The Spirit Comes

ACTS 2:1-13

The Church Age Dawns

The Holy Spirit is God's essential gift to the church.

- **To implement God's purposes**
- **To empower the members to obey Christ**

A church is meant to be a living organism, alive, vibrant, and growing.

- **Christ is to be its Head and the Spirit is God's abiding presence within the body.**

When the Spirit Comes

. . . the unexplainable happens

When the Spirit Comes

. . . God's people become empowered to things they couldn't do before.

When the Spirit Comes

. . . there is understanding and unity.

When the Spirit Comes

. . . people are astounded and amazed.

When the Spirit Comes

. . . some will want to criticize what they don’t understand.

When the Spirit Comes

. . . people's lives are changed forever (37-41).