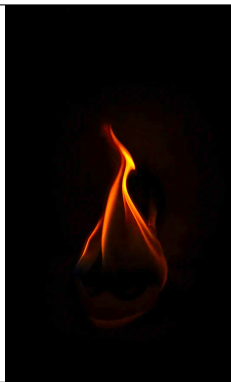




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### Programme: Day One

10:00: Part 1 - Where do we start?: The New Reality  
10:40: Break  
10:50: Part 2 - Fruit and Gift: Character and Charism  
11:20: Break  
11:30: Part 3 - Receiving the Spirit  
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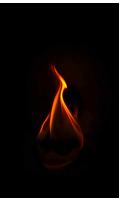


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### Programme: Day Two

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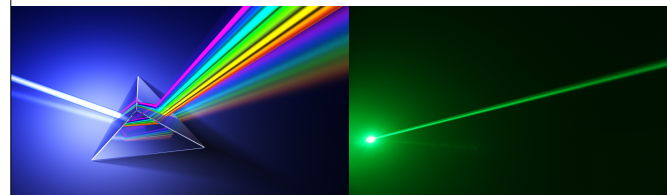


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### Part One: The New Reality:

- not just a better version of the old one!

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Naturally supernatural

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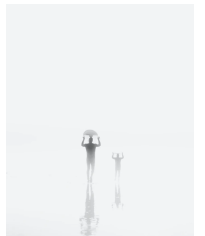


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### The nature of the anointing – Lk 4

- “The Spirit of the Lord is on me” v18
- ‘on me’ = epee (Gk) - the superimposition of time, place or order
- OT Hebrew = Pressing down/taking charge (Is 61)
- Interruption – interception - intervention

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### The purpose of the anointing – Lk 4

- A heavenly purpose: “anointed me to”
- “He has sent me”
- To establish the Kingdom David / Samuel – Jesus (Mark 1)
- Holy Spirit initiated mission – Acts 2 & 13

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### Question:

- What is the purpose the Holy Spirit is anointing you for?
- Where is the Holy Spirit sending you?
- How challenging does it feel right now?

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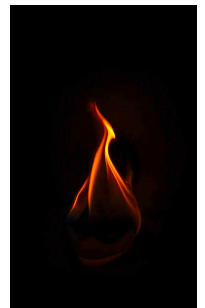


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### Part Two: Character and Charism

compliment or conflict?

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## Living in the Anointing: Galatians 5

**5** It is for freedom that Christ has set us free. Stand firm, then, and do not let yourselves be burdened again by a yoke of slavery. **13** You, my brothers and sisters, were called to be free. But do not use your freedom to indulge the flesh[a]; rather, serve one another humbly in love. **16** So I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh. **17** For the flesh desires what is contrary to the Spirit, and the Spirit what is contrary to the flesh. They are in conflict with each other, so that you are not to do whatever[c] you want. **18** But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under the law.

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**22 But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, 23 gentleness and self-control.**

Against such things there is no law. **24** Those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. **25** Since we live by the Spirit, let us keep in step with the Spirit. **26** Let us not become conceited, provoking and envying each other.

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- two realities
- two modes of being
- two ways of living
- it is ongoing warfare
- it is one in which Christ conquered
- it is the very essence of the Kingdom

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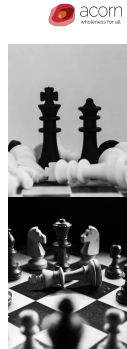


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Two kings - two characters  
Two dispositions - two destinies

- David:** 1 Samuel 16/17
- Saul:** 1 Samuel 10/19 & 28
- Providing a vessel fit for a king**

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## Living in the Anointing: Saul - 1 Samuel 9

- Looks for a safe place over faithfulness v5
- Cannot see beyond the need v7
- Does not lay hold of God's word v19/21
- Focuses on his limitations v 21

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## Living in the Anointing: Saul - 1 Samuel 10

