

Acts 2 • Ecclesiology

1. (v.1-13) Man's **identity** is no longer based on language, ethnic identity, tribal identity, national identity or anything else attached to **physical** birth, but is now instead based on **NEW** birth.

2. (v.37-47) There **MUST** be a conviction of **sin**, a **cleansing** by the Holy Spirit, and an **understanding** that unless God loved you so much that He paid the price, you are judged and doomed to hell. Going forward there must be a **turning**, a **ceasing** from living according to the ways which doomed you in the first place.

3. (v.41-42) Three aspects of "devotion":
 - a. Devotion to **the Word**.
 - b. Devotion to **each other**.
 - c. Devotion to **leadership**.
 - d. **Doctrine** must be right for everything else to be right.

4. (v.43-47) Many things can only really be accomplished in a **small group** setting such as fellowship and the development of gifts.