

"You shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you..." Acts 1:8

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SPIRIT LIFE'S Annual Church Picnic

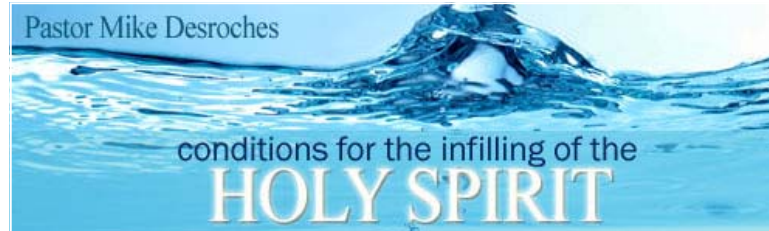
Thanks to everyone who came to our annual church picnic May 22nd at Washington Oaks Park; we had a great time!



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We just concluded a 5 month teaching on the Holy Spirit at Spirit Life's IBS (intensive Bible studies). Almost every night the meetings were packed out which goes to show that God's people are hungry to hear about the ministry of the Holy Spirit. And every Wednesday night the Holy Spirit showed up; usually with great powers and with wondrous signs.

The Holy Spirit led me to teach on the 7 conditions for the infilling of the Holy Spirit." This teaching was followed by a miracle service to top all miracles services!!! So, contained in this article are some of the profound insights that I taught that glorious evening.

In **Acts 2:38** Peter said that if we meet the following conditions—the result would be the infilling of the Holy Spirit.

"Then Peter said unto them, repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost."

Condition #1 is repent. But there are two sides of repentance here—so first let us put this scripture in context. Look at verse 36.

"Therefore let all the house of Israel know assuredly, that God hath made the same Jesus, whom ye have crucified, both Lord and Christ. Now when they heard this, they were pricked in their heart, and said unto Peter and to the rest of the apostles, Men and brethren, what shall we do?"

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by Pastor Mike Desroches

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July-August 2010



SPIRIT LIFE
Welcomes Special Guest



JULY 4, 2010
JOE MANNO
July 4th at 10AM

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STAY CONNECTED

IBS Home Bible Study Series | July-August 2010

Staying Connected is our theme for our Summer Bible Studies which are held in the homes of the people whose names you see on the Calendar. We urge you to come and "stay connected" with our precious Lord and with each other during these Wednesday evenings for a teaching and fellowship. Directions to each home can be found in the foyer at church. God Bless and looking forward to seeing you on Wednesday in July and August!

JULY 2010

July 7 Barb Latourelles
July 14 Isis Paradres
July 21 Sue Hafey's
July 28 Paula Canelli's

AUGUST 2010

August 4 Bill Reardon's
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PASTOR MIKE PRESENTS END TIME CHRONOLOGY SERIES

This generation stands upon the precipice of the wrap-up of human history. We can say this upon a platform of certainty. Our end-time stage is built upon a solid structure of knowledge. It provides strength of understanding from which no other generation of human beings could have spoken.



Join Pastor Mike each and every Wednesday night at 6:30pm starting Sept. 01 as he brings forth this powerful series entitled "End Time Chronology." It is therefore incumbent upon us "all Christians" to discern the signs of the times. We will look at them, trying to put them in the order given us by Jesus and the prophets as they foretold these end-time things.

**IBS Resumes Wednesday September 1st
6:30PM**



None of us is greater than all of us put together.

Spirit Life Calendar

July 2010

7/2 Intercessory Prayer 6:30 pm
7/4 Worship 10:00am Guest Pastor Joe Manno
7/7 Bible Study @ Barbara Latourelle's 6:30pm
7/9 Intercessory Prayer 6:30 pm
7/11 Worship 10:am ; Nursing Home 3:00 pm
7/12 Live Wire Youth Ministry 6:30
Men's Ministry 7:30
7/14 Bible Study, @ Isis Praderes 6:30pm
7/16 Intercessory Prayer 6:30 pm
7/18 Worship 10:00 am
7/21 Bible Study @ Sue Hafey's 6:30pm
7/23 Intercessory Prayer 6:30 pm
7/25 Worship 10:00am
* Membership class after Service.
7/28 Bible Study @ Paula Canelli's 6:30pm
7/30 Intercessory Prayer 6:30pm

