

Pneumatics

Powering the Church with Spiritual Gifts



Series Outline

Understanding Spiritual Gifts
Yet Another Incomplete List of Gifts
Misunderstanding and Controversy
Recognizing and Employing Your Gifts



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- We cannot do great things on this Earth, only small things with great love. -- Mother Teresa



Mt 25:37 "Then the righteous will answer Him, saying, 'Lord, when did we see You hungry and feed You, or thirsty and give You drink?

38 'When did we see You a stranger and take You in, or naked and clothe You?

39 'Or when did we see You sick, or in prison, and come to You?'

40 "And the King will answer and say to them, 'Assuredly, I say to you, inasmuch as you did it to one of the least of these My brethren, you did it to Me.'

Mr 11:12 ¶ Now the next day, when they had come out from Bethany, He was hungry.

13 And seeing from afar a fig tree having leaves, He went to see if perhaps He would find something on it. When He came to it, He found nothing but leaves, for it was not the season for figs.

14 In response Jesus said to it, "Let no one eat fruit from you ever again." And His disciples heard it.

Mr 11:19 When evening had come, He went out of the city.

20 Now in the morning, as they passed by, they saw the fig tree dried up from the roots.

21 And Peter, remembering, said to Him, "Rabbi, look! The fig tree which You cursed has withered away."

Mt 5:23 "Therefore if you bring your gift to the altar, and there remember that your brother has something against you, 24 "leave your gift there before the altar, and go your way. First be reconciled to your brother, and then come and offer your gift.





Baptism of the Holy Spirit

Lu 3:16 John answered, saying to all, "I indeed baptize you with water; but One mightier than I is coming, whose sandal strap I am not worthy to loose. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire.

Lu 24:49 "Behold, I send the Promise of My Father upon you; but wait in the city of Jerusalem until you are endued with power from on high."

Ac 1:8 But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you. You will be witnesses to me in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the uttermost parts of the earth."



Boldness

- Ac 2:14 But Peter, standing up with the eleven, lifted up his voice, and spoke out to them,
- Ac 2:29 "Brothers, I may tell you freely
- Ac 3:4 Peter, fastening his eyes on him, with John, said, "Look at us."
- Ac 4:8 Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them,
- Ac 4:13 Now when they saw the boldness of Peter and John,
- Ac 4:29 Now, Lord, look at their threats, and grant to your servants to speak your word with all boldness,
- Ac 13:46 Paul and Barnabas spoke out boldly,



How to be Baptized

Ac 2:38 Peter said to them, "Repent, and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of sins, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.

Ac 3:19 "Repent therefore, and turn again, that your sins may be blotted out, so that there may come times of refreshing from the presence of the Lord,

Ac 4:31 When they had prayed,... They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and they spoke the word of God with boldness.



Also, How to be Baptized

Joh 20:22 When he had said this, he breathed on them, and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit!

Ac 10:43 All the prophets testify about him, that through his name everyone who believes in him will receive remission of sins." 44 While Peter was still speaking these words, the Holy Spirit fell on all those who heard the word.

Ac 13:50 and threw them out of their borders. 51
But they shook off the dust of their feet
against them, and came to Iconium. 52
The disciples were filled with joy with the
Holy Spirit.







- The Kingdom of God is not going to be advanced by our churches becoming filled with men, but by men in our churches becoming filled with God.
 - Duncan Campbell





Power in Weakness

- 2Co 12:10 Therefore I take pleasure in weaknesses, in injuries, in necessities, in persecutions, in distresses, for Christ's sake. For when I am weak, then am I strong.
- Zec 4:6 So he answered and said to me: "This is the word of the LORD to Zerubbabel: 'Not by might nor by power, but by My Spirit,' Says the LORD of hosts.
- Php 4:6 Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God; 7 and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus.



Power for Ministry

1Pe 2:9 But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for God's own possession, that you may proclaim the excellence of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light.

2Ti 1:6 For this cause, I remind you that you should stir up the gift of God which is in you through the laying on of my hands.

2Ti 1:14 That good thing which was committed to you, guard through the Holy Spirit who dwells in us.



Power for Ministry

Ro 12:1 Therefore I urge you, brothers, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God, which is your spiritual service.

Mr 16:20 They went out, and preached everywhere, the Lord working with them, and confirming the word by the signs that followed.

Joh 15:16a You didn't choose me, but I chose you, and appointed you, that you should go and bear fruit, and that your fruit should remain;



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Joh 15:16 You didn't choose me, but I chose you, and appointed you, that you should go and bear fruit, and that your fruit should remain; that whatever you will ask of the Father in my name, he may give it to you.

Joh 15:26 "When the Counselor has come, whom I will send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth, who proceeds from the Father, he will testify about me.

Will you receive the baptism of the Holy Spirit?

- Will you commit your life to the ministry he has called you?
- Do you think you can fulfill your call without the power of the Holy Spirit?

