

Week 4

"Receiving the Baptism of the Holy Spirit"

1 Preparation:

* Pray from your heart. Stop and recognize that the Lord is with you. Ask for the grace to come closer to the Holy Spirit and to realize his plan for your life.

* Look up the "Focus Verse" in your Bible.

* Underline the verse in *Orange: Covenant, Promise*

* Work to commit the verse to memory.

Focus Verse

Ps 27:8

My heart says of you,
"Seek his^[a] face!"
Your face, LORD, I will
seek.

2 Prayer for the Baptism of the Holy Spirit:

Father, in the name of Jesus, I thank you that I you have chosen me thorough the waters of baptism. I am a child of God!

Father, I renew my baptismal promises:

I reject Satan and all his lies.

I believe in you Father, the creator of heaven and earth;

I believe in you, Jesus,

Who was born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried.

Jesus, I believe that you rose from the dead.

Holy Spirit, I believe in you as the Lord and Giver of Life.

Holy Trinity, I give you my life, totally and completely.

Do with me and what I have what you will.

Jesus, your Word declares in Ps 46:4

"There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God, the holy place where the Most High dwells."

Jesus, you are the baptizer in the Holy Spirit. Take me down into the River of the Holy Spirit. Immerse me I your Spirit. Cause me to drip with your Spirit. Baptize me in the Holy Spirit like the Apostles on the day of Pentecost. Fill me with the Holy Spirit like on the day of my baptism. Fill me to the point of overflowing.

Holy Spirit, I surrender my tongue to you. Grant me a heavenly prayer language, the gift of tongues.

Father, thank you for sending the Lord Jesus to baptize me in the Holy Spirit.

By grace, I am baptized in the Holy Spirit!

This day (state the date), by faith I know that I am baptized in the Holy Spirit.

"More of the Holy Spirit"

Today's worksheet is not a review of a teaching given that the recorded session focused on you receiving the Baptism of the Holy Spirit. With that in mind, this worksheet will be a review of your experience.

What were you thoughts or feelings about you receiving the Baptism of the Holy Spirit as we prepared for this week?

Date your received the Baptism of the Holy Spirit: _____

What happened when we prayed for the Baptism of the Holy Spirit?

Did any of the gifts of the Holy Spirit manifest? If so, which ones?

Lectio Divina

Lectio (To Read) Read the passage slowly, two or three times believing that God is going to speak into your life. Notice the words or phrases that speak to you.

Meditatio (To Meditate) Allow this Word to begin to sift through your life. What is God speaking to you?

Oratio (To Speak) Now that God has spoken to you through His word, what is your response? Use the ACTS of prayer: **A**doration, **C**ontrition, **T**hanksgiving, **S**upplication? Speak to God freely.

Contemplatio (To Contemplate) Read back over the passage and review your dialogue with God. Become quiet and turn your heart to His heart for you. Is there anything that He personally wants to speak to you?

1 st Day	Gal 4:6-7
2 nd Day	1 Cor 12:3
3 rd Day	1 Cor 6:19
4 th Day	2 Cor6:16
5 th Day	Rev 22:17
6 th Day	Ps 46:4-5

Review

Spend time soaking in the Holy Spirit enjoying His presence. Pray, pray, pray using the gift of tongues.