

## Listening for God

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The United Church of Christ has proudly proclaimed that “God is still speaking.”

God has spoken in ancient times and, I believe, continues to speak to and through us today.

Sometimes God speaks to our hearts and other times through actions. Chances are that God communicates with us far more often than we are aware.

The book of Acts includes the story of Peter being inspired to preach to a diverse crowd of people. Amazingly, everyone heard Peter’s message in his/her own language.

People were caught up in the moment and aware that something extraordinary was happening. As they talked among themselves, they asked two important questions. First, they asked, “What does this mean?” Then they asked, “What are we supposed to do?”

Are you hearing God in your life? If not, pick a day this week and “listen” for the “voice” of God.

- Pay attention all of the ordinary and extraordinary things that happen in your day.



- Notice the people who speak to you and those around you in public areas.
- Enjoy the sunrise, smell the air, feel the grass, and stare at the moon.

As you go through the day ask yourself, “What does this mean?” and “What I am supposed to do?”

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