

Weekly Message from OUR Pastors

Power, Not Fear

The only fear that God encourages in a Christian's life is the fear of God (2 Cor. 5:10-11; Heb. 10:31). For the fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom. (Proverbs 9:10) The fear of the Lord is not the same fear you are probably thinking of right now; it is a morally reverent fear. (H3374 yir'ah). We must understand that fear of people does not come from God. Fear Hinders! The problem is that many Christians fear people more than they fear God. Their fear hinders them from pleasing God because they waste their efforts appeasing other people. Timothy was a young man, timid by nature, and probably not strong physically (1 Tim. 5:23). He knew of Paul's frequent trials and persecutions. He knew that he, too, might suffer those same persecutions. Paul reminded his young colleague that fear of others does not come from God. Fear questions, and Fear doubts! Fear causes us to stop and question what God has clearly told us to do. Perhaps we were confident in our obedience until persecution came; now we doubt whether we heard God correctly. Most fear is fear of the unknown. We do not know what lies ahead of us, so we become apprehensive. Our imaginations can magnify problems until they seem insurmountable. We need a sound mind to see things in proper perspective. That is why God gave us His Holy Spirit, to enable us to see things as God sees them. Fear enslaves, and Fear is no excuse to disobey God. There is no reason to live in fear when you have the mighty presence of the Holy Spirit within you. Fear will enslave you, but Christ has come to set you free. Ask God to free you from any fear you are experiencing and to open your eyes. As He reveals the reality of your situation, He will enable you to continue in obedience.

—Pastor Keith Bowen

Did you know?

Our website, Theoutpouring.life, is your go-to place for everything happening at The Outpouring. From service times and upcoming events to online giving, podcast episodes, prayer points from The Outcry, as well as prayer requests, and planning your visit, it is all just a click away. Check it out and stay connected!

News and Events

Women of Worth

Join our WOW chat to:

Stay encouraged throughout the week, get connected with other women of faith, be the first to know about upcoming events, and grow spiritually in a supportive community. Join the chat by going to this link: https://groupme.com/join_group/108760014/YOitkgrL or scan the QR Code at the Welcome Desk.

August 9th: Monthly WOW meeting at 10:00 AM in the Fellowship Hall

September 20, 2025: Kingdom Authority Conference by Full Circle Teaching Center, Inc. Mrs. Vickie Howard and Ashley Rester- Please see the flyer for registration at the Welcome Table. (Registration closes 9/1)

Men's Fellowship

August 16th: Men's Meeting, 11:30 am in the fellowship hall. Please contact Justin Greer for more information.

Outcry Intercessory Life (OIL Nights)

Sunday, 5:30 PM in the sanctuary: Intercession is the heartbeat of revival.

Here at The Outpouring, intercessory life is devoted to standing in the gap through fervent, Spirit-led prayer. We are watchmen on the wall, contending for heaven to invade earth, believing that every breakthrough begins in prayer. We have one agenda through OIL nights, and that is to pray. This is a time of consecration and devotion to the Lord. We ask that you honor the atmosphere with no distractions.

"Where there is an Outpouring, there is an Outcry."
—Pastor Keith Bowen

Prayer Focus of the month

Our Schools

- Pray for God's protection over every school campus, public, private, and homeschool.
- Pray for peace and safety in the classrooms, buses, hallways, and grounds.
- Pray against violence, bullying, confusion, and fear; declare clarity, purpose, and identity over the students.
- Pray for wisdom and strength for teachers, staff, administrators, and school staff.
- Pray for focus, favor, and confidence for every student, spiritually, emotionally, and academically.
- Pray for those who are Christians to stand up and be the light of their schools and lead by the Word of God.

Scripture of the Week

"Sow for yourself righteousness; Reap in mercy; Break up your fallow ground, For it is time to seek the Lord, Till He comes and rains righteousness on you." Hosea 10:12

Building Fund

We're not just building for today, we're building for the future. As God expands our vision, we're moving forward to close in and develop our Remnant Building, a space dedicated to discipleship, training, and the next generation. Partner with us in faith as we raise the remaining funds to complete this space and make room for sons and daughters to be equipped and sent out.

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