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# The Replacement of Judas & The Baptism of the Holy Spirit

Acts 1:15 – 2:11

Judas commmits suicide.

*15 In those days Peter stood up among the brothers (the company of persons was in all about 120) and said, 16 “Brothers, the Scripture had to be fulfilled, which the Holy Spirit spoke beforehand by the mouth of David concerning Judas, who became a guide to those who arrested Jesus. 17 For he was numbered among us and was allotted his share in this ministry.” 18 (Now this man acquired a field with the reward of his wickedness, and falling headlong he burst open in the middle and all his bowels gushed out. 19 And it became known to all the inhabitants of Jerusalem, so that the field was called in their own language Akeldama, that is, Field of Blood.) 20 “For it is written in the Book of Psalms, ““May his camp become desolate, and let there be no one to dwell in it’; and ““Let another take his office.’*

*Acts 1:15 – 20 (ESV)*



*9 Even my close friend in  
whom I trusted, who ate my  
bread, has lifted his heel  
against me.*

**Psalms 41:9 (ESV)**

*14 Then one of the twelve, whose name was Judas Iscariot, went to the chief priests 15 and said, “What will you give me if I deliver him over to you?” And they paid him thirty pieces of silver. 16 And from that moment he sought an opportunity to betray him.*

Matthew 26:14 – 16 (ESV)

*20 When it was evening, he reclined at table with the twelve. 21 And as they were eating, he said, "Truly, I say to you, one of you will betray me." 22 And they were very sorrowful and began to say to him one after another, "Is it I, Lord?" 23 He answered, "He who has dipped his hand in the dish with me will betray me. 24 The Son of Man goes as it is written of him, but woe to that man by whom the Son of Man is betrayed! It would have been better for that man if he had not been born." 25 Judas, who would betray him, answered, "Is it I, Rabbi?" He said to him, "You have said so."*

**Matthew 26:20 – 25 (ESV)**

*3 Then when Judas, his betrayer, saw that Jesus was condemned, he changed his mind and brought back the thirty pieces of silver to the chief priests and the elders, 4 saying, "I have sinned by betraying innocent blood." They said, "What is that to us? See to it yourself." 5 And throwing down the pieces of silver into the temple, he departed, and he went and hanged himself. 6 But the chief priests, taking the pieces of silver, said, "It is not lawful to put them into the treasury, since it is blood money." 7 So they took counsel and bought with them the potter's field as a burial place for strangers. 8 Therefore that field has been called the Field of Blood to this day. 9 Then was fulfilled what had been spoken by the prophet Jeremiah, saying, "And they took the thirty pieces of silver, the price of him on whom a price had been set by some of the sons of Israel, 10 and they gave them for the potter's field, as the Lord directed me."*

*Matthew 27:3 – 10 (ESV)*



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Matthias is chosen by  
God to replace Judas.

*21 So one of the men who have accompanied us during all the time that the Lord Jesus went in and out among us, 22 beginning from the baptism of John until the day when he was taken up from us—one of these men must become with us a witness to his resurrection.” 23 And they put forward two, Joseph called Barsabbas, who was also called Justus, and Matthias. 24 And they prayed and said, “You, Lord, who know the hearts of all, show which one of these two you have chosen 25 to take the place in this ministry and apostleship from which Judas turned aside to go to his own place.” 26 And they cast lots for them, and the lot fell on Matthias, and he was numbered with the eleven apostles.*

*Acts 1:21 – 26 (ESV)*



## Qualifications for Replacement of Judas:

- Travel Companion of Jesus and the Apostles
- Eyewitness of the Baptism of Jesus Christ by John, the Baptist

A landscape photograph showing a wide, flat field in the foreground, a line of trees or bushes in the middle ground, and distant hills under a clear blue sky. The image is partially obscured by a dark blue gradient at the bottom.

*33 The lot is cast into the lap, but its every decision  
is from the Lord.*

Proverbs 16:33 (ESV)



# The Day of Pentecost

Acts 2:1 – 11

# The Baptism of Holy Spirit

Acts 2:1 – 4

*1 When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place. 2 And suddenly there came from heaven a sound like a mighty rushing wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. 3 And divided tongues as of fire appeared to them and rested on each one of them. 4 And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance.*

Acts 2:1 – 4 (ESV)