- Anointed king by Samuel v1
- Told 'the Spirit will come upon you powerfully' v6
- It did v10 - he experienced it
- Has his heart 'changed' by God v9
- Chosen by lot v20
- He hides among the bags v22
- Made king before Israel v24

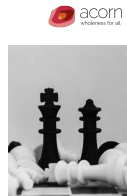
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## Living in the Anointing: 1 Sam 16

- David was also identified by revelation
- Still the least in his family
- Anointed by Samuel and God! v13
- Drawn willingly into service not status
- Is anointed as 'king' - but is still a shepherd! v19
- Discerns the nature of Goliath's challenge
- Focused by God's name not his own
- Acts out of a secret history with God

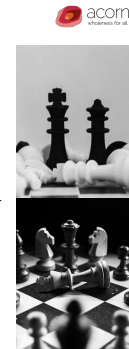
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- I have a history of God's faithfulness
- I will not try to be someone else
- I am confident in God's word and protection
- I understand the nature of the battle
- I know the outcome is in the Lord's hands
- I am ruled by my fears
- Appearances matter more than obedience
- The Word of the Lord is negotiable
- I did what would save my position
- I will determine my own outcome

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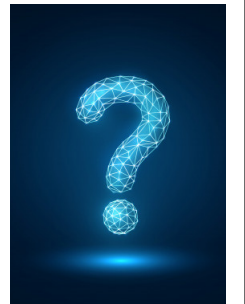


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### Question:

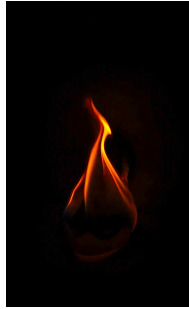
- **What have you seen in Christian ministry that has hindered God's working?**
- **What has aided longevity in others?**
- **How about yourself** ✓ & ✗

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### Part Three: Receiving the Spirit



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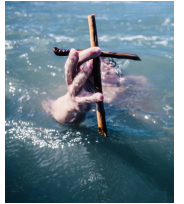
### The Holy Spirit & you Receiving the Spirit

How was it for you?



### In the Bible the Holy Spirit is: God's gift

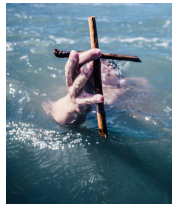
- 'How much more....' (Lk 11:13)
- 'He will give you....' (Jn 14:16)
- 'Wait for the gift....' (Acts 1:4-5)



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### In the Bible the Holy Spirit is: God's promise

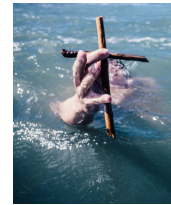
- 'He will baptise you' (4 gospels & Acts 1:5)
- 'Wait for the gift my Father promised' (Acts 1:4-5)
- 'The promise is for you' (Acts 2:39)



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### In the Bible the Holy Spirit is: God's deposit/guarantee

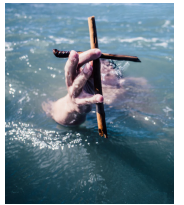
- 'a deposit guaranteeing what is to come'
- 2 Cor 1:21-22, 5:5 & Eph 1:14
- Gk word 'arrabon' - the word for money given in a pledge



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### In the Bible the Holy Spirit is: His coming is described as:

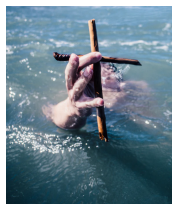
- Baptism with the Spirit - Lk 3:16
- Baptizo = dip, immerse or soak



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### In the Bible the Holy Spirit is: His coming is described as:

- Being filled with the Spirit (Eph 5:18)
- Like a command (imperative tense)
- We cannot do it ourselves (passive mood)
- Go on being filled (present, continuous tense)



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### Different moments of receiving His coming is described as:

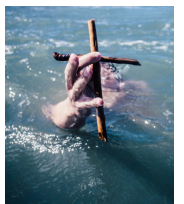
- Phenomena of wind & what seemed to be fire – Ac 2:1-4
- Tongues
- Praise
- Boldness to witness & preach



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### Different moments of receiving

- Place where they were meeting was shaken – Ac 4:31
- Speaking the word of God boldly



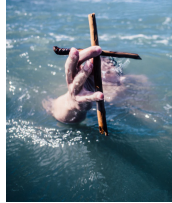
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## Different moments of receiving

While Peter was in the middle of preaching! – Ac 10:44-48

- Tongues
- Praise & worship

Spirit came before water baptism!

