
**What will a church look like if it
answers God's call to
discipleship?**

“Doing church God's way”

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Commissioning

Count-down

Co-workers

Let’s look for characteristics

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Commissioning

“Then the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had told them to go” (Matt 28:16)

Obedient

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“When they saw him, they worshipped him; but some doubted.” (Matt 28:17)

Theologically careful:
“Is it really OK to worship Jesus as
God?”

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“Jesus came to them and said, ‘All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me.’” (Matt 28:18)

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*“make disciples of all nations,
baptising them
and teaching them to obey Me”*

Enrolled, separated, committed

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*“Do not leave Jerusalem, but wait
for the gift my Father promised”
(Acts 1:4)*

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“in a few days you will be baptised with the Holy Spirit.” (Acts 1:5)

“you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.” (Acts 1:8)

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Enrolled, separated, committed

Obedient, dependant, expectant

Power-filled

and ready for ... what?

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“All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.”

(Acts 2:4)

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*“how is it that each of us hears them
in our native language?”*

(Acts 2:7)

*“we hear them declaring the wonders
of God in our own tongues!”* *(Acts 2:11)*

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Doing church God's way requires:

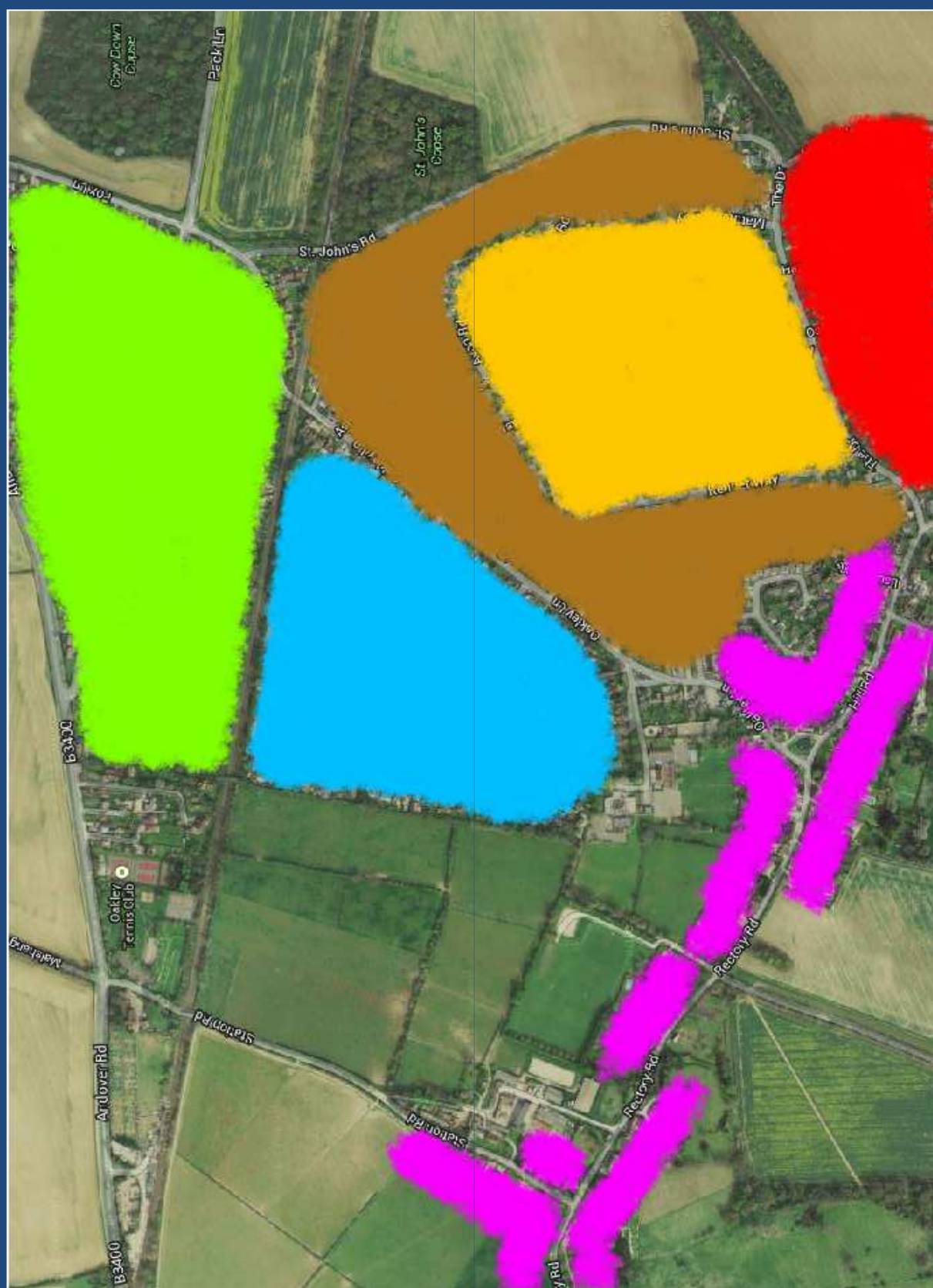
Enrolled, separated, committed,
obedient, dependant, expectant,
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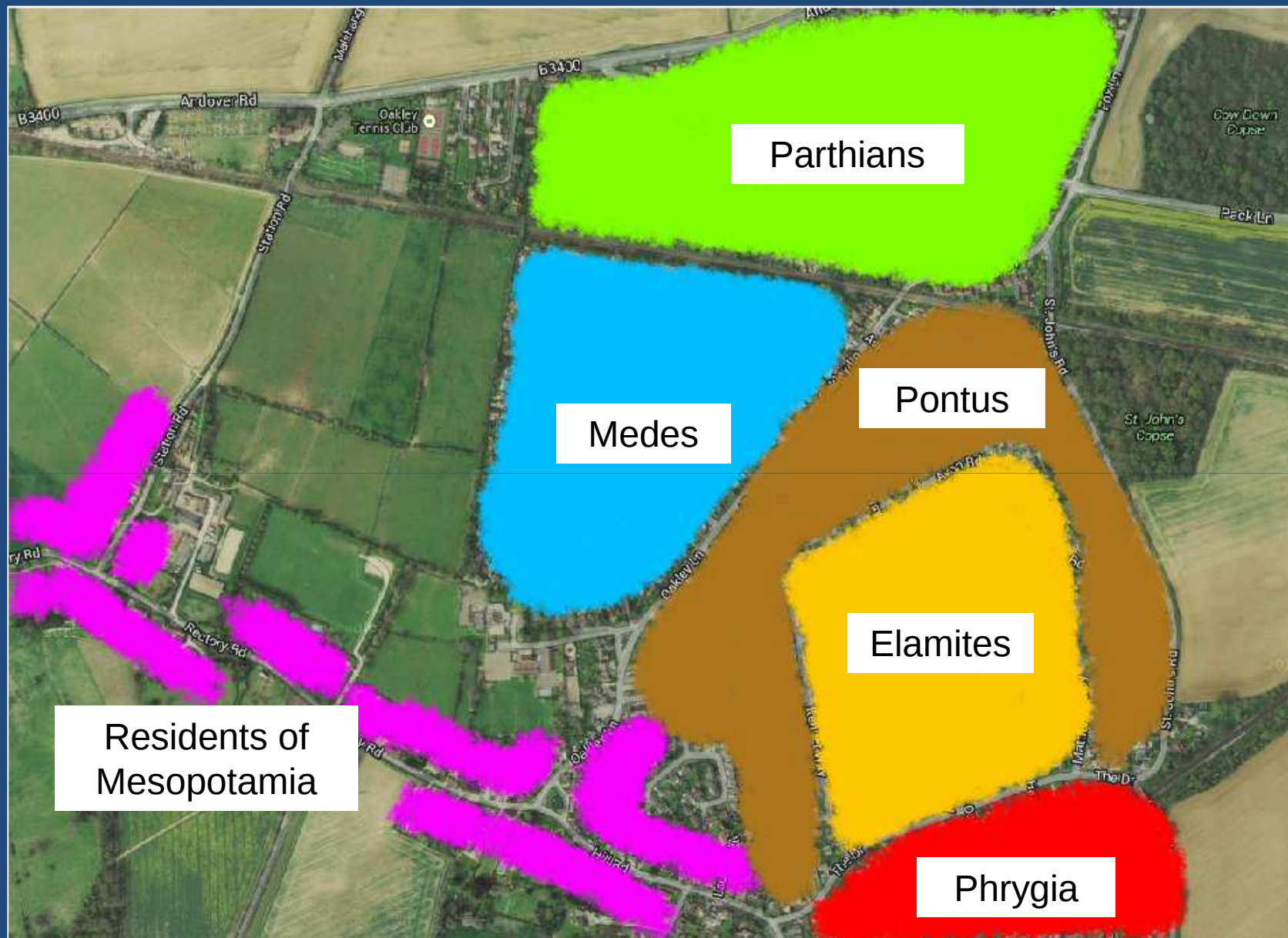
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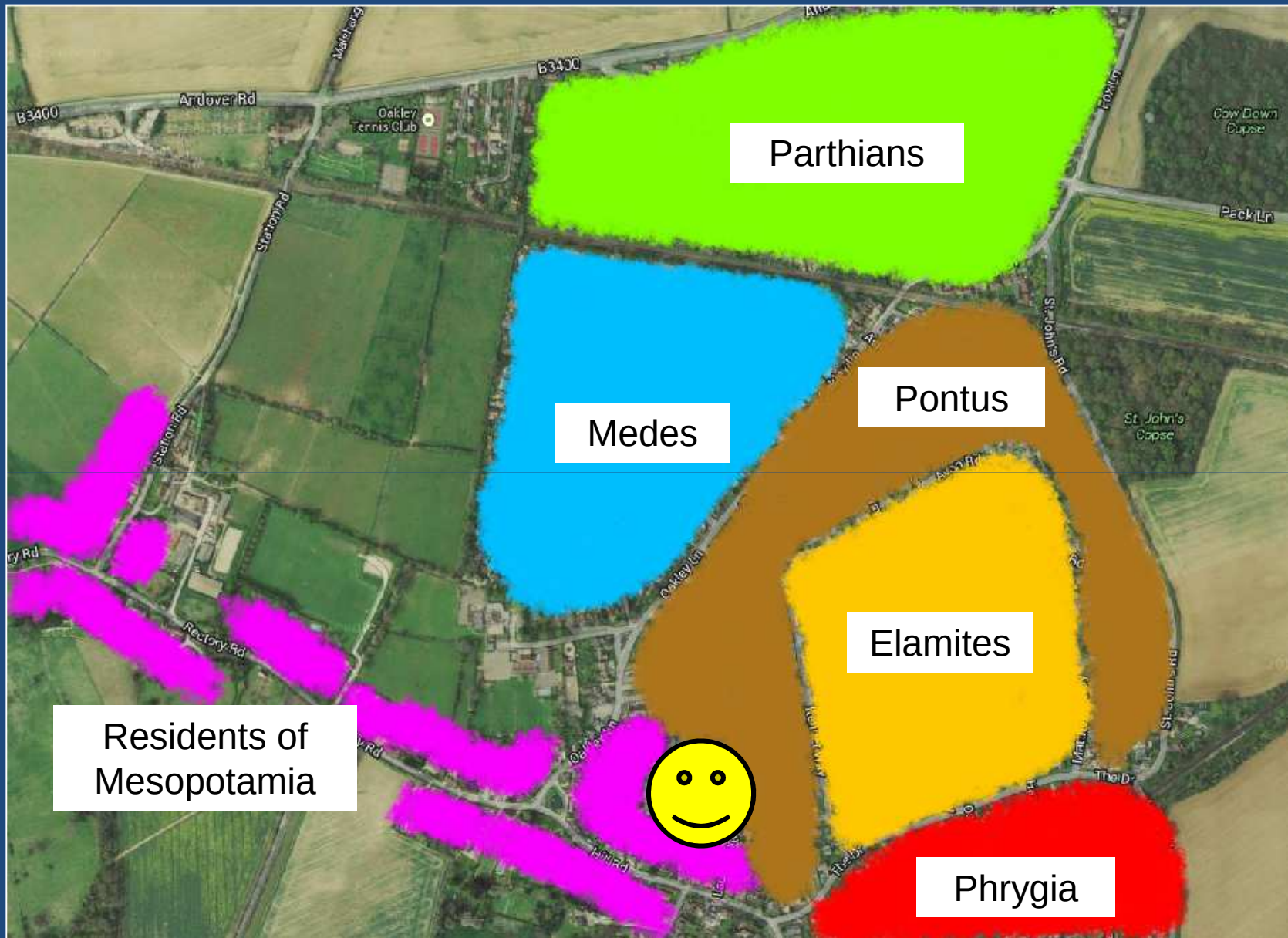
Able to speak the languages of

