



Pentecost

Acts 2:1-13

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The Background of Pentecost

1. The Jewish festival of Pentecost:
 - a. came 50 days after Passover
 - b. came 4 months before Tabernacles
 - c. celebrated God giving Moses the 10 Commandments
 - d. celebrated the Spring harvest season
 - e. all of the above
 - f. some of the above
2. Does it seem like being “Pentecostal” is misunderstood? Why or why not?
3. How would you explain what it means to be “Pentecostal”?

The Experience of Pentecost

1. As you read the following verses consider what is being taught about the work of the Holy Spirit:
 - a. John 14:15-17
 - b. John 16:8-11
 - c. Romans 8:14-17
 - d. Romans 8:26,27
 - e. 1 Corinthians 2:10-13
 - f. 1 Corinthians 12:13
 - g. 1 Corinthians 12:4-7
 - h. Galatians 5:22,23
 - i. Ephesians 1:13,14; 4:30
 - j. 2 Thessalonians 2:13
 - k. Titus 3:5
2. These days how are you experiencing the work of the Holy Spirit in your life?

The Application of Pentecost

1. Read Acts 2:14-41. What strikes you as significant in Peter’s answer?
2. How would you answer the question: “What does this mean?”
3. How is the work of the Holy Spirit essential to our obeying The Great Commission (Matthew 28:18-20)?

Processing all that...

1. How would you answer the question: What does this mean for us?
2. Closer to home... How would you answer the question: What does this mean for me?