**The Queens Ministry Bible Breakfast Fellowship June 8, 2025**

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**Fulfillment of the Promise – The Day of Pentecost. Review of Acts 2**

1. Acts 2 opens by saying on the day of Pentecost the believers (about 120) were meeting together – in one place
b) what is the name of this meeting place known as – The Upper Room
2. What did the sound from heaven sound like to those present – the roaring of a mighty windstorm or a mighty rushing wind
3. What did the presence of the Holy Spirit look like to those in the room – like flames or divided tongues of fire (and one sat upon each of those in the room)
4. As the Holy Spirit settled on those present what happened – they began speaking in other languages or tongues
5. Who gave them this ability or utterance – The Holy Spirit
6. In what city did this explosive event take place – Jerusalem
7. When the people in the city heard the loud noise, they were amazed, bewildered and surprised to hear what – their own languages being spoken by those in the room
8. What were those present in the room proclaiming - the wonderful things GOD had done – or praising GOD
9. The crowd exclaimed that these people are from the area of Galilee, how can they speak our tongue – name one of the other areas where the people were from – **Parthians, Medes, Elamites, Mesopotamia, Judea, Cappadocia, Pontus (Asia), Phrygia, Pamphylia, Egypt, Libya – Cyrene, Rome, Cretans and Arabs**

Why were these Jews and Jewish converts from all over, in the city – celebrating Pentecost – the OT festival or holiday or (perhaps some were still there from Passover)

1. What did some in the crowd say about those in the room because of the noisy celebration – they must be drunk
2. Who then begins to speak or preach – The Apostle Simon Peter
3. Do you recall which of the OT prophets he quotes in the beginning of his speaking – The Minor Prophet Joel
4. He tells the crowd of the life, and works of Jesus during His earthly ministry, and that He was the promised Messiah; What does he say that they (the disciples and others) were witnesses of – Jesus’ Resurrection
5. The Bible says that his words pierced the hearts of those listening; how did he respond to the question asked: *what should we do?* – He said to them repent, and turn to GOD; be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins
6. Then he said that they would receive what – the gift of the Holy Spirit – the promised fulfilled (John 1:4-5)
7. On this day – we believe that the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_was started – the church
8. How many were saved and baptized on this day – 3,000
9. Acts 2 ends with the people coming together in a community of love: devoting themselves to the teaching of the Apostles, to fellowship and the sharing of meals, including the LORD’ Supper and what else – prayer
10. In this community of believers, who shared what they had, helping those in need, with joy and generosity, used monies that came from – the selling of their possessions, (properties) and goods
11. What does verse 43 say: – a deep sense of awe (reverence) came over them all and the Apostles performed many miraculous sign and wonders

**Think about it - After this review of Acts 2 – what stands out or has impacted you about the Day of Pentecost?**