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Why Pentecost

- ❑ 50 Days after the Passover Sabbath (Leviticus 23:15-16)
- ❑ 1st Day of the week
- ❑ Festival of weeks (Deuteronomy 16:10)
- ❑ Festival of Harvest (Exodus 23:16)
- ❑ Day of First Fruits (Numbers 28:26)
- ❑ Tradition says the day God gave Moses the Law

Who is the Holy Spirit?

- ❑ Triune God – Three in One



Who is the Holy Spirit?

- ❑ The Holy Spirit is a promise

- ❑ John 14:25-26

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Who is the Holy Spirit?

❑ 'He **NOT** 'it'



Who is the Holy Spirit?

- ❑ 'He is involved in creation – bringing life out of chaos - Genesis 1:1-2
- ❑ Involved in giving life to humanity – Genesis 2:7

Promised by the Father in Prophecy

- ❑ 'They know me' – Jeremiah 31:31-34
- ❑ 'I will put my Spirit on you' – Ezekiel 26:26-27
- ❑ 'A river flowing from the temple' – Ezekiel 47
- ❑ 'I will pour out my spirit on all people' – Joel 2:28-29

But when Jesus came!

- ❑ John the Baptist – Luke 1:15
- ❑ Mary – Luke 1:41
- ❑ Elizabeth - Luke 1:67
- ❑ Simeon – Luke 2:25-27
- ❑ John the Baptist links the Holy Spirit with Jesus – Luke 3:16
- ❑ Luke 3:22 – Baptizdo – ‘to drench’



Acts 2:38 – Peter replied ‘repent and be baptised, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of sins. And you will receive the Holy Spirit.

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