

Fitting Acts into the BIG Picture
The Church: Spreading the Promised Blessing
Selected Scripture

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Grab it:

Do I understand....

that my faith is not about m_e and m_y desires but about God
and His desires?

that God intends for me to understand His calling and
purpose for my life and to live it accordingly?

that God wants me to see beyond my own self-
centeredness to embrace His “more than I can
imagine” kingdom work?

Something New is coming!

- A new covenant to fulfill the blessing promised
through Abraham (Jeremiah 31:31-34; Luke 2:28-32)

- It was secured by the death and resurrection of
Jesus Christ, who was the fulfillment of the promised
descendant of Abraham (Matthew 1:1-16;
John 8:52-58; Acts 2:36-39; Gal 3:15-19)

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- God brings about a n e w c r e a t i o n – a people called the c h u r c h (Matthew 16:13-19; Ephesians 2:11-3:12; Corinthians 5:17)

- The new creation is given a m i s s i o n that is b i g g e r than themselves (John 15:26-27; 17:18-23; Matthew 28:18-20; Mark 16:15-16; Acts 1:8)

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