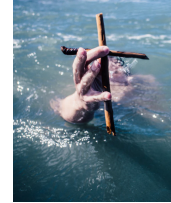


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## Different moments of receiving

When Paul placed his hands on them – Ac 19:1-6

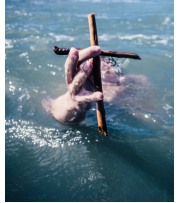
- Tongues
- Prophecy



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## How to receive the Holy Spirit

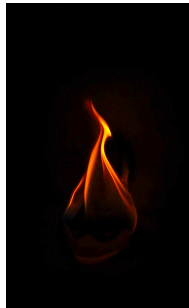
- Be thirsty - Rev 22:17
- Be expectant - Lk 11:13/Acts 1:8
- Be obedient – Ac 5:32
- Put your mind in the right place - Rom 8:5
- Keep clean - 1 Cor 6:19-20
- Ask and keep asking – Lk 11:9-13
- Continual filling – Eph 5:18
- Worship in the waiting



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### Part Four: Personal Prayer Ministry & Shared Worship



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### Part Five: Learning to live with it



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### How can I make room for the Anointing?

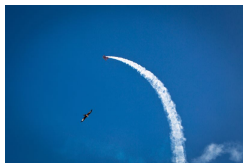


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### Making room for the Anointing

- Deal with your excess baggage
- Unhelpful attachments
- Suspend your judgment
- Resist controlling
- Be defined by the Kingdom
- Live beyond your self
- Keep an eye on eternity



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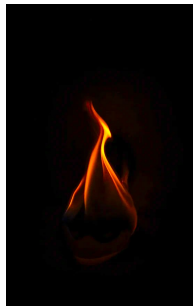
### Question:

- How much of God do you want?
- How much space is there to fill?
- How might you make more?



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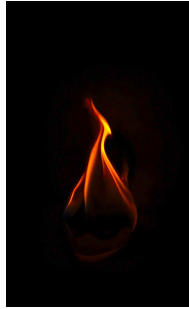
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### Part Six: Discerning myself



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### Discerning myself: 1 Thessalonians 5: 14-21

14 And we urge you, brothers, to admonish the unruly, encourage the fainthearted, help the weak, and be patient with everyone.  
15 Make sure that no one repays evil for evil. Always pursue what is good for one another and for all people.  
16 Rejoice at all times. 17 Pray without ceasing. 18 Give thanks in every circumstance, for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.  
19 Do not extinguish (**quench**) the Spirit. 20 Do not treat prophecies with contempt (**despise**), 21 but test all things. Hold fast to what is good. 22 Abstain from every form of evil.

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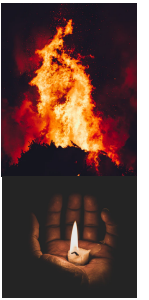
### Discerning myself: 1 Thessalonians 5

#### **quench:**

because they are too much in our opinion

#### **despise:**

because they are too small in our opinion



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### Discerning myself:

- Prejudice
- Preference
- Experience/Upbringing
- Intellect/mind
- Theology/denomination
- Character/disposition
- Failures
- Offence
- Opinions
- Judgmentalism
- Sentimentalism
- Shame/guilt
- Culture
- Favouritism
- Pleasing others
- Fears/phobias

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### Question:

- How well do I know myself?
- Am I aware of what determines how available I am to the Holy Spirit?
- Am I fully or partially open to the Holy Spirit's prompting?

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### Part Seven: In the unlikely place...



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### The Anointing makes room for itself

Welcome to  
Babylon...the  
last place on  
earth where...