# What is Pentecost?

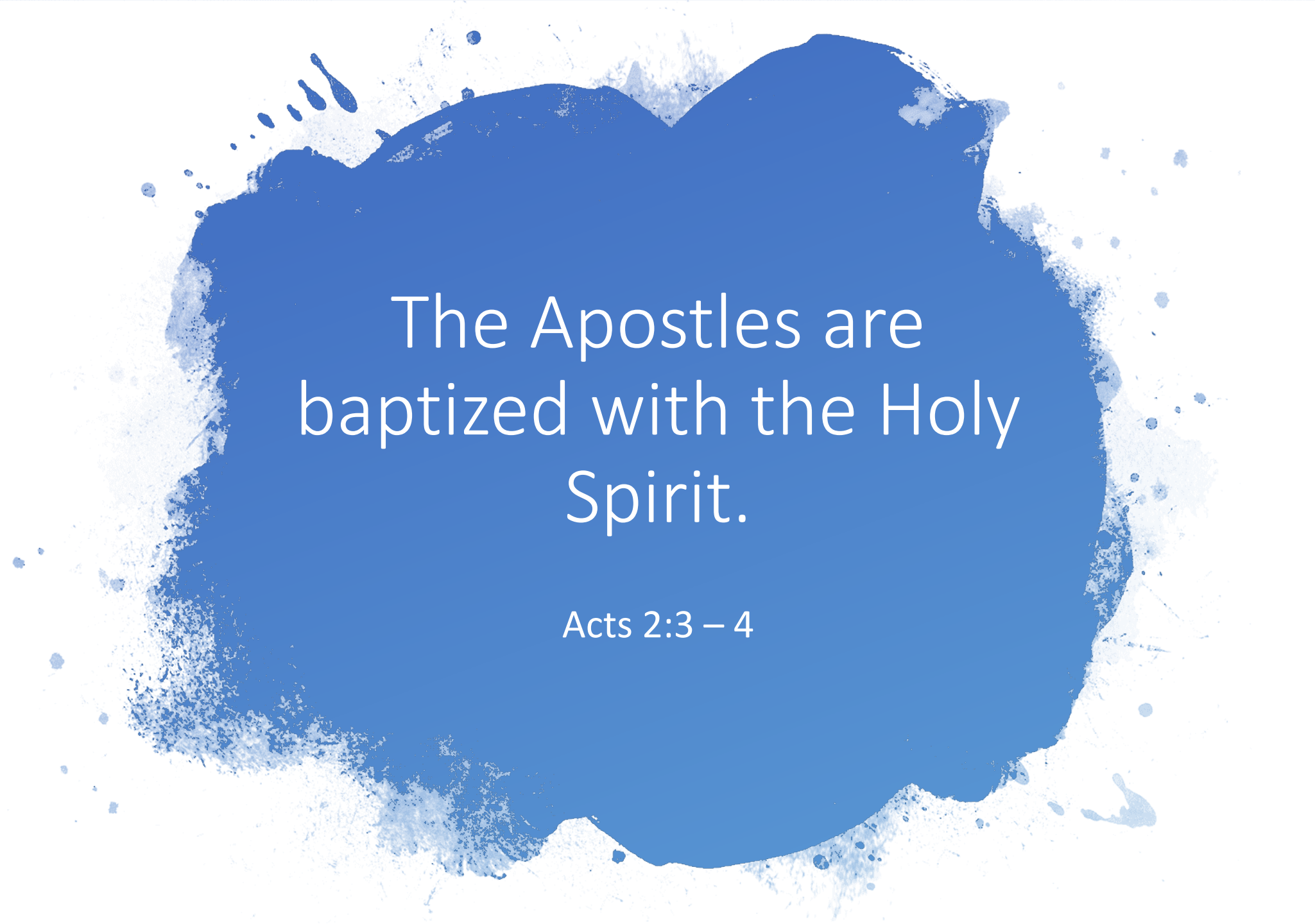
- Pentecost means “fiftieth.”
- It was a feast that occurred 50 days after the Passover. (Leviticus 23:16 )
- In the O.T. it is known by 3 names:
  - Feast of Weeks (Exodus 34:22; Deut. 16:10)
  - Feast of Harvest (Exodus 23:16)
  - Day of First-Fruits (Numbers 28:26)
- It was a time of celebration and thanksgiving for God’s provision. (Deut. 16:10 – 14)





# God's timing is Perfect!

- Passover – God's passing over the sins of the people to bring deliverance.
- Pentecost – A proclamation of the God's providence in bring salvation.



The Apostles are  
baptized with the Holy  
Spirit.


Acts 2:3 – 4

*16 And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Helper, to be with you forever, 17 even the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, for he dwells with you and will be in you.*

John 14:16 – 17 (ESV)

*26 But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, he will teach you all things and bring to your remembrance all that I have said to you.*

John 14:26 (ESV)



*7 Nevertheless, I tell you the truth: it is to your advantage that I go away, for if I do not go away, the Helper will not come to you. But if I go, I will send him to you.*

John 16:7 (ESV)

*12 "I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. 13 When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth, for he will not speak on his own authority, but whatever he hears he will speak, and he will declare to you the things that are to come.*

John 16:12 – 13 (ESV)

