

Discussion Guide: October 11th, 2026

Message Series: *Let's Go!*

Message: Living in the Spirit's power

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Take Home Truth: The Holy Spirit was poured out on all believers to empower them to point people to Jesus.

Focus Passages: (NLT)

Acts 2:14-15 Then Peter stepped forward with the eleven other apostles and shouted to the crowd, "Listen carefully, all of you, fellow Jews and residents of Jerusalem! Make no mistake about this. These people are not drunk, as some of you are assuming. Nine o'clock in the morning is much too early for that.

Acts 2:16-21 No, what you see was predicted long ago by the prophet Joel: 'In the last days,' God says, 'I will pour out my Spirit upon all people. Your sons and daughters will prophesy. Your young men will see visions, and your old men will dream dreams. In those days I will pour out my Spirit even on my servants- men and women alike- and they will prophesy. And I will cause wonders in the heavens above and signs on the earth below- blood and fire and clouds of smoke. The sun will become dark, and the moon will turn blood red before that great and glorious day of the Lord arrives. But everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.'

Acts 2:22-23 "People of Israel, listen! God publicly endorsed Jesus the Nazarene by doing powerful miracles, wonders, and signs through him, as you well know. But God knew what would happen, and his prearranged plan was carried out when Jesus was betrayed. With the help of lawless Gentiles, you nailed him to a cross and killed him.

John 16:7 It is best for you that I go away, because if I don't, the Advocate won't come. If I do go away, then I will send him to you.

Acts 4:13 When they saw the courage of Peter and John and realized that they were unschooled, ordinary men, they were astonished and they took note that these men had been with Jesus.

Acts 2:24 God released him from the horrors of death and raised him back to life, for death could not keep him in its grip.

Romans 8:11a The Spirit of God, who raised Jesus from the dead, lives in you.

Message Highlights:

- P- Prophecy was fulfilled
- O- Outpouring of the Spirit
- U- Unveiling of Jesus
- R- Resurrection of Jesus

Discussions Questions:

1. **Read Acts 2:14-15.** Notice that Peter stood with the eleven other disciples. He didn't stand by himself. Peter heard the mockery and couldn't remain quiet. What things are you silent about when you should be speaking the truth?
2. Prophecy was fulfilled. **Read Acts 2:16-21.** Peter didn't invent an explanation. He quotes from the prophecy about pentecost and describes the last days. It says God's Spirit will be poured out on ALL people. God promises "everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved". What does it mean to you that God wants all people to be saved? How has God called you to be a part of what He's doing in the last days? Who is someone you need to share Jesus with because of the urgency of the last days?
3. Outpouring of the Spirit. **Read John 16:7 & Acts 4:13** When people see how you're living, does it make them ask "what's different about you"? If they don't see a difference in you, why is that? What evidence is there that the Holy Spirit is moving in your life?
4. Unveiling of Jesus. **Read Acts 2:22-23.** Peter made sure to transition his sermon to Jesus. How often do your conversations transition to Jesus? How can you move beyond talking about spiritual things and start talking about who Jesus is, what He's done and how He will change their life?

5. Resurrection of Jesus. **Read Acts 2:24 & Romans 8:11a** What hope does the resurrection give you in your life? What's one risk you can take this week, for the sake of the Gospel, that you've been avoiding? How can you start living with the power of the Holy Spirit that's in you?

Time of Prayer:

Dear Heavenly Father, please forgive us for the times we neglect Your Spirit and rely on our own strength. Help us to live each day aware of Your presence within us. Holy Spirit we ask that you guide, direct, encourage and empower us to walk with You and be more like Jesus everyday. Help us to boldly proclaim Jesus as we live in your power everyday. Amen.