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### The Anointing makes room for itself

1 In the third year of the reign of Jehoiakim king of Judah, Nebuchadnezzar king of Babylon came to Jerusalem and besieged it. 2 And the Lord delivered Jehoiakim king of Judah into his hand, along with some of the articles from the temple of God. These he carried off to the temple of his god in Babylonia and put in the treasure house of his god.

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### The Anointing makes room for itself

- The anointing makes a way for it to operate
- Daniel does not need to force anything v8
- Daniel finds favour awaiting him v9
- Daniel finds God's provision, present v20 (x10)
- Daniel chose to walk in the anointing not the circumstance
- Daniel lived who he was in God not who he was in Babylon
- Daniel anticipated grace
- Daniel faithfulness to God released his anointing

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## Living in the Anointing

### The Anointing makes room for itself

- The anointing is a life thing not a ministry thing
- The anointing is not restricted by context
- The anointing flourishes in faithfulness
- The anointing founded on who God is not who we can be
- The anointing always releases the Kingdom of God



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### Question:

- What restrictions to the working of God are you experiencing currently?
- How has it impacted you?
- Today, let us pray for a shifting in us

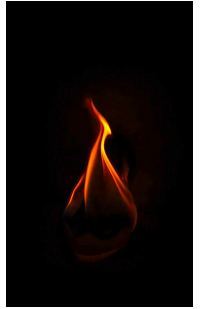


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### Part Eight: Daily Disciplines



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### Daily Disciplines

- Truth
- Timing
- Tongue



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### Daily Disciplines

- practical holiness
- inner purity
- obedience to God
- repentance from all known sin



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## Living in the Anointing

### Galatians 5: 19-21. (TPT) An inventory for living

Sexual immorality...chasing after things instead of God, manipulating others, hatred of those who get in your way, senseless arguments, resentment when others are favoured, temper tantrums, angry quarrels, only thinking of yourself, being in love with your own opinions, being envious of the blessings of others, murder, uncontrolled addictions, wild parties, and all other similar behavior.



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## Living in the Anointing: Galatians 5

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### Galatians 5: 25

**25** Since we live by the Spirit, let us (also) keep in step with the Spirit...

Gk: stoiceō

- to march in military rank
- to conform to virtue



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### Galatians 5: 25

#### Active Listening Prayer

- questions
- seeking
- enquiring
- ‘Show me Lord...’



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### Galatians 5: 25

#### Maintaining focus

- Dealing with distractions
- Those sent
- Those self-generated
- Word fuelled living



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### Galatians 5: 25

#### Presence not product

- Keep joyful
- keep generous
- keep together
- Keep exercising the gift



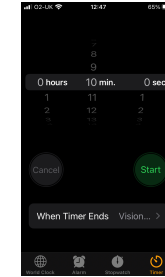
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## Living in the Anointing: Ten Minutes

### An Inventory Galatians 5:19-21

### Word fuelled living Song of Songs 4:9



### Exercise the gift 1 Corinthians 12

### Active Listening Prayer

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### Question:

- How might you use an spiritual inventory to help keep yourself available and accessible to the Holy Spirit?
- Consider what might be a key approach for you.



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### Part Nine: Personal Prayer Ministry & Shared Worship



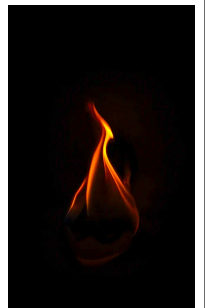
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### Part Ten: And Now...

### Carriers of the Presence



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### Acts 3: 3-5 Beautiful living

When he saw Peter and John about to enter, he asked them for money. .Peter looked straight at him, as did John. Then Peter said “**Look at us!**” .So the man gave them his attention, expecting to get something from them.



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### Reflection:

- Who on earth do you think you are? - in the purposes of God you are more significant than you might think?
- If you allow the Holy Spirit to make his dwelling in you, where might He take you? What might He do through you?



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today...**

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