

BEYOND SUNDAY



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This guide is designed to offer a simple tool for those wanting to take the next step with Sunday's message. You can print this guide to study on your own, or use it in a group and experience transformation together.

MESSAGE THEME

POWER OF THE PROMISE

PRAYER FOCUS

"Thank you God for the fact that you want the best for me. You not only sent your son to pay for my sins and clear my debt, but you want a relationship with me. You're a beautiful Father and you desire my affection. I owe my praise and attention to you God." Amen.

KEY TRUTHS

The Kingdom of God is getting the word in you.

The baptism of the Holy Spirit is really about us having the power to demonstrate and enforce the Kingdom of God.

God promised Abraham that through him all of his descendants would be blessed, yet Abraham was old and still had no children. God made a covenant with him to show His promise. We read in the Bible, "If you are in Christ, then are you Abraham's seed and heirs according to the promise." We receive the promise of the Spirit through faith.

When John the Baptist looks at what is going to happen in Jesus' ministry, he says the number one thing that is going to bring the Kingdom is baptizing with Holy Spirit and fire. The Spirit puts us into the body of Christ, the Church baptizes in water, but Jesus baptizes us in the Holy Spirit. What the Spirit does gets us into heaven, water baptism brings deliverance from the world. Being baptized in the Spirit by Jesus gives us the power to demonstrate the kingdom of God.

When we get saved we do get the Holy Spirit, but did we get all that God has for us?

PRACTICAL APPLICATION

Have you received the Holy Spirit since you believed?

When we accept the Lord as our savior we get the Spirit in us but there is a difference between getting a drink of water and going swimming. Jesus wants to immerse us in the Spirit.

Heavenly Father, I come before you with an open heart to receive all you have for me. You say in your Word that the Holy Spirit is a good gift and that if I ask, I will be filled to overflowing with the Spirit. Lord Jesus, please baptize me now in the Holy Spirit. Thank you for filling me, for empowering me to live a victorious life and be a witness for You. I receive the baptism in the Holy Spirit with the ability to speak with other tongues as you give me utterance. In Jesus' name, amen.

REFERENCE VERSES

- Acts 1:2-8, 2:38-39, 8:12-17, 9:17, 19:1-6
- Genesis 12:1-3, 15:8-18
- Galatians 3:16-18. 3:13-14
- Matthew 3:11, 7:8-11
- John 20:19-22
- Romans 8:9
- 1 Corinthians 12:13

DECLARATIONS

"As an heir of the promise, I get to freely receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. I have access to the Father and all of his gifts. I am blessed to be able to walk through life in relationship with God and continue to get to know him".

WHAT'S NEXT?

Now it's time to write down anything the Lord has spoken to you. Praise Him, Thank Him and ask the Holy Spirit to help you walk this out.



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