



as the crowd listened, they began to love Jesus. Three thousand of them said that they wanted to be his followers.

After that, they often met together in the Temple. The Temple was something like our church. Then Peter and the other disciples, who had learned from Jesus himself, would teach the new followers. All together those people made up Jesus' **FIRST CHURCH**.

Their going to the Temple was like our going to church or Sunday school, wasn't it?

DO YOU GO EACH WEEK TO SUNDAY SCHOOL? DO YOU LEARN THE LESSONS THERE?

TWO VERSES TO LEARN

"Enter into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise."

—Psalm 100 : 4.

"Christ also loved the church, and gave himself for it."

—Ephesians 5 : 25.

