

## Suggested Resources

Below is a list of resources that will help you dig deeper into the topic preached about this morning:

- Randy Clark with Dr. John Ruthven - *Baptized in the Spirit: God's Presence Resting Upon You With Power* (this week's "Pastor's Pick")
- Billy Graham - *The Holy Spirit: Activating God's Power In Your Life*
- Jim Cymbala - *Fresh Wind, Fresh Fire: What Happens When God's Spirit Invades the Hearts of His People*
- Dan Smith - *The Wind and the Rudder: How to Live in the Power of the Spirit Without Becoming Weird*
- Jack Deere - *Surprised by the Power of the Spirit: Discovering How God Speaks and Heals Today*

## Suggested Bibles

We teach from the Bible on Sundays and encourage you to read the Bible throughout the week. Here are a few recommended versions of it:

### Quest Study Bible

"The Question and Answer Bible."

### CSB Study Bible

The CSB Study Bible offers the award-winning Holman study system, which includes over 16,000 study notes, tools, word studies, and articles from respected Bible scholars.

### Teen Life Application Study Bible

includes sections explaining what the Bible has to say about the questions and issues teens face in the *Choices*, *I Wonder*, *Ultimate Issues*, and *My Story* features.

### Kids Quest Study Bible

contains over 500 questions that kids ask, "Quest Challenges" to help you apply what you read and more!

**Plus... be sure to stop by the Welcome Center in our lobby and pick up a FREE copy of our Bible Reading Plan... as well as a FREE Bible!**

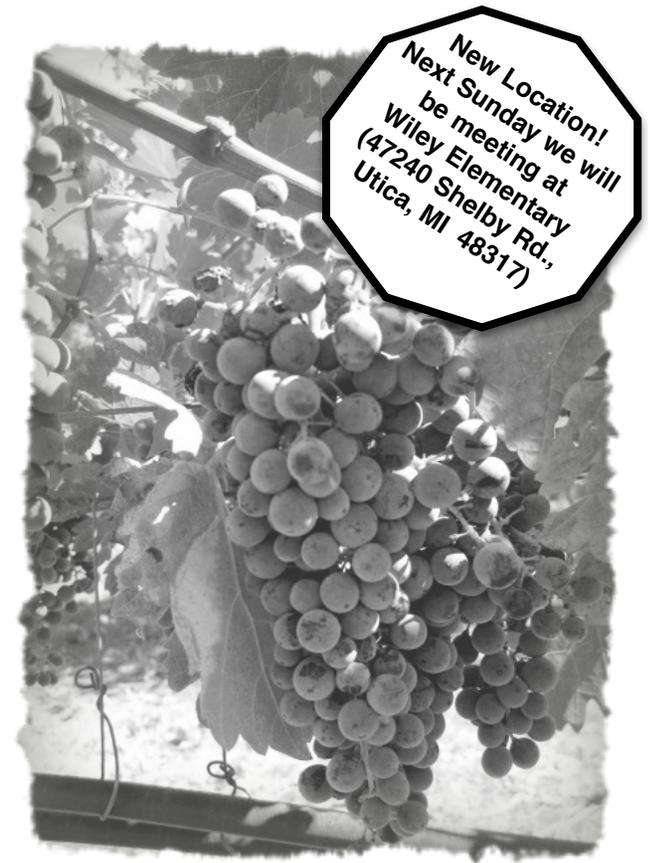
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**New Location!**  
Next Sunday we will  
be meeting at  
Wiley Elementary  
(47240 Shelby Rd.,  
Utica, MI 48317)

## Baptized with the Holy Spirit

June 11, 2017

Week 2 of series: Acts 29

**We want people to encounter God on Sundays and not just "go to church." That is why today's 75-minute service will include an in-depth Bible teaching, communion, worship (feel free to stand or sit as we sing), and an opportunity to receive 1-on-1 prayer.**

# Baptized with the Holy Spirit

(Dan Kopp - lead pastor of The Eastside Vineyard Church)

Notes:

# Digging Deeper Questions

*In our fast-paced culture, it's easy to be impacted by the sermon you hear at church on Sunday... only to forget about it by Monday. To make this message "stick" we created these Digging Deeper Questions so you can process and apply what you heard at church. Take some time this week to go through these questions by yourself, in your small group, with a friend, your family, or your roommate.*

1. Icebreaker: Between this Sunday and next Sunday, our church is moving to Wiley Elementary as we continue the search for our permanent ministry facility. Talk about where you lived when you grew up and then share what it was like the first time you moved. Have fun with this question as you take a trip down memory lane!
2. Is there anything you heard in this week's sermon or experienced in this week's service that was an "a ha" moment, something significant for you?
3. In *Baptized in the Spirit*, Dr. John Ruthven writes, "To get an emphasis on Jesus' mission, we need only to see how He was introduced for the first time in all four Gospels. John the Baptist, in preparing for Jesus, said, 'I baptize you with water for repentance, but He who is coming after me is mightier than I . . . he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit' (Matthew 3:11). When we introduce someone for the first time, we try to associate the person with his or her most important or notable feature, don't we? Jesus' most notable feature, then, according to the New Testament is that He baptizes in the Holy Spirit." What are your thoughts on Ruthven's perspective?
4. In *The Holy Spirit*, Billy Graham writes, "I am convinced that to be filled with the Spirit is not an option, but a necessity. It is indispensable for the abundant life and for fruitful service. The Spirit-filled life is not abnormal; it is the normal Christian life. Anything less is subnormal; it is less than what God wants and provides for His children. Therefore, to be filled with the Spirit should never be thought of as an unusual or unique experience for, or known by, only a select few. It is intended for all, needed by all, and available to all. That is why the Scripture commands all of us, 'be filled with the Spirit.'" What are your thoughts on this quote? Based on what Billy Graham wrote, are you living a normal or abnormal Christian life? Explain.
5. Read Ephesians 5:18. We ought to be "under the influence" of the Holy Spirit in our day-to-day living. Share an example when the Holy Spirit led you to think, say, or do something you otherwise would not have done. Note: don't overlook a "small" example.
6. Read Luke 11:9-13 and Ephesians 5:18. In the original Greek, the verbs in these passages are in the tense that indicates a continual action: not to simply ask one time but to keep on asking. How do you think your life would look different if the full power of the Holy Spirit was released in it? Give some examples... and dream big as you do!

## Key Passage:

*While he was with them, he commanded them not to leave Jerusalem, but to wait for the Father's promise. "Which," he said, "you have heard me speak about; for John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit in a few days." - Acts 1:4-5 (CSB)*

**Reminder! Next Sunday our church is moving to Wiley Elementary as we continue our search for our permanent ministry facility. Wiley is located near 21 Mile & Van Dyke (47240 Shelby Rd., Utica, MI 48317). See you at 10:30am on June 18th at Wiley!**