No Human Explanation 9-25-16

Acts 4:13 (ESV)

Now when they saw the boldness of Peter and John, and perceived that they were uneducated, common men, they were astonished. And they recognized that they had been with Jesus.

The reality of a Christian, there should be no human explanation for your life. Chosen by God, reconciled by Christ, and empowered and guided by the Holy Spirit. Other men do great things but you are empowered and guided by the living God. That is how the church started and that is how the church should continue.

What had these uneducated men done?

Acts 3:3 (ESV) A man lame from birth, seeing Peter and John about to go into the temple, he asked to receive alms.

Acts 3:6 (ESV) But Peter said, "I have no silver and gold, but what I do have I give to you. In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, rise up and walk!"

What did these uneducated men say?

Acts 4:12 (ESV) And there is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name (but Jesus) under heaven given among men by which we must be saved. These uneducated men had a concise clear message and evidenced by power! They turned the world upside down!

We are no different than these men; we are no different than that church; Same Jesus; Same Holy Spirit. God is faithful to All churches. For BCC <u>through a vision</u>, we have the same concise clear message tailored for BCC for this time in history!



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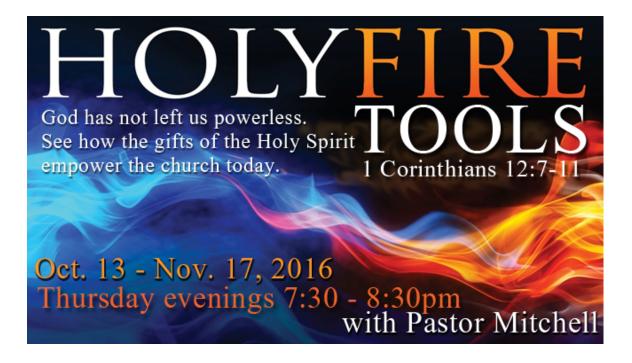
- Salvation
- Freedom
- Ministry of the Holy Spirit

Do Not Neglect The Gift Of Tongues

We are the miracle of God; we are the power of God! Walk in it, "We have no silver and gold but what we do have we give to you!"



What are the facts behind the supernatural work of God? Glad you asked. Alpha gives the overall view of Christianity and the reason for life. Alpha is a 10week course that systematically tells you about Christianity.



How does a person operate in the Gifts of the Holy Spirit? Glad you asked. The Holy Fire Tools is a 6week class where you learn how to operate in these gifts of the Holy Spirit. Operating in these gifts is a normal ministry of the church.

There is "No Human Explanation" for Christians. However we do have knowledge. As the early church moved forward with the concise message and power, questions and problems arose. Therefore the apostles wrote letters to these Spirit filled believers to address the issues, thus the NT. These books help us understand our current issues and even our national problems. In the coming months, we will look at Acts and Romans so that we may live with authority and power in Northern Virginia. (Alpha and Holy Fire Tools)

Romans – Empowering of the Holy Spirit

C.1 – The Downward Spiral

C.2-3 – The Law and Faith

C.4 – The Promise

C.5 – The Reign of Christ

C.6 – The Decision

C.7 – The Struggle

C.8 – The Power

C.9-11 – The Divine Intervention

C.12-16 – The Applications

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2Cor.5:21 (NASB)

He made Him who knew no sin *to be* sin on our behalf, so that we might become the righteousness of God in Him.

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Acts 1:8 (ESV)

But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you.

Prophet Team

Hear from the Holy Spirit to change the current situation or impact the future.