2 Timothy 3:1-5

But mark this: There will be terrible times in the last days.

2 People will be lovers of themselves, lovers of money, boastful, proud, abusive, disobedient to their parents, ungrateful, unholy, 3 without love, unforgiving, slanderous, without self-control, brutal, not lovers of the good, 4 treacherous, rash, conceited, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God5 having a form of godliness but denying its power. Have nothing to do with such people.

16 I pray that out of his glorious riches he may strengthen you with POWER through his **SPIRIT** in your inner being, 17 so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith. And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love,

18 may have POWER, together with all the Lord's holy people, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, 19 and to know this love that surpasses knowledge—that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God.

Ephesians 3:16-20

20 Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his POWER that is at work within us,

The "Power" is the dynamic work of the Holy Spirit changing hearts, enabling obedience and bringing God's reign everywhere He is invited. 1) Do you have stories of times when God has provided for your needs?

2) Do you ever experience "divine appointments?"

3) Are you able to offer forgiveness to people who have hurt you

4) Do you ever experience God calling you?

5) Do you experience answered prayer?

6) Are you becoming more like Jesus?

7) Do you experience the Word of God as "Alive and Active?"

8) Does worshipping God excite you?

9) Is your heart light?

10) Do you have times in your life when you feel the presence of God?

11) Do you trust God even when you don't know His plan?

12) Does anything ever happen to you and the only way to explain it is, "God showed up?"

- -Paul described some church people as "having a form of godliness but denying its power."
- -The "Power" is the dynamic work of the Holy Spirit changing hearts, enabling obedience and bringing God's reign everywhere He is invited.

Do you have a faith that works?