



Bishop Leroy Watson III

The Refilling of the Holy Ghost

The question must be asked do I need a refilling of the Holy Ghost? The only person that can answer that question is you. The way you can begin to answer that question assuming that you already have the Holy Ghost is how do you feel? Are you still sensitive to the move of God? Can you still feel God moving on the inside of you? Does the Holy Ghost still speak to the thoughts of your mind and tell you what to do and what not to do? Finally, has God told you to complete a task that you are unequipped to finish? If the answer is yes to any of these questions, then I must inform you that you need a refilling of the Holy Ghost.

To deal with the refilling of the Holy Ghost I need to first deal with the baptism of the Holy Ghost. I will not deal with it in depth; however, I need to share a few things with you so that you can understand the difference between baptism and refilling.

The word baptism comes from the word baptize which means to immerse in water.



Bishop Watson preaching the Word of God. He believes the only thing that should guild your life is God's Word.

John 14:26

Jesus sent us a comforter His name is the Holy Ghost

To teach us all things and bring back to our remembrance what have been taught to us.



The Holy Ghost is promised to every believer. You cannot live a successful Christian life without it.

It also means to cleanse spiritually; initiate or dedicate by purifying. Jesus said in Luke 24:49 And, behold, I send the promise of my Father upon you: but tarry ye in the city of Jerusalem, until ye be endued with power from on high. After Jesus ascended into heaven to sit on the right of the Father. The disciples did what he commanded. They went to Jerusalem to wait for the promise which was the baptism of the Holy Ghost.

Acts 2:1-4 explains what happened when they were waiting in the upper room, "And when the day of Pentecost was fully come, they were all with one accord in one place. 2 And suddenly there came a sound from heaven as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled all the house where they were sitting.

3 And there appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them. 4 And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance."

The initial filling of the Holy Ghost is referred to as the baptism of the Holy Ghost. You may ask where I got that term from. I got it from Jesus himself. Jesus Said in Acts 1:4-5 And, being assembled together with them, commanded them that they should not depart from Jerusalem, but wait for the promise of the Father, which, saith he, ye have heard of me. 5 For John truly baptized with water; but ye shall be baptized with the Holy Ghost not many days hence. *Continue on page 4