

PRAY

HOLY SPIRIT, OPEN THE HEARTS OF YOUR PEOPLE, FILL US WITH THE BREATH OF LIFE, AND KINDLE IN US THE FIRE OF YOUR LOVE. CALL US BEYOND OUR FEARS AND ANXIETY TO LIVE FREELY AND COURAGEOUSLY WITH GRACE, POWER, LOVE, AND SELF-DISCIPLINE. FILL US WITH PASSION FOR SHARING THE GOOD NEWS AND SEND US FORTH AS LIGHT TO THE WORLD. IN JESUS' NAME WE PRAY. AMEN.

BLESS

MAY THE HOLY SPIRIT GIVE YOU CONFIDENCE TO SHARE YOUR FAITH AND USE YOUR SPIRITUAL GIFTS SO THAT OTHERS KNOW JESUS' LOVE THROUGH YOU.

MEMORY VERSE

FOR GOD HAS NOT GIVEN US A SPIRIT OF FEAR AND TIMIDITY, BUT OF POWER, LOVE, AND SELF-DISCIPLINE.
2 TIMOTHY 1:7 NLT

DAILY VERSES

ACTS 2:2-4
ROMAN 10:14
MATTHEW 10:19-20

JOHN 16:8, 13
1 CORINTHIANS 12:7
1 CORINTHIANS 14:1

FOR NEXT WEEK

HELP IS HERE: CHAPTERS 13



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40 DAYS OF

STRENGTH

CALVARY 40DAY SPIRITUAL GROWTH JOURNEY

Moving With
THE SPIRIT

Week 5

SHARE

- Welcome & Opening Prayer
- Share how you're coming into group today with a Two-Word Check-In (e.g., 'Tired but hopeful,' 'Peaceful, curious,' 'Rushed, grateful').

"THE SPIRIT TURNS COMMON FOLK INTO UNCOMMON FORCES." -HELP IS HERE

READ & TALK

HELP IS HERE CHAPTER 11
"THE SPIRIT AS TONGUES OF FIRE"
ACTS 2:2-6

Read about "Pentecost Peter" in Acts 2:2-6, then turn to **Question 2** (p. 200) to explore how Peter has changed since Luke 22.

Reflect on your own faith and consider sharing your insights with the group.

Continue the discussion with **Question 3** about a strong Pentecost faith.

Max says: "God's plan is reduced to one strategy: ordinary folks telling about the extraordinary story of Jesus with the extraordinary power of the Holy Spirit."

Keep that strategy in mind as you talk about sharing your faith in **Questions 6 & 8**.

"THE HOLY SPIRIT IS THE ULTIMATE GIFT GIVER. HE GARNISHES HIS CHILDREN WITH SUPERNATURAL ABILITIES THAT GLORIFY GOD, BLESS THE NEEDY, AND EDIFY THE CHURCH." -HELP IS HERE

READ & TALK

HELP IS HERE CHAPTER 12
"THE SPIRIT AS THE GIFT GIVER"
1 CORINTHIANS 12:4,7,11

In Week 2, Pastor Jonathan shared about Spiritual Gifts. Here, in Chapter 12, Max expands on this topic, describing the Holy Spirit as the ultimate gift giver—the one who equips the body of Christ with diverse gifts for God's work and so that through each of us others will be blessed.

Read the verses from 1 Corinthians 12, then work through the following questions.

Let them guide you to a deeper appreciation of the spiritual gifts God has given to you and to the Church.

- **Question 4**
- **Question 8**
- **Question 10**

APOSTLESHIP-DISCERNMENT OF SPIRITS-
EVANGELISM-ENCOURAGEMENT-FAITH-GENEROSITY-
HEALING-HELPS-INTERPRETATION OF TONGUES-
KNOWING-LEADERSHIP-MERCY-MIRACLES-
NURTURING-PROCLAMATION-SERVANTHOOD-
SHEPHERDING-TEACHING-TONGUES-WISDOM

APPLY

If you haven't taken the Spiritual Gifts Inventory yet, take a few minutes this week to discover how the Holy Spirit has uniquely gifted you.

SAVE THE DATE:

A DEEPER DIVE INTO YOUR SPIRITUAL GIFTS

CLASS LED BY DEBBIE HEIERMAN
BEGINNING JANUARY 12 @ 6PM

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