

**Acts: O Church, Arise!**  
January 25, 2026 – Acts 7:2-8  
**Recounting God's Grace**

**Message for today** – Salvation is God's initiative, and it is all by His grace and for His glory

**God appeared to Abraham**

When he lived outside of the Promised Land

He called him to leave his land and kindred

**God made a promise**

Land

Offspring

Deliverance

Worship

**God gave a covenant**

Circumcision

Generations

**Reflections**  
Acts 7:2-8

**Hear the Word**

1. What is this passage telling me about who God is (His character, actions, attributes, Word)?
2. What does it tell me about Abraham in respect to the call of God?
3. What purpose does the call of Abraham serve in Stephen's sermon based on what he includes or omits from Abraham's life?
4. What themes do I see here, and how do any of those connect with what I am currently facing?
5. How does this passage point me to Jesus, and help me to see the gospel more clearly?

**Do the Word**

1. How do my actions, thoughts, words or emotions need to change in light of this passage?
2. What evidence of God's work in my life do I need to thank and praise Him for?
3. How does my prayer life need to change as a result of this?
4. Do I see any other way that this should impact my worship of God?

**Next Week: Acts 7:9-19**