

July 6th 2025

BEING THE CHURCH THAT JESUS BUILT - ACTS 2

We Must...

1. RECEIVE THE SPIRIT'S AND Summary: • Obey to \_\_\_\_\_\_ Acts 5:32 • Pray for \_\_\_\_\_ Acts 1:14 Wait on His \_\_\_\_\_ Acts 2:1-4

OF THE CHURCH

2. BE COMMITTED TO THE \_\_\_\_\_\_OF THE CHURCH "...<u>THEY ALL</u> began to speak <u>different languages</u> as the Spirit gave EACH OF THEM the power to express themselves." Acts 2:4b (NJB)

"There were religious Jews staying in Jerusalem who had come from EVERY COUNTRY IN THE WORLD. When they heard this noise, a large crowd gathered. They were ALL excited, because ALL of them heard the believers talking in their own languages. In amazement and wonder they exclaimed, 'These people who are talking like this are Galileans! How is it. then, that ALL OF US hear them speaking in our own native languages'" Acts 2:5-8 (TEV)

"...ALL OF US hear them speaking in our own languages about the great things that God has done!" Acts 2:11 (TEV)

# 3. BE COMMITTED TO THE

OF ALL "Then Peter stood up and said... 'These people are not drunk, as you suppose; it is only nine o'clock in the morning! God says, 'I will pour out my Spirit ON EVERYONE. Your sons and <u>daughters</u> will <u>proclaim my message</u>; your <u>young men will see visions</u>, and your old men will have dreams. Yes, even on my servants, both men and women, I will pour out my Spirit in those days, and they will <u>ALL proclaim my message</u>.... Then, <u>EVERYONE</u> who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved. " Acts 2:14-18, 21

4. DEVOTE BELIEVERS TO OF IN CHRIST The Apostles' Doctrine

"They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching..." Acts 2:42a

SEVEN TENETS OF GOSPEL TRUTH: PETER'S SERMON

- Jesus is God! His miracles prove it, vs. 22
- He died on the cross, vs. 23
- God raised him back to life, vs. 24-32

- This gives us gladness, joy & hope! vs. 26
- He has sent his Spirit from heaven, vs. 33-35
- We must repent & be baptized to be saved, vs. 36-38
  - To be forgiven of sin and
  - To be given the gift of the Holy Spirit, vs. 38b-39
- We must live differently from the world, vs. 40

### Fellowship (Koinonia)

...and they began devoting themselves themselves to the apostles' teaching <u>AND</u> <u>FELLOWSHIP</u> Acts 2:42b

# The Breaking of Bread

... and they began devoting themselves to the apostles doctrine, and to fellowship, and to the <u>BREAKING OF BREAD</u>, and to prayer.

#### <u>Prayer</u>

...and they began devoting themselves to the apostles' teaching, and to fellowship, and to the breaking of bread and <u>TO PRAYER</u>, Acts 2:42d

# 5. Be COMMITTED TO \_\_\_\_\_

All the believers shared everything with each other. They would sell their land and the things they owned and then give the money to anyone who needed it." Acts 2:44-45

"They shared their meals with great joy and generosity." Acts 2:46

# 6. BE COMMITTED TO

EVERY DAY they continued to meet together IN THE TEMPLE COURTS. Acts 2:46a

*They broke bread IN THEIR HOMES and ate together with glad and sincere hearts,* Acts 2:46b

# 7. BE COMMITTED TO

"Praising God and enjoying the favor of all the people. And the Lord added to their number daily those who were being saved. Acts 2:47

*Yet none of the rest dared join them, but the people esteemed them highly.*<sup>14</sup> *And believers were increasingly added to the Lord, multitudes of both men and women. Acts* 5:13-14