August 2010

8/1 Worship 10:00 am Fellowship after Service
8/4 Bible Study @ Bill Reardon's 6:30 pm
8/6 Intercessory Prayer 6:30pm
8/8 Worship 10:00am Nursing Home 3:00 pm
8/11 Bible Study @ Marcia Fingland's 6:30pm
8/13 Intercessory Prayer 6:30pm
8/15 Worship 10:00am
8/16 Live Wire Youth 6:30pm
Men's Ministry 7:30pm
8/18 Bible Study @ Carol Abel's 6:30pm
8/20 Intercessory Prayer 6:30pm
8/22 Worship 10:00am
8/25 Bible Study @ Brian Hafey's 6:30pm
8/27 Intercessory Prayer 6:30pm
8/29 Worship 10:00
*Membership class after Service

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He was telling them to repent and turn from an attitude that rejected Him and crucified Him to an attitude that accepts Him as King and Savior. It means accept Him as the one who bore the punishment for our sins in our place. In other words, we are to repent when we are not resting in the finished work of the cross.

Ephesians 2:9 says, "Not of works, lest any man should boast!" The Holy Spirit is God's seal that a believer believes that he is saved by faith alone. It is the finished work of the cross.

Condition # 2 is repentance from sin. Repentance is not self-inflicted condemnation. You may feel religious by self-condemnation—but it is not God's way. Making yourself feel bad for what you do wrong is "self-made religion". We think that the more pain we feel for our wrong the better it will justify our wrongdoing. But no amount of feeling bad will ever make the payment or justify what you have done wrong. Self-inflicted pain from guilt doesn't justify you before God because self-condemnation keeps us bent on earning a sense of right standing before God and prevents us from putting our faith in the suffering of Christ and the pain He felt on our behalf.

NO! True repentance leads to godly sorrow, which then leads to a changed heart. Sorrow for sin! Only where the heart is changed will the behavior change too! Worldly sorrow does not change behavior. Many people who are praying for the baptism of the Spirit will never receive it because they are hanging onto to some sin.

Condition #3 is Renunciation of Sin. Heart confession is not enough. It must be done openly. That is what baptism is all about. It is an outward

expression of an inward conviction. There must be an open confession of Christ and of sin. Many who think they are living for Christ have never renounced their sin and thus have not received the infilling of the Spirit.

Condition # 4 is Obedience. Obedience is not just doing what you are told. Worldly obedience expects a reward. Godly obedience expects nothing. Pleasing Him is enough. Obedience is doing all things. It is going to our Heavenly Father and saying, "Here. I am your property—you have bought me with a price. I accept your ownership and surrender myself, my dreams, my hopes and my desires 100% for your glory." When we say "MY ALL" is on the altar, we have met another condition for the infilling of the Spirit. Anything less than 100% surrender closes off the flow.

Condition # 5 is hunger for God. Jesus said in **John 7:37, "If any man thirst, let him come unto me, and drink. He that believeth on me, as the scripture hath said, out of his belly shall flow rivers of living water. (But this spake he of the Spirit, which they that believe on him should receive: for the Holy Ghost was not yet given; because that Jesus was not yet glorified.)"** Thirst is another condition of receiving the baptism. There is no greater sign that one has been baptized by the Holy Spirit than a hunger for God.

Condition # 6 is asking. Jesus said in **Luke 11:13, "If ye then, being evil, know how to give good gifts unto your children: how much more shall your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to them that ask him?"** Simply put, He is given when we ask for Him.

Condition #7 is faith. **1 John 5:14-15 says, "And this is the confidence that we have in him, that, if we ask any thing according to his will, he heareth us: And if we know that he hear us, whatsoever we ask, we know that we have the petitions that we desired of him."**

God does not give us faith that we might fulfill our own desires. He gives us the Spirit of faith for His glory alone. You cannot know the Holy Spirit without Faith. The disciples knew Jesus without faith; they saw him with their own eyes, yet they still rejected Him. But the works and miracles of the Holy Spirit, His birth and His ascension—that required faith! The Holy Spirit is the Spirit of Faith. We are saved by faith, justified by faith, sanctified by faith and we walk by faith. The Spirit of Faith dares to believe God, the Spirit of faith doesn't consider the circumstances, the Spirit of faith always obeys, and the Spirit of faith is a Spirit of victory. The Spirit of Faith compels you to act. The Spirit of Faith will demonstrate the life of God and defeat the devil.

When these 7 conditions are met; repentance against the attitude that rejects His finished work, repentance against sin, renunciation of your sins, obedience, hunger, asking and faith—out of your belly will flow rivers of living water. No earthly spring of satisfaction ever fully satisfies. We may drink of the fountain of wealth as deep as we can—but it will not satisfy for long...we will thirst again. The Holy Spirit fully and forever satisfies the one who receives Him (drinks of Him). He becomes a well of water springing forth into everlasting life.

God Bless you!

Mike Desroches, Pastor



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