# Acts

# (BT80310)

10 Units 3 Study Credits

## DESCRIPTION

A study of the book of Acts, identifying the main themes and tracing the fast-moving account of the rapid expansion of the early church as we seek to highlight lessons for the contemporary church of our day.

**OBJECTIVES**

As a result of the student’s successful completion of this module, s/he will:

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| **Cognitive** *(Head)* | * be familiar with outline, structure and main themes of Acts |
| **Behavioural** *(Hand)* | * be able to identify the lessons to be learned by the church today from the church of the time of Acts |
| **Affective** *(Heart)* | * have a greater appreciation of the work of the Holy Spirit in working through his appointed messengers and expanding the church throughout the nations |

## TEXT BOOKS

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| **Required** | Stott, John R W *The Message of Acts* IVP |
| **Recommended** | Bruce, F F *The Acts of the Apostles* Eerdmans  Johnson, Dennis E *Let’s Study Acts* Banner of Truth  Keddie, Gordon J *You Are My Witnesses* Evangelical Press |

## SCHEDULE

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| **Date** | **Subject** |  |
| 30 September | Overview |  |
| 7 October | Acts 1:1 – 2:47 |  |
| 14 October | Acts 3:1 – 6:7 |  |
| 21 October | Acts 6:8 – 9:31 |  |
| 28 October | Acts 9:32 – 11:18 |  |
| *4 November* | *No class* |  |
| 11 November | Acts 11:19 – 14:28 |  |
| 18 November | Acts 15:1 – 18:22 |  |
| 25 November | Acts 18:23 – 21:16 |  |
| 2 December | Acts 21:17 – 23:30 |  |
| 9 December | Acts 23:31 – 28:31 |  |

**See over page for details of assignment**

**ASSIGNMENT**

Choose **ONE** of the following major themes of the book of Acts and write a 1,200 word assignment pinpointing relevant lessons for the church today.

* The work of the Holy Spirit
* Prayer
* The expansion of the Church
* The ministry of the word

**Submission Date: 6 January 2026**