

3. How far do God's promises about salvation extend? (Acts 2:39-40)

4. What is the result of Peter's preaching? (Acts 2:41)

Table Talk

- 1) What is surprising and what is not surprising about the people's response to Peter's preaching? What does this response suggest about the importance of preaching that is rooted in Scripture? (v. 37)
- 2) Define repentance. What is the relationship between repentance to salvation? What is the relationship of baptism to salvation? Does one need to repent to be saved? Does one need to be baptized to be saved? Why or why not? (v. 38)
- 3) How far do God's promises about salvation extend? Who are you praying for that the Lord would call to Himself? (v. 39) What does the phrasing "everyone whom the Lord our God calls" suggest about who is the initiator of salvation?
- 4) How do we know that the words recorded in Acts 2 do not contain all that Peter preached? (v. 40) What was the purpose of all of his words?
- 5) What was the result of Peter's preaching? (v. 41) Why do the results vary in the presenting of the Gospel? Are there ways that we can improve results or not?