in the apostles' teaching
and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and the prayers."
—Acts ii. 42.

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