

Introduction

The Mission of Jesus

Pope Benedict XVI: "Christ's entire mission is summed up in this: to baptize us in the Holy Spirit, to free us from the slavery of death and "to open heaven to us." - *Pope Benedict XVI*

Foundations of Baptism in the Holy Spirit - The Baptism of Jesus

Foundations of Baptism of the Holy Spirit - Pentecost

"Every time you drink, you receive the remission of sins and you become intoxicated with the spirit. It is in that sense that the Apostle said, "do not get drunk with wine, but be filled with the spirit! (Eph 5:18)" He who becomes intoxicated with wine staggers, but he who becomes intoxicated with the Holy Spirit is rooted in Christ. How truly excellent is this intoxication which produces the sobriety of the Soul!" - *St. Ambrose of Milan*

Varieties of Tongues - "If I speak in human and angelic tongues but do not have love, I am a resounding gong or a clashing cymbal." 1 Cor 13:1

Human

Angelic

The Holy Spirit Is Power Needed - Mission

"Let us implore from God the grace of a new Pentecost for the Church... May tongues of fire, combining burning love of God and neighbor with zeal for the spread of Christ's Kingdom, descend on all present!" - *Pope Benedict XVI, Homily at St. Patrick's Cathedral, April 19, 2008*

Foundations for Baptism of the Holy Spirit - Ecclesial Teaching

Confirmation & Baptism of the Holy Spirit

Holy Spirit Lifestyle

Effects of Baptism of the Holy Spirit

1. Frees us from fear to do the mission of evangelization and be fearless!
2. Stirs up spiritual gifts we need to evangelize.
3. Empowers us with the same Spirit that Jesus has so that we can do what he did.
4. Unlocks supernatural ministry
5. Unites us with our Father and teaches us how to pray in the Holy Spirit.

There is More New Wine

The Prince of Peace and the God of Power

Homework

Journal: As you pray and talk with the Lord after your session on Baptism in the Holy Spirit, write a reflection on what you experienced or learned about the Holy Spirit. What did you receive from ministry time and how did you receive it? Or how did you and the Lord process Q1 together. What does the Lord's blessing in your life look like right now?

Supplemental Reading: Suggested Reading: See syllabus for reading plan for *Supernatural Saints*