

“The Spirit’s Power”

Message #3 in the series, “Breathe”

Acts 1:4-8 and I Corinthians 12

There is a bigger reason God gives us His Holy Spirit =

The greatest power that the Holy Spirit gives me is the power to

The gifts that the Holy Spirit gives me is for the purpose of

The Holy Spirit

- Draws people to Christ (John 6:44)
- Convicts us of our sin (John 16:8)
- Is an agent of revelation of God (John 16:14-15)
- Reveals the “deep things” of God (1 Cor. 2:10)
- Is the Agent of regeneration in the life of a believer (John 3:3-8; Titus 3:5)
- Indwells the believer (Romans 8:9; 2 Tim 1:14; John 14:17)
- Infills the believer for tasks (Ephesians 5:18-20; Acts 2:4; 4:8, 31; 9:17)
- Empowers believers to live a holy life (1 Thess. 1:5; Luke 4:14; 24:49)
- Directs and leads believers (Romans 8:14; Gal. 5:18; John 16:13-14)
- Testifies to Christ (John 15:26; 16:14)
- Inspires people to write the things of God (2 Pet. 1:20-21; 2 Tim. 3:16)
- Is God’s agent of sanctification (2 Thess. 2:13; 1 Pet. 1:2; Romans 5:16; 8:29; 2 Cor. 5:17)
- Bears witness that we are children of God (Romans 8:14-16)
- Is God’s guarantee of future resurrection (2 Cor. 1:22; 5:5)
- Brings unity to the Body of Christ (Eph. 4:3; 2:14-18)
- Distributes spiritual gifts to build up the Body of Christ (1 Cor. 12:4, 8-10; Heb. 2:4)
- Calls persons to ministry (Eph. 4:11-16)
- Restrains evil (2 Thess. 2:7)