

Power for the Mission

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- 1. When have you witnessed the power of the wind?
- 2. The OT and NT words for "spirit" can also mean "wind." Jesus gives significance to this dual meaning in John 3:6-8. How does this double meaning assist us in understanding how we experience the work of the Holy Spirit?
- Read Acts 2:1-12.
- 4. What did the believers experience and see when the Holy Spirit was poured out upon them?
- 5. How did the filling of the Spirit at Pentecost signify a change in how believers relate to God?
- 6. The disciples were given the ability to speak in the languages of those in the crowd. Based on this account, what was the purpose of this supernatural enablement?
- 7. How should the witness to "all nations" in this passage encourage and challenge us in our ministry today?
- 8. Read Acts 2:13-21.
- 9. Peter declares that the outpouring of the Holy Spirit is the fulfillment of this prophecy in Joel. With that in mind, how should we understand the term "last days?"
- 10. According to verse 21, what is the hope found in the coming of the Spirit?