*Parthians, Medes and Elamites;
residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and
Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia,
Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and
the parts of Libya near Cyrene;
visitors from Rome, Cretans and
Arabs*





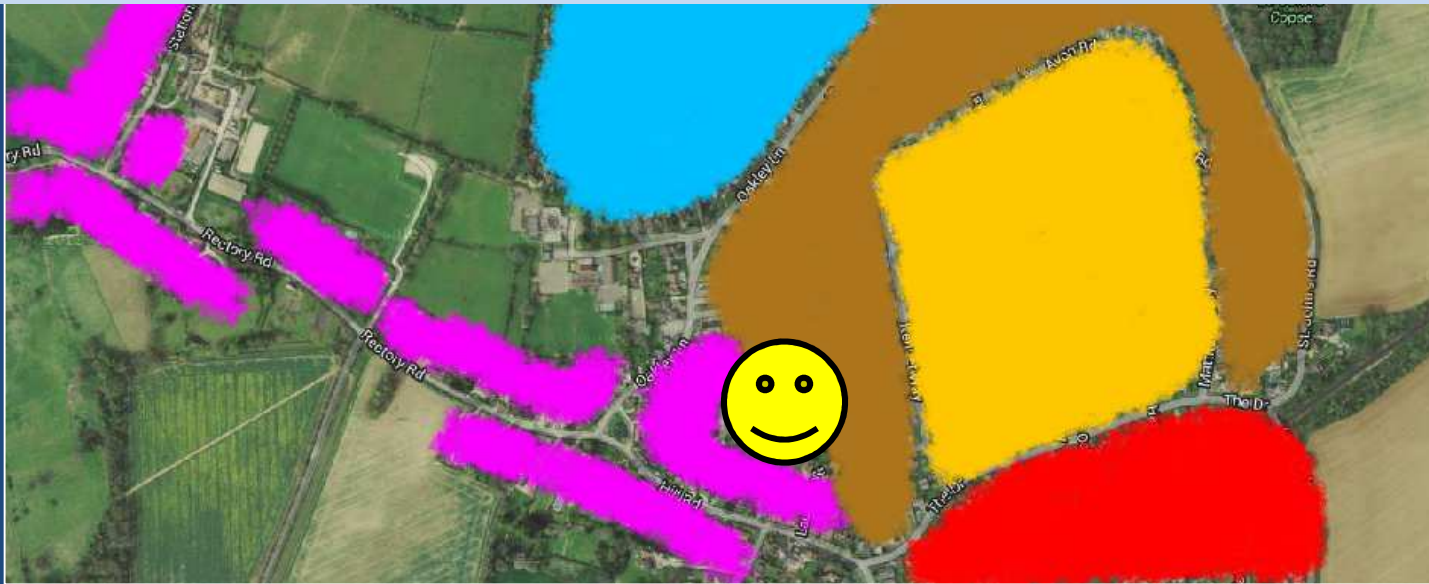




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“we hear them declaring the wonders of God in our own tongues!” (Acts 2:11)



[The following text is a dense, handwritten manuscript, likely a letter or a page from a book. It is written in a cursive script and is mostly illegible due to the quality of the scan. The text appears to be a continuous paragraph or a series of connected sentences. The handwriting is somewhat slanted and the ink is dark. There are some words that are more legible than others, but the overall content cannot be accurately transcribed.]