

INTRO

- What was the longest time you can remember when the power (electricity) was out?
- What was the longest time you were without the internet?
- Do you have a time when you can say that you heard the voice of God in a specific way?

READ

Luke 24:49
Acts 1:8
John 16:13
John 10:27
Acts 2:1-4

REFLECT

Although Jesus had given the great commission to go into all the world and preach the good news, He told his followers to wait until they received the power of the Holy Spirit.

God doesn't expect us to carry out His mission without His power working in and through us.

After the Day of Pentecost, the early Christians were led supernaturally by the voice of God and demonstrated the power of God as they fulfilled the mission of God.

We must...

- A. Believe that God speaks
- B. Learn how God speaks
- C. Follow when God speaks

Qu: Do you have a hard time believing that God will speak to you?

Qu: What are some ways you've been able to know when God is speaking to you?

Qu: With all the information and voices continually coming at us, how can we hang on to what God is saying to us?

God really does want to give to His people His supernatural power, but this power is for a purpose – the advance of His mission.

To receive the power of Pentecost you must dedicate your life to God's glory and God's mission.

RESPOND

- What encouraged and challenged you the most out of today's discussion?
- Do you see yourself as a person on His mission?
- How can you practically apply what you're learning to your personal life?

PRAY

- Pray for one another for a greater experience of God the Holy Spirit.