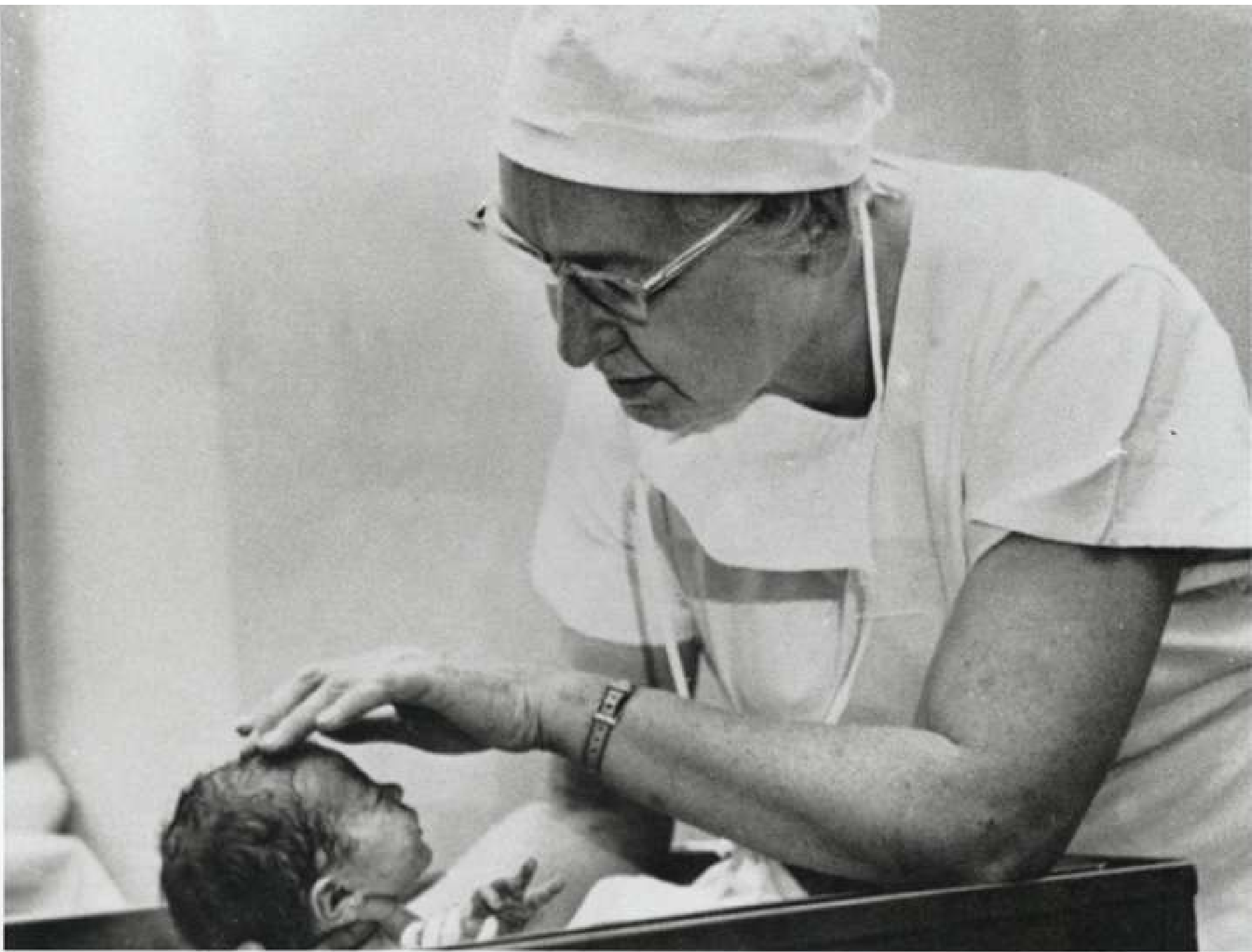


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A Spiritual APGAR Test

How to Know
You Are
Spiritually
Alive

Acts 2



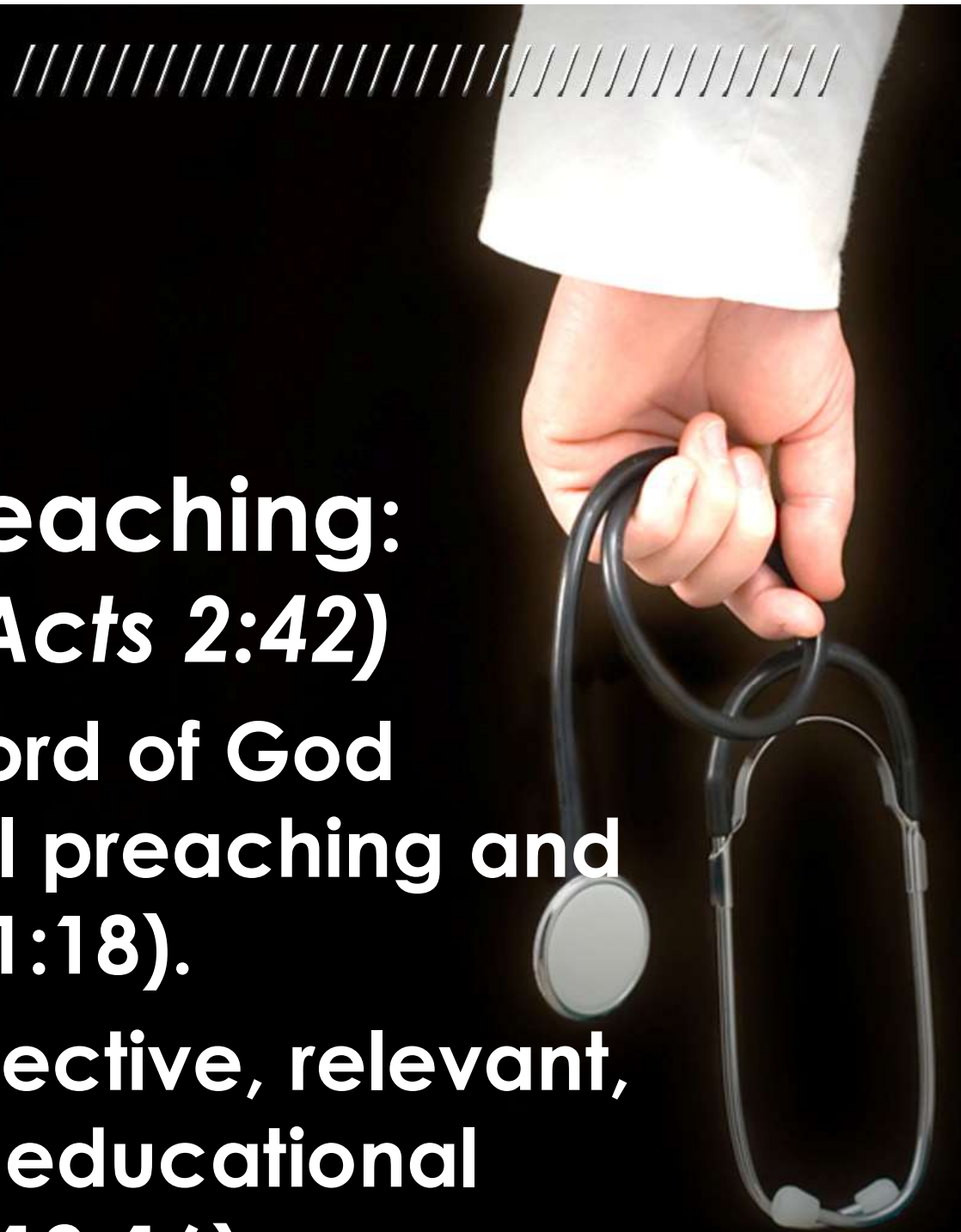


- **Let's look at a spiritual 'Apgar Score' on Acts 2, Luke's proud snapshot of the healthy, bouncing baby church in Jerusalem. Each area also gives the church a mandate for our NT mission – sharing the vision of the Gospel.**

