

## THE DAY OF PENTECOST (ACTS 2) – 11 MARCH 2023

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An extremely long chapter – the coming of the Holy Spirit, Peter’s sermon, the first mass baptism, and a utopic view of the early church.

Before you start, take a moment to think about the Holy Spirit in Luke’s first book. In Luke the Holy Spirit is only really in the beginning of the book, look up these passages and consider what we (as modern day Theophilusses) know about the Spirit:

Luke 1:15; 35; 41; 67; 2:25–26; 3:16–22; 4:1.

Luke 11:13; 12:10–12.

### **Some Light Reading**

I have some reading for you, which I hope will lead to some good discussion this week!

[Chilson, Adriel. "Pentecostalism in Early Adventism." \*Adventist Review\* 169 \(December 10, 1992\): 18-19.](#)

**You may need to find the correct page in the online PDF!**

[https://adventistdigitallibrary.org/adl-356007/adventist-review-december-10-1992?view\\_only=true&solr\\_nav%5Bid%5D=4a65127ff8a3f5a6970b&solr\\_nav%5Bpage%5D=0&solr\\_nav%5Boffset%5D=0](https://adventistdigitallibrary.org/adl-356007/adventist-review-december-10-1992?view_only=true&solr_nav%5Bid%5D=4a65127ff8a3f5a6970b&solr_nav%5Bpage%5D=0&solr_nav%5Boffset%5D=0)

[Read, W. E. "The Gift of Tongues: Some Experiences in the History of the Advent Movement." \*Ministry\* 37 \(August 1964\): 18-23.](#)

<https://www.ministrymagazine.org/archive/1964/08/the-gift-of-tongues>

<https://www.bibleodyssey.org/passages/main-articles/pentecost-acts-21-4/>

### **Questions**

As you read these, consider some of these questions:

How does the Holy Spirit at Pentecost build on what we learnt in Luke?

What do you think happened on Pentecost?

How do these descriptions of early Adventist gatherings resonate with you?