

Using God's Means for Growth

A. Introduction

B. Scripture

C. Outline

1. What is the church? (Acts 2:37-41)
 - a. _____ (2:41a)
 - b. _____ (2:14-40)
 - c. _____ (2:41b)
 - d. _____ (2:41c, 44, 46a)
 - e. _____ (2:42a)
 - f. _____ (2:42b)
2. How does the church grow? (Acts 2:41-47)

The foundation of Christian growth

1. Grounded in the gospel
2. Growing in Christ
3. Looking to Jesus

The process of Christian growth

4. Using God's means for growth
5. Becoming who you are

The difficulties of Christian growth

6. Benefitting from suffering
7. Fighting temptation + Persevering

g. _____ (2:42c, 46b)

h. _____ (2:42d)

i. _____ (2:45)

j. _____ (2:46)

k. _____ (2:47a)

l. _____ (Matt. 18:15-17; Tit. 3:10-11)

m. _____ (Col. 3:16)

D. Homework