Sunday, February 11, 2018 Pastor Brad Davis A Controlled Burn



We are going to discover the <u>function</u> and <u>ministry</u> of the Holy

Spirit

- The **person**
- The **position**
- The **purpose**

Acts 1:4-5

⁴On 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. ⁵ For John baptized with water, but in a few days you will be baptized with^[b] the Holy Spirit."

• <u>Wait</u> until you have received the <u>gift</u> my Father

<u>promised</u>

Acts 1:8

⁸ 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."

- You will receive **power** when the Holy spirit comes on you
- Be careful not to focus on the **<u>evidence</u>** and

neglect the purpose

Acts 2:1-4

When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place.² Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting. ³ They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them. ⁴ All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues^[a] as the Spirit enabled them.

• They <u>all</u> spoke in <u>tongues</u> as the Spirit enabled

- This baptism is <u>subsequent</u> to <u>salvation</u>
- The Holy Spirit is praying **through** us

Romans 8:26-27

²⁶ In the same way, the Spirit helps us in our weakness. We do not know what we ought to pray for, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us through wordless groans.
²⁷ And he who searches our hearts knows the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for God's people in accordance with the will of God.

• This baptism is for <u>all</u> believers

Acts 2:38-39

³⁸ Peter replied, "Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. ³⁹ The promise is for you and your children and for all who are far off—for all whom the Lord our God will call."

- Lord you are so good I want all you have for me
 - Worship Jesus
 - Use <u>your</u> voice and language
 - <u>Surrender</u> to the Holy Spirit
 - Take a step of <u>faith</u>

Enjoy spending time in His presence

them