

# Is there more?

PENTECOST SUNDAY  
2021



**Acts 2:1-4** *When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place. Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting.*

*They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues (languages) as the Spirit enabled them.*

# 1. You Will Know

- Baptism of the Spirit is for Christians
- People who have believed in Jesus
- Repented of sin / former lifestyle
- Baptised in water?

# 1. You Will Know

## (a) Sound:

- Breath of heaven filled entire house
- Different from previous "breath" of Jesus

**John 20:21-23** *Again Jesus said, "Peace be with you! As the Father has sent me, I am sending you." And with that He breathed on them and said, "Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive anyone is sins, they are forgiven; if you do not forgive them, they are not forgiven."*

# 1. You Will Know

## (b) Fire:

- Fire rested on each one
- Israelites had been led by “pillar of fire”

**Matthew 3:11** *“I baptise you with water for repentance. But after me will come one who is more powerful than I, whose sandals I am not fit to carry. He will baptise you with the Holy Spirit and with fire.”*

# 1. You Will Know

## (b) Fire:

- Fire burns up rubbish
- Fire leads the way

**Romans 8:13-14** *For if you live according to the sinful nature, you will die; but if by the Spirit you put to death the misdeeds of the body, you will live, because those who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God.*

# 1. You Will Know

## (c) Languages:

- Is this a common occurrence in Early Church?

**Acts 4:31** *After they prayed, the place where they were meeting was shaken. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and **spoke the word of God boldly.***

# 1. You Will Know

## (c) Languages:

**Acts 10:44-46** *While Peter was still speaking these words, the Holy Spirit came on all who heard the message. The circumcised (Jewish) believers who had come with Peter were astonished that the gift of the Holy Spirit had been poured out even on the gentiles. For **they heard them speaking in tongues and praising God.***

# 1. You Will Know

## (c) Languages:

- **Acts 19:6** *When Paul placed his hands on them, the Holy Spirit came on them, and **they spoke in tongues and prophesied.***

## 2. Flow from Within

*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. Whoever believes in me, as the Scripture has said, streams of living water will flow from within him."*

*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.*

## 2. Flow from Within

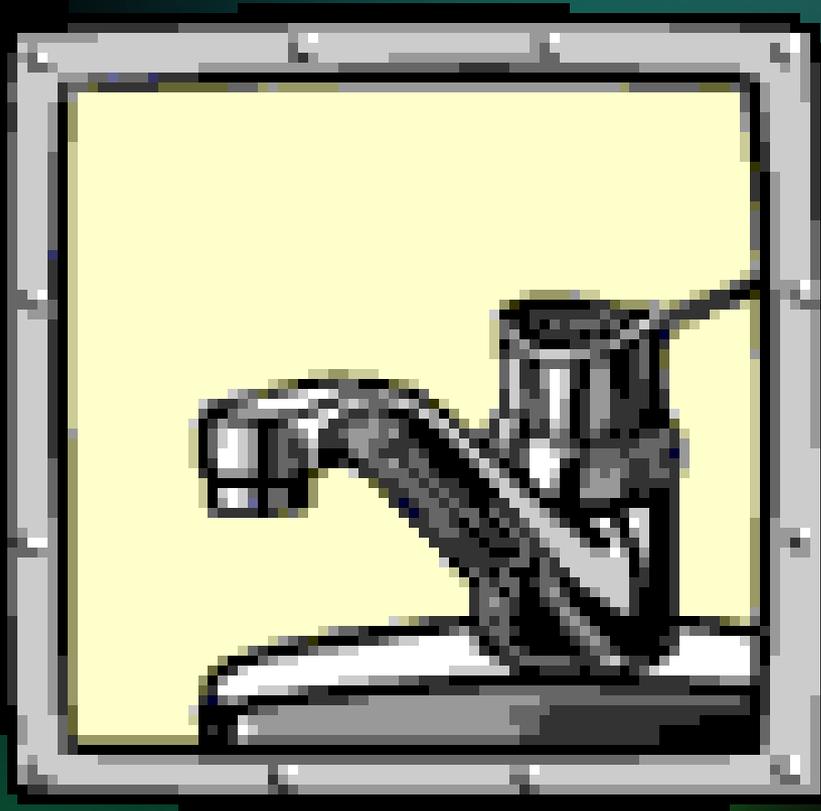
### (a) The Power is NOT in the Tap

- 24 Carat Tap is useless without water.
- The power comes from behind the tap.



## 2. Flow from Within

### (b) The Tap is a Tool



- The tap's purpose is to get the water where it needs to be.
- God works through human vessels.

## 2. Flow from Within

### (c) Don't Stop the Flow



- Elisha and the Widow's oil (2 Kings 4:6).
- The only thing that stopped the flow was the lack of a vessel.

## 2. Flow from Within

(d) Turn on the Tap.



- The plumbing is in place
- The tap is connected
- The water comes to the tap
- All just show unless someone turns on the tap..