

Newsletter from Pastor Paul: Tap the arrow at the bottom to read. We are seeing the Holy Ghost move in our Services at The Christian Center! Come and let Him touch you. Out of town? Tap live link at 10:45 to watch on line. <http://my.itexttoday.net/apps/2323/8833/index.html>

Newsletter 10-1-22

God's Power Released by His Holy Ghost!

I've been a minister of the Lord Jesus for over 40 years, and I've come to the conclusion that Jesus is coming back sooner than we think. I also believe that we must tap into the same power that the Church had when it started on the day of Pentecost. Let's go to the Scriptures to see what was happening back then.

Acts 1:4-5, 7-8 KJV And, being assembled together with them, commanded them that they should not depart from Jerusalem, but wait for the promise of the Father, which, saith He, ye have heard of Me. [5] For John truly baptized with water; but ye shall be baptized with the Holy Ghost not many days hence.

[7] And He said unto them, It is not for you to know the times or the seasons, which the Father hath put in His own power. [8] But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto Me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth.

Notice in these verses that He talked about them waiting for the Holy Ghost to come before they went out to witness to the world. I've taught, in times past, that we don't have to wait; because the Holy Ghost is here now. Well I think that I was right to a certain extent, but there is something that I believe we must do individually. We must be living with the reality of the Holy Ghost being in us, and then draw from His abilities.

The Church was never supposed to win the world with our human abilities but with the power of the Holy Ghost. When we operate in His power, the people will be set free. Let's look at the way the Apostle Paul set people free.

Acts 19:1-7 KJV And it came to pass, that, while Apollos was at Corinth, Paul having passed through the upper coasts came to Ephesus: and finding certain disciples, [2] He said unto them, Have ye received the Holy Ghost since ye believed? And they said unto him, We have not so much as heard whether there be any Holy Ghost. [3] And he said unto them, Unto what then were ye baptized? And they said, Unto John's baptism. [4] Then said Paul, John verily baptized with the baptism of repentance, saying unto the people, that they should believe on Him which should come after him, that is, on Christ Jesus. [5] When they heard this, they were baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus. [6] And when Paul had laid his hands upon them, the Holy Ghost came on them; and they spake with tongues, and prophesied. [7] And all the men were about twelve.

The Apostle Paul knew that he had to depend on the Holy Ghost to be able to finish his ministry.

Acts 8:5-20 KJV Then Philip went down to the city of Samaria, and preached Christ unto them. [6] And the people with one accord gave heed unto those things which Philip

spake, hearing and seeing the miracles which he did. [7] For unclean spirits, crying with loud voice, came out of many that were possessed with them : and many taken with palsies, and that were lame, were healed [8] And there was great joy in that city. [9] But there was a certain man, called Simon, which beforetime in the same city used sorcery, and bewitched the people of Samaria, giving out that himself was some great one: [10] To whom they all gave heed, from the least to the greatest, saying, This man is the great power of God. [11] And to him they had regard, because that of long time he had bewitched them with sorceries. [12] But when they believed Philip preaching the things concerning the kingdom of God, and the name of Jesus Christ, they were baptized, both men and women. [13] Then Simon himself believed also: and when he was baptized, he continued with Philip, and wondered, beholding the miracles and signs which were done. [14] Now when the apostles which were at Jerusalem heard that Samaria had received the Word of God, they sent unto them Peter and John: [15] Who, when they were come down, prayed for them, that they might receive the Holy Ghost: [16] (For as yet He was fallen upon none of them: only they were baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus.) [17] Then laid they their hands on them, and they received the Holy Ghost. [18] And when Simon saw that through laying on of the apostles' hands the Holy Ghost was given, he offered them money, [19] Saying, Give me also this power, that on whomsoever I lay hands, he may receive the Holy Ghost. [20] But Peter said unto him, Thy money perish with thee, because thou hast thought that the gift of God may be purchased with money.

This is how the early Church functioned. They released the power of the Holy Ghost, and the people received their salvation and freedom. We will be studying this subject on Sunday.

Love you,  
Pastor Paul

#### This Week's Daily Bible Readings

Monday	Job chapter 38
Tuesday	Job chapter 39
Wednesday	Job chapter 40
Thursday	Job chapter 41
Friday	Job chapter 42
Saturday	Psalms chapter 1-2
Sunday	Psalms chapter 3-4

#### STAY CONNECTED

\*\*Here is our NEW link for The Christian Center app- -

<http://my.itexttoday.net/apps/2323/8833/indexm.html>

\*\*If you're not registered to vote, tables are set up at each entrance with voter registration information.

\*\*WOW Women's Conference October 28-29. Cost is \$40. The deadline for registration and money is Sunday, October 16. Ushers have forms

## Sunday Schedule

- \* Prayer: 9am Lee Blvd entrance
- \* Fellowship in Café 9:15-9:45 am.
- \* Services 10:45 am

Adult, Youth, and Children classes 9:45-10:30 am

Faith Class: ---Michael Whitley  
Foundation 1 Class: ---Pastor Paul  
Foundation 2 Class: -Mike Wiggins  
Healing Class: -Lester/Monica Witherspoon  
Marriage Class:--Danny/Demetrice Williams  
Prayer Class: --Joe Cunningham

Children's Sunday School: 6 months - 5th grade

Youth Service: 6th - 12th grade

Young Singles/College&Career:-Eliav/Kim Nash

## REGULAR ACTIVITIES

### Daily

- \* Early Morning Prayer in Sanctuary: Monday-Friday 6:15-7:15am
- \* Noonday Bible Study: Mon-Fri 12:15 in Sanctuary or 91.1fm or live stream on TCC app
- \* Women's Dance Aerobics: Mon-Wed-Fri 10-11am

### Weekly

- \* Monday Night Care Group: In Sanctuary under balcony 7pm
- \* Wednesday night: Adult and Youth Services 7pm (Youth meet in Youth area)
- \* Mobile Prayer: Wed 2-3pm Lee Blvd parking lot; Fri 2-3:30pm Sam's Warehouse
- \* Friday Night Prayer: 7pm in Sanctuary under balcony

### Monthly

- \* Crosses at the Corner: 1st Saturday 11am-1am corner of Sheridan and Cache Rd.
- \* Women's Meeting: 2nd Saturday 9am in Fellowship Hall
- \* Women's Discipleship:  
3rd Thursday 5pm in Sanctuary
- \* Horse Ministry: 3rd Saturday 10am-1pm at Camp Faith

