

Message Notes



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“It Could So Happen at CLCS!”

When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place. ² And suddenly there came from heaven a sound like a mighty rushing wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. ³ And divided tongues as of fire appeared to them and rested on each one of them. ⁴ And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance.

Peter, standing with the eleven, lifted up his voice and addressed them: “Men of Judea and all who dwell in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and give ear to my words...

Let all the house of Israel therefore know for certain that God has made him both Lord and Christ, this Jesus whom you crucified.”

³⁷ Now when they heard this they were cut to the heart, and said to Peter and the rest of the apostles, “Brothers, what shall we do?” ³⁸ And Peter said to them, “Repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. ³⁹ For the promise is for you and for your children and for all who are far off, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to himself.” ⁴⁰ And with many other words he bore witness and continued to exhort them, saying, “Save yourselves from this crooked generation.” ⁴¹ So those who received his word were baptized, and there were added that day about three thousand souls. (Acts 2)

- I dream of the day when...
“...the one with leadership gifts, lead with zeal.” (Romans 12:8)
- I dream of the day when...
“And he gave the evangelists.” (Ephesians 4:11)
- I dream of the day when...
“Always being prepared to share with anyone who asks you for a reason for the hope that is in you.” (1 Peter 3:15)
- I dream of the day when...
“Go out to the roads and country lanes and compel them to come in, so that my house will be full.” (Luke 14:23)

*“If one member suffers, all suffer together; if one member is honored, all rejoice together.”
(1 Corinthians 12:26)*

- I dream of the day when...

“Behold, I am sending you out as sheep in the midst of wolves, so be wise as serpents and innocent as doves.” (Matthew 10:16)

What if we declared 2015-16 as “Pentecost Year” at CLCS?

Jesus summarized His purpose in coming:

“I’ll tell you why God sent me here. It’s to seek and to save those who have lost their way and to heal those who are sick.” (Luke 5:31; 19:10)