

Obedient To Our



“The Spirit that Energizes the Gospel”

Acts 2:37-41
PART 7

Heavenly Calling

INTRODUCTION

- our multi-tasking Holy Spirit

- Peter’s Gospel Message

1. *Gospel Responses*

- cut, pierced, wounded to the heart

- “what shall we do?!”

Acts 16:30; 22:10

#1 response: repentance

1 Thess. 1:9; Acts 17:30; 26:19-20

“Repentance means turning from as much as you know of your sin to give as much as you know of yourself to as much as you know of your God, and your knowledge grows at these three points so our practice of repentance has to be enlarged.”
– J.I. Packer

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#2 response: baptism in the name of Jesus

“...acknowledging His claims, subscribing to His doctrines,
engaging in His service, and relying on His merits...”

– J.A. Alexander

2. *Gospel Promises*

- baptism...*for* the forgiveness of sins

+ interpretive options

+ interpretive decisions

Eph. 2:8-9; 1 Cor. 1:17; Acts 10:47-48

#1 promise: forgiveness

#2 promise: the Holy Spirit Himself

- recipients of the promises (2:38-39)

– spiritually dead nature

Eph. 2:1-3

– God’s work of regeneration

Ezk. 11:19; 36:26; Eph. 2:8

– God’s gift of faith & repentance

Eph. 2:8; Acts 5:31; 2 Tim. 2:25-26

CONCLUSION