

# Acts of the Apostles 2:1-4 \_ Lesson 05

## *Pentecost and Baptism with the Holy Ghost*

### **1. Acts 2:1 – The Day of Pentecost**

- a. Something exciting begins here, but is it the church? 1 Cor 12:13... we will see.
- b. Twelve offices have been filled, Christ is risen, power is given to offer the kingdom
- c. *“day of Pentecost”* – A Jewish feast day commemorating the giving of the law
- d. The new covenant promised a law and spirit in their hearts Jer 31:33, Eze 36:24-27
- e. Pentecost was fulfilled according to prophecy

### **2. Acts 2:2-4 – The Holy Ghost**

- a. A sound, an appearance, a filling, then the speaking – this has not been duplicated
- b. Spirit described as a dove in John 1:32, wind in 3:8, and *sound* with *might* here
- c. *“like as of fire”* – this was not literal fire, nor was it Matt 3:11 (see Ac 1:5)
- d. Who baptizes with the Holy Ghost? Christ. For what purpose? Power. Ac 1:8
- e. Who baptizes into Christ? The Spirit. What purpose? Life in Christ. 1Co 12:13
- f. 2:4 – *“all filled with the Holy Ghost”* - Another prophecy fulfilled (not mystery)
- g. They were immediately filled – Lk 12:11-12; Luke 21:12-15 (vs Titus 1:9, 2Ti 2:15)
- h. We are told to “be filled” in our walk – Eph 3:19, 5:18, Col 1:9