

FRESH WIND

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WEEKLY REFLECTION & CHALLENGE SHEET

"Enough Power for Today" | June 13, 2021 | Pastor Terry Bate

ICE BREAKERS:

What is your favorite campfire story (or just fire in general)?

Have you ever experienced a powerful wind? What happened?

DISCUSS:

What difference did the Holy Spirit make in the life of all the believers - especially the disciples?
(look throughout the Book of Acts)

What difference does the Holy Spirit make in our life today? What's the difference?

READ: Ephesians 1:19-21

The church in Ephesus wasn't experiencing the fullness of God's power so Paul prayed for them.
What would happen if that prayer were answered in the church in Flushing this year?

DISCUSS: John Piper offers 4 ways to seek God's power through the Holy Spirit:

- 1) Immerse yourself in God's Word.
- 2) Believe in His Word.
- 3) Pray for His Power.
- 4) Obey the Spirit's leading in your life.

*** which one is the most challenging? * how would each one be applied into your life personally?**

READ: 2 Timothy 3:1-5

How does this warning shape our view of the world today?

Do you ever feel like you are living with "appearance of godliness, but denying it's power?"

How do we avoid falling into that trap?

This week's challenge: *Begin each meal time (breakfast, lunch, dinner) with a simple prayer: "Lord, reveal yourself to me today. Give me the wisdom to perceive your voice and the **strength** to follow your leading."*