

Church and State – The Early Church in Acts Lesson 1 – What is the Church?

- I. The Church Begins – What is it?
- II. The Jewish Sanhedrin
- III. The Herodian Rulers
- IV. The Roman Emperor

V. The Church is:

- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____
- d. _____

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For Further Discussion:

1. Why is it important that, unlike temporal nations and governments, the church is eternal?
2. In what sense is the church unlike other communities?
3. Is it possible to fulfill the mission of the church without coming into conflict with authorities or governments?



Nations Mentioned in Acts 2, The Day of Pentecost