

The First Sermon (Part III): Imperatives of Salvation Acts 02:37–40

<p>1 <i>The people were convicted and cried out, “What shall we do?”</i></p>	<p>37 When the people heard this, they were cut to the heart and said to Peter and the other apostles, “Brothers, what shall we do?”</p>
<p>2 <i>The imperative: Repent and be baptized</i></p>	<p>38 Peter replied, “Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.</p>
<p>3 <i>The results: Forgiveness and receiving of the Holy Spirit</i></p>	<p>39 The promise is for you and your children and for all who are far off — for all whom the Lord our God will call.”</p>
<p>4 <i>The assurance to all: God’s promise and God’s personal call</i></p>	<p>40 With many other words he warned them; and he pleaded with them, “Save yourselves from this corrupt generation.”</p>