

The Filling of the Holy Spirit

Scripture Reference: Acts 2:1-4

On this day we celebrate the _____ of the Church of JESUS CHRIST, HIS dear Family. Please check your “theology at the door,” and focus on the Scriptures.

- I. With HIS Death and Resurrection, JESUS paid for _____ important that you will ever need.
1. Your _____
 2. Your _____
 3. _____ as HIS Child
 4. _____ to GOD
 5. _____ as your Home
 6. Victory over _____
 7. Freedom from _____
 8. Victory over _____

II. But the HOLY Spirit, brings everything JESUS did for you into _____ for you.

III. Seven beautiful phases:

1. On the Day of _____... they were all together in one place. V.1
 - A. Why were they together in one place? Because _____ told them to stay in one place and wait for the Father’s _____. Acts 1:4
 - B. “Pentecost” is the Greek name for the Hebrew _____. (“Shavuot”) This celebration happened _____ days after Passover.
2. Suddenly, there came from _____. V.2, James 1:17 (from where?)
3. A sound ... like a mighty _____, V.2
 - A. The Holy Spirit is always on the _____, always in action. For those HE fills and indwells, HE _____ the same, because the time is critical.
 - B. Like the Wind, which you cannot _____, you can always see the _____ of the Holy Spirit (Breath, Wind, “Pneuma”) ... IF you pay attention. John 3:8
 - C. GOD made a strong statement on the Day of Pentecost, that HIS _____ Gift had arrived. Yet most of the Church today, says, _____
4. Tongues of Fire appeared, V.3
 - A. Your tongue helps you _____ and swallow.
 1. Your tongue allows you to _____.
 2. Your tongue allows you to _____.
 3. Your tongue is the chief way that GOD is _____ and the Gospel is shared. (also how the Spirit is _____. Eph. 4:30)
 4. Your tongue is the _____ of your life. James 3:4-5 Want to be successful?

B. The Holy Spirit's Fire:

1. Brings _____ – physically, psychologically, and emotionally.
Acts 1:8, 1 Cor. 14:4
2. Brings _____ to share the Gospel. Acts 1:8 "you shall be my witnesses"
3. Brings a new heart for _____ to the Believer's life. (HE is Holy)
HIS Fire does not destroy you, but _____ the things that hold you back from reflecting GOD's character. Malachi 3:2-3
4. Brings a new supernatural capacity to _____. Gal. 5:22-23
5. Brings _____ and heat. Can people feel HIM in you?

5. GOD's Holy Presence _____ on each of them. V.3

- A. "Divided" Tongues meant that when the Spirit of GOD came, HIS Presence _____ and went to each of the 120 people in the Upper Room.
- B. "Rested" means each person was a _____ for GOD's Power.
- C. "Each one" means that this was not the lottery for certain _____ people, or that GOD wanted this experience for _____ people, but not for others. Acts 10:34, Acts 2:39

6. And they were all _____ with the Holy Spirit. V.4

- A. These terms, " _____ the Holy Spirit," " _____ of the Holy Spirit," and being " _____ with the Holy Spirit"... are all different _____ of the same experience ... that GOD wants _____ followers of CHRIST to have. _____ Himself, is the One who Baptizes Mark 1:8, Acts 1:5
- B. For anything to effectively run ... it _____.
- C. The Filling of the Holy Spirit is both: 1. An _____
2. And a _____ request. Eph. 5:18
- D. What do you want to be filled with?

7. And began to speak with tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance. V.4

With Filling ... comes _____.

Are you Thirsty? Do you want _____ of HIS Presence? Want to be Filled?
You have _____. Luke 11:13

A Powerful Prayer:

"LORD JESUS, I am thirsty. You told me to ask. I want more of your Presence. Please fill me now with the Holy Spirit. I ask now for HIS Power, HIS Purity, and HIS Passion. Fill me to overflowing. I want more of You. I want everything the Holy Spirit wants to give me. And let me know that you are within me." In JESUS' Name