

OMNIGROUP LESSON NOTES

Our Kingdom Connection

Why We Speak in Tongues Part 1 of 3

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WELCOME

PRAYER

SHARE

Read: Acts 2:1-8 (ESV)

¹When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place. ²And suddenly there came from heaven a sound like a mighty rushing wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. ³And divided tongues as of fire appeared to them and rested on each one of them. ⁴And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance.

⁵Now there were dwelling in Jerusalem Jews, devout men from every nation under heaven. ⁶And at this sound the multitude came together, and they were bewildered, because each one was hearing them speak in his own language. ⁷And they were amazed and astonished, saying, “Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? ⁸And how is it that we hear, each of us in his own native language?

Discussion:

1. How does the event of Pentecost fulfill Jesus’ promise of the Holy Spirit?
2. In what ways does the coming of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost transform the apostles and their mission?
3. Why do you think God chose to have the apostles speak in different languages?
4. How can we see the effects of the Holy Spirit in our own community or church today?

5. What does the reaction of the crowd tell us about the impact of witnessing a move of God?

Prayer Requests / Praise Reports

REMEMBER TO TAKE ATTENDANCE

CARE: Follow-up during the week