

TALK IT OUT

Week Starting 11 June 2017



KNOWING THE HOLY SPIRIT

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Key Scripture: Acts 2:1-4 – “When the day of Pentecost had fully come”.

Scriptures: Deuteronomy 16:6; Exodus 23:14-17 and 34:23; 2 Chronicles 8:13; Matthew 5:17; Acts 2:5-16; Acts 2:4; Acts 10:45-48; Acts 19:5-7; Acts 9:17-18; Acts 8:14-21; Mark 16:15-18

Take Away: Jesus fulfills the law (3 major feasts).

Your salvation is not dependent on talking in tongues.

Being filled is to seek and desire all God has for us - Tongues and much more...

Next session – “The Purpose of Tongues”

Start Talking: *Find a Conversation Starter for Your Group.*

Pastor Duane shared two famous bible stories – Pentecost and Sinai.

What was your favorite bible story as a child?

Who was your favorite bible character as a child?

Who is your favorite bible character now?

Start Thinking: *Ask a Thoughtful Question*

What objections have you had or heard to being baptized in the Holy Spirit?

Do you think that speaking in tongues is for today or was it limited to the time of the formation of the church?

Start Sharing: *Choose Questions that Create Openness*

The beginning of our Christian life started at the Feast of Unleavened Bread. Perhaps have some of your group share their salvation feast story.

Read and Discuss Acts 2:1-4

The types and shadows that we see in scripture is amazing. "We don't live under the law of the Old Testament feasts, but we live under the principles of them". What principles did you enjoy as to the New Testament Feast we now share in?

Saul's conversion happened without the documenting of him speaking in tongues. Discuss this story by reading Acts 9:17-18 and 1 Corinthians 14:18

Start Praying: *Be bold and prayer with power.*

Heavenly Father, we give you room. We want you to expand our understanding. We desire you to reveal more to us. We never want to stagnate in our relationship with you. Holy Spirit will you grow in us an understanding of who you are. Reveal to us the gifts that you are imparting to each one of us. We desire to know more and walk out more of who you are in us.

Start Doing: *Walk It Out*

Set up time to journal your personal Festival of Unleavened Bread (Salvation).

Pray for a greater revelation of the gifts of the Holy Spirit (Pentecost).

Discuss as a group of ways of how we can help those who have perhaps been hurt by bad teaching and displays in the name of the Holy Spirit.