HUNGER AND THIRST: FUELING REVIVAL

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"If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and I will forgive their sin and will heal their land." (2 Chron 7:14)

Ps 145:4,12 BSB; Mark 1:10 NIV; Isa 64:1-2, 7 NKJV; Ps 5:3 TPT

"If it be asked why the fire of God fell on Wales, the answer is simple: Fire falls where it is likely to catch and spread. As one has said, 'Wales provided the necessary tinder.' Here were thousands of believers unknown to each other, in small towns and villages and great cities, crying to God day after day for the fire of God to fall."

6 Prayer to fuel revival:

- 1. "Lord, open my eyes to Your goodness... Overwhelm me by Your extravagant love" (1 John 3:1; 4:19)
- 2. "Lord, refresh me from the familiar and religious... Arouse my senses to Your fresh outpouring" (Rev 2:2-5; 2 Tim 3:5)
- **3.** "Lord, Shake me and awaken me to Your truth and purity" (Rev 3:1-3)
- **4.** "Lord, Purge me of my pride and pulverize my ego" (Rev 3:15-88; Jer 2:5 ESV; Luke 14:16-20)
- 5. "Lord, Detour my distractions into desperation" (Job 42:5-6 MSG; Phil 3:7-8; 2 Cor 4:8,16; Psalm 73:25 ESV)
 - · Fasting reveals the things that control us and sustain us
 - Fasting is when we deprive ourselves of something in the natural in order to intensify our cravings in the Spirit
- 6. "Lord, Melt my heart and empty me out to the broken and lost" (Isa 6:8)

QUESTIONS

- 1. From the sermon series and from your own insights, how do we become kindle for revival? How can you/your Group become fuel for revival?
- 2. Read Prayer #2:
 - a. What is one familiar way you connect with Jesus?
 - b. What is one *fresh* way you've experienced God?

(Note: It is not the case that familiar=bad and fresh=good. Both can be good and both can be bad, depending on our heart!)

- 3. Is there something you need to repent of individually or as a Group in order to invite revival in and through your life?
- 4. Which of the 6 prayers challenges you the most? Take time to pray the six prayers together.