Part 2: POWER SURGE

- Acts 1:4-11
- Acts 2:1-41

➢ This Gift was intended for _____ believer.

➢ The Holy Spirit wants to _____ every fiber of our life.

John 7:37-39 On the last and greatest day of the Feast, Jesus stood and said in a loud voice, "If anyone is thirsty, let him come to me and drink. [38]Whoever believes in me, as the Scripture has said, streams of living water will flow from within him." [39]By this he meant the Spirit, whom those who believed in him were later to receive. Up to that time the Spirit had not been given, since Jesus had not yet been glorified.

Ephesians 5:18 [18]Do not get drunk on wine, which leads to debauchery. Instead, be filled with the Spirit.

➢ We are either yielding to the _____ or the Spirit.

Galatians 5:16-18 So I say, live by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the sinful nature. 17 For the sinful nature desires what is contrary to the Spirit, and the Spirit what is contrary to the sinful nature. They are in conflict with each other, so that you do not do what you want. 18 But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under law.

PURPOSE OF THE POWER:

1. To _____ ordinary believers to accomplish extra-ordinary tasks.

Acts 1:8 "But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you. . .

1 Corinthians 2:4-5 My message and my preaching were not with wise and persuasive words, but with a demonstration of the Spirit's power, 5 so that your faith might not rest on men's wisdom, but on God's power.

1 John 4:4 You, dear children, are from God and have overcome them, because the one who is in you is greater than the one who is in the world.

1 Corinthians 4:20 For the kingdom of God is not a matter of talk but of power.

2 Timothy 3:5 In the last days there will be people…having a form of godliness but denying its power. Have nothing to do with them.

Mark 16:17-18 And these signs will accompany those who believe: In my name they will drive out demons; they will speak in new tongues; 18 they will pick up snakes with their hands; and when they drink deadly poison, it will not hurt them at all; they will place their hands on sick people, and they will get well.

2. To _____ the lost and save lives.

Acts 1:8 "But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."

Acts 2:-37 (NLT) When the people heard this, they were cut to the heart and said to Peter and the other apostles, "Brothers, what shall we do?"

3. To _____ our prayer and communication with God.

Acts 2:4 All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.

Romans 8:26-27 In the same way, the Spirit helps us in our weakness. We do not know what we ought to pray for, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us with groans that words cannot express. 27And he who searches our hearts knows the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints in accordance with God's will.