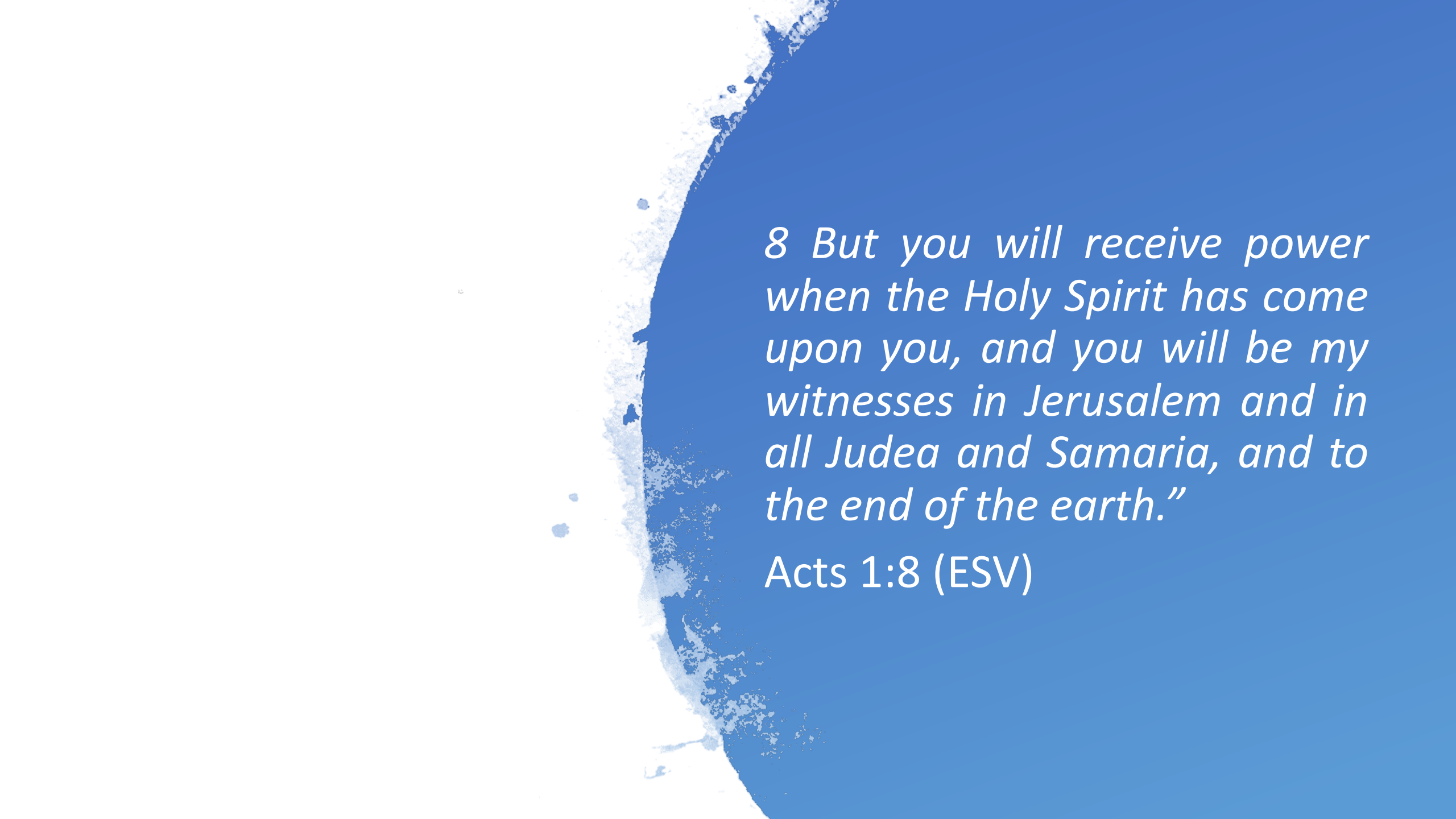
*45 Then he opened their minds to understand the Scriptures, 46 and said to them, “Thus it is written, that the Christ should suffer and on the third day rise from the dead, 47 and that repentance for the forgiveness of sins should be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. 48 You are witnesses of these things. 49 And behold, I am sending the promise of my Father upon you. But stay in the city until you are clothed with power from on high.”*

*Luke 24:45 – 49 (ESV)*

*4 And while staying with them he ordered them not to depart from Jerusalem, but to wait for the promise of the Father, which, he said, “you heard from me; 5 for John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now.”*

Acts 1:4 – 5 (ESV)





*8 But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth.”*

Acts 1:8 (ESV)

The Twelve Apostles alone  
were baptized with the Holy  
Spirit.

*3 And divided tongues as  
of fire appeared to them  
and rested on each one of  
them.*

Acts 2:3 (ESV)

*7 Nevertheless, I tell you the truth: it is to your advantage that I go away, for if I do not go away, the Helper will not come to you. But if I go, I will send him to you.*

John 16:7 (ESV)

*1 In the first book, O Theophilus, I have dealt with all that Jesus began to do and teach, 2 until the day when he was taken up, after he had given commands through the Holy Spirit to the apostles whom he had chosen.*

Acts 1:1 – 2 (ESV)

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They spoke intelligible languages.



# Greek Terms:

- Other – heteros (het'-er-os) defined as “other or different”
- Tongue – glossa (gloce-sah') defined as “the tongue; by implication, a language (specially, one naturally unacquired)”

*6 And at this sound the multitude came together, and they were bewildered, because each one was hearing them speak in his own language.*

Acts 2:6 (ESV)

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in control!

*4 And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance.*

Acts 2:4 (ESV)

In our next study on the book of Acts, we  
will be examining the rest of chapter 2.  
(Acts 2:5 – 47)