

# WHAT SHALL WE DO?

## ACTS 2:37-41

*How did you see God working in your life this week? (Romans 1:11, 12)*

**REPENT (CHANGE YOUR THINKING).** The Greek word for repent is metanoeo, which means to have a change of mind. “Theologically, it involves regret or sorrow, accompanied by a true change of heart toward God.” Spiros Zodhiates, The Complete Word Study Dictionary-New Testament, page 969. “The Spirit always leads people to think.....the greatest trouble is that men and women go through life without thinking.” Martyn Lloyd-Jones, Authentic Christianity, page 53. (Acts 2:37, 38, fn 2:37, John 3:5-15, fn 3:10, 11, John 8:32, fn 8:32, II Corinthians 4:2-6, fn 4:3, 4, Hosea 4:6) *How was your mind changed when you were born again?*

**BE BAPTIZED (CHANGE YOUR IDENTITY).** Baptism is an outward expression of an inward faith. It is a witness to believers and to the world that you are now a child of God. To be baptized in the name of Jesus means to be identified with Him and what He stands for. Zodhiates, pages 310-312. (Acts 2:38, Matthew 28:19, fn 28:19[2<sup>nd</sup>], Romans 6:1-4, fn 6:1-4, I Peter 3:21, fn 3:21) *Is baptism necessary for salvation? Why or why not?*

**RECEIVE THE GIFT, (BE CHANGED).** If you received the Gift of the Holy Spirit, it lives in you, changing you. (Acts 2:38-41, John 5:24, fn 5:24, John 14:15-21, fn 14:18, Ephesians 1:13, 14, fn 1:13, 14, Ephesians 2:8, 9, fn 2:8, 9, II Corinthians 5:17, fn 5:17, John 1:12, 13, fn 1:12, 13, Romans 3:23) *How and in what order would you use these Scriptures to lead someone to Christ?*

*Pray for one another's needs.*

*Who in your group needs your encouragement by phone or personal attention?*

