

Sunday, September 29, 2019 Pastor Brad Davis The Gift

On one occasion, while he was eating with them, he gave them this command: "Do not leave Jerusalem, but wait for the gift my Father promised, which you have heard me speak about. For John baptized with water, but in a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit."

Acts 1:4-5

- The <u>Father</u> has a <u>gift</u> for us and we should be <u>excited</u> to receive what He wants to give us
- <u>Ruwach</u> a wind, breath, a violent exhalation, blast of breath
 <u>Geneses 1:2</u>
- Pneuma a current of air, blast of breath, a strong breeze
 John 6:63
 - <u>All</u> of us need to experience the <u>fresh breath</u> of God in our lives
 - Wind is unseen

And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another advocate to help you and be with you forever—the Spirit of truth. The world cannot accept him, because it neither sees him nor knows him. But you know him, for he lives with you and will be in you.

John 14:16-17

• Wind is **unpredictable**

The wind blows wherever it pleases. You hear its sound, but you cannot tell where it comes from or where it is going. So it is with everyone born of the Spirit."

John 3:8

• Wind is **powerful**

But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."

Acts 1:8

Wind is <u>refreshing</u>

However, as it is written: "What no eye has seen, what no ear has heard, and what no human mind has conceived"— the things God has prepared for those who love him— these are the things God has revealed to us by his Spirit.

The Spirit searches all things, even the deep things of God.

1 Corinthians 2:9-10

- Take a deep breath
 - Let go of your <u>fears</u> and <u>misperceptions</u>

Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight.

Proverbs 3:5-6

• Go all in

You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart.

Jeremiah 29:13

• Develop a **friendship** with the Holy Spirit

May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

2 Corinthians 13:14

- The **Father** reveals the **love** of God
- The **Son** reveals the **grace** of God
- The Holy Spirit reveals the fellowship of God