

The House of God

Acts 2:1-11

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IV. The Special Pronouncements

Just fifty days before Pentecost the veil in the Temple was rent from top to bottom and so displayed before Israel, “God’s glory isn’t h_____!”

God had established a presence among men, a house where He would dwell among them. Everything about this tabernacle was to be built according to the p_____, because it was a___ to reflect the Lord Jesus and His finished work. (Joh.5:39; Exo.25:40)

When it was finished the Lord’s glory filled the tabernacle. Thus, G___ acknowledged, “This is M___ House!” (Exo.40:33-35)

Again in 2 Chronicles 5:14 God’s manifested glory was given to declare of Solomon’s t_____, “This is My House.”

These houses were only the s_____ of the real. (Heb.10:1)

But now we turn to the New Testament where we see that the Glory of God Himself now is “t_____” among us. (Joh.1:14)

Though the Lord Jesus is God, still we see the m_____ presence of God descends upon Him to mark Him out as the House of God. (Joh.1:29-34)

The Lord Jesus c_____ to be the true temple of God. (Joh.2:18-22)

God the Father is c_____ by this special manifestation by His Spirit at Pentecost, “Jesus of Nazareth is indeed My Son in Whom I am well-pleased.”

The Lord Jesus will f_____ be the tabernacle of God. (Col.2:9)

God is still dwelling among men. E_____ of His saints is now a temple where His presence abides. (Joh.7:37-39; 14:17; Act.2:1-4; 1Co.6:19-20; 2Co.6:14-16)

The Lord’s kingdom is not ethnic now, but s_____. (Mat.21:43; Joh.3:3-7; 4:21-24; Mat.11:11; 1Pe.2:9-10)

The Spirit of God came upon the N.T. church as He did upon the Tabernacle and Temple, verifying and publicly o_____ the church as His temple. (Act.2:1-4; 1Co.3:9-17)

The Holy Spirit came down upon them in church capacity as with the Tabernacle and Temple to establish the o_____ and a_____ by which the work of the kingdom was to be carried out – through the local, visible called-out assembly of baptized believers in the N.T. church. (Mat.18:17-20)

The Lord is in the midst of His churches and will be to the e_____ of the age. (Mat.28:20; Rev.1:13)

Does Acts 2:1 describe your relationship to the Lord and His people?