A Spiritual APGAR Test

**Appetite for preaching:
public worship (*Acts 2:42*)**

- To uphold the Word of God through doctrinal preaching and teaching (*1 Cor. 1:18*).**
- To provide an effective, relevant, disciple-making educational program (*Eph. 4:12-16*).**



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**Appetite for preaching:
public worship (*Acts 2:42*)**

- To give regular, wholehearted worship in a worthy manner through thoughtful words, Christ-centered music, and devoted prayer (*Acts 5:42; Col. 3:14-17*).**



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Power (Acts 2:43)

- To supply pastoral care and deacon service through ordinances and personal attention to each need of the body of Christ (*1 Tim. 3:1-13*).



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Generosity (Acts 2:44-45)

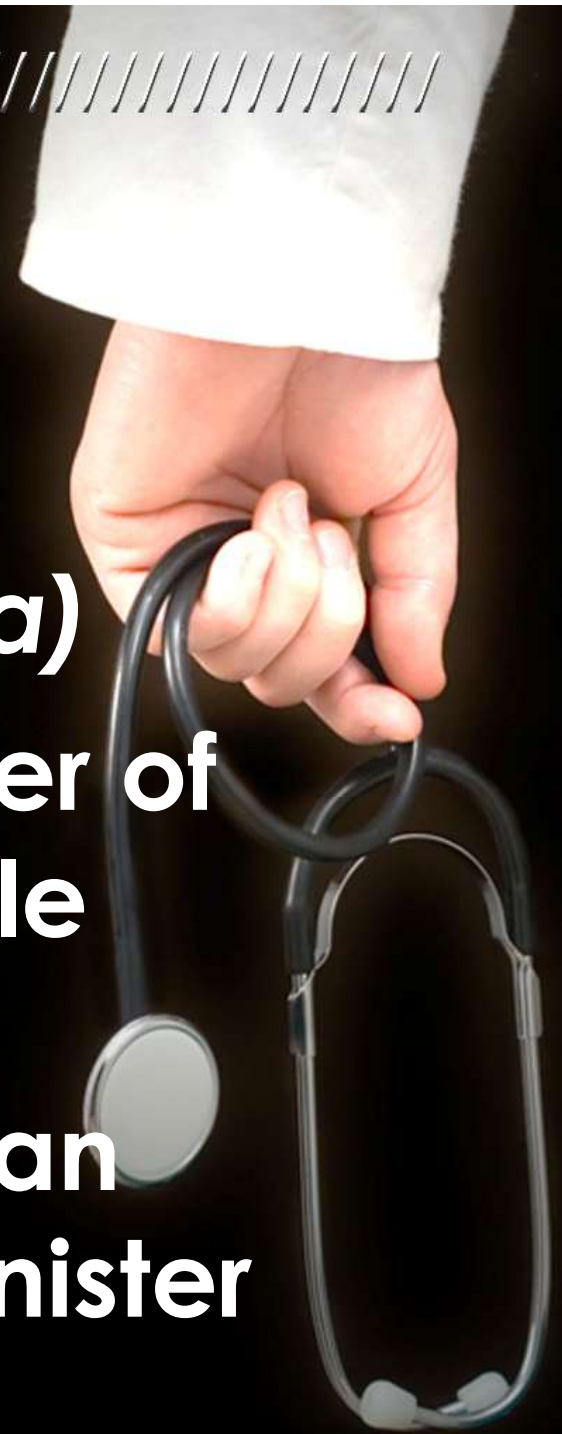
–To serve the community
through ministries of
mercy and grace –
benefiting our community
through His love in action
(II Cor. 9:5-15).



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Associates (*Acts 2:46-47a*)

- To integrate every member of the congregation into Bible studies and other groups where individual needs can be met and each can minister to others (*Heb. 10:24-25*).



A Spiritual APGAR Test

Reproduction (*Acts 2:47b*)

- To advance the missionary work of the Gospel—
impacting our culture
locally, regionally, and
globally
(*Matthew 28:19-20*).





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