



Impact – Acts 2

CONTEXT

- Read Genesis 11:1-9
 - What do we learn about humans and their languages from this passage?

OBSERVATION

- Read Acts 2 – complete the following logic flow diagram

<p>WHAT AMAZING / PERPLEXING (v12) THING(S) HAPPENS?</p>	<p>WHAT IS PETER'S EXPLANATION FOR IT?</p>	<p>WHY HAS THIS HAPPENED NOW?</p>	<p>WHAT IS THE CROWD'S REACTION?</p>
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MEANING

- Why do you think our author, Luke, point out the great variety of nationalities and languages present in Jerusalem?
- What Old Testament passages does Peter refer to in his speech?
 - What promises does he draw attention to?
 - How are these fulfilled in Christ?
- Why does Jesus' resurrection and ascension usher in the age of the Spirit?
- God sent his Spirit on people in the Old Testament – how are things different in Acts 2?
- What is the response of the crowd?
 - Why do they respond this way?

- Should we expect a similar response to a gospel announcement like this in Perth in 2022?
Why / Why not?

APPLICATION

- We now live in the age of the Spirit – how does this impact on your relationship with God?
- Have a go at writing down how you would answer someone who asked you: ‘How did you become a Christian?’
 - Could you answer in 2mins? Could you answer in less than 25 words? Have a go.

PRAYER:

- Thank God that he has brought in the age of the Spirit now by his Son and that we can know him intimately.
- Pray that God would use North Coast Church to announce the Lordship of Jesus and that he would draw others to repentance and baptism in Jesus’ name.