

**INSPIRED WORD**  
**April 27, 2016**

**PRAYER**

Lord, we ask that You would pour Your grace down upon us this evening and touch our hearts, so that flames of worship and praise will truly arise from them. Lord, we come to this place, many of us tired, many of us filled with concerns of the day, but here and now we want to look to You, Lord Jesus. We want to look to You because we know that You are among us to strengthen us and to give us hope and joy. So, Lord, send forth Your grace! We truly thank You from the depths of our hearts. We give praise to You, Lord! Glory to You, Jesus!

**PRAYER**

Lord, we know that You are a consuming fire and You will burn away all the wood, all the hay and stubble and we will surrender ourselves to You. We surrender ourselves to You tonight, Lord. Burn away all of the wood, the hay and the stubble to purify the gold, the silver and the precious gems that remain. We praise You, exalt You and magnify Your holy Name! You alone will be glorified; You alone will be exalted in all Your ways! Hallelujah to the Lamb, the holy Risen Lamb of God! We praise You, exalt You and magnify Your holy Name; O holy Lord God!! Hallelujah to the Righteous Lamb of God!!

**SCRIPTURE**

**Psalms 95: 1 – 7:** O come, let us sing to the Lord; let us make a joyful noise to the Rock of our salvation! Let us come into His Presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to Him with songs of praise! For the Lord is a great God, and a great King above all gods. In His hand are the depths of the earth; the heights of the mountains are His also. The sea is His, for He made it, and the dry land, which His hands have formed. O come, let us worship and bow down, let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker! For He is our God, and we are the people of His pasture, and the sheep of His hand.

**SCRIPTURE**

**1 John 1: 5 – 7: God is Light** This is the message we have heard from Him and proclaim to you, that God is light and in Him there is no darkness at all. If we say that we have fellowship with Him while we are walking in darkness, we lie and do not do what is true; but if we walk in the light as He Himself is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus His Son cleanses us from all sin.

**CONFIRMATION**

I want to confirm what Katarina just said. Before we sang that last song, I opened up my Bible to **1 John** and read the scripture that “**God is Light and in Him there is no darkness at all.**”

## **PRAYER**

Holy Spirit, You are here with us! We give You praise! Touch our hearts and set them on fire; we are ready. Lord, You hear us and You incline Your ear and You listen. O Jesus, O Jesus! No cry is unheard, and no circumstance beyond the reach of Your love. O Jesus, You hear us when we call to You here and now in this place. O Jesus, You give us the Holy Spirit, the Breath of life, the Breath of power, the Breath of love, the Breath of hope, and the Breath of peace.

## **SENSE / PRAYER**

When we were singing that last song, I had the sense that there is someone here with a heavy burden. You are thinking that it is too heavy to even tell anybody about it or to even ask for prayers. Lord, we lift that individual up to You right now. Lord, You see every heart and You know every need, and there is someone here with us tonight who is carrying an extremely heavy burden. Lord, we ask You to touch that person and bring hope, bring strength, bring wisdom, bring consolation and guidance, and bring Your love. Touch that person here in this assembly, Lord, and let them know that this night You, the Lord of glory and the Good Shepherd, have heard them and have come to raise them up. We thank You for this, Lord Jesus! We thank You and give You glory!

## **SHARING**

If you have ever said, "I have never felt the Breath of God in my life", I would beg to differ. In every single breath, in every inhalation, you have experienced the Breath of God flowing into your nostrils, filling your lungs, giving you life. In every breath, God is present in this world at all times, and His gift to you is every breath that you are able to take.

## **SHARING / PROPHECY**

Before we close for tonight, I have something that I want to share with you. All throughout the evening, I heard Jesus saying, "I step into you." I believe that it is collectively 'you' when He said, "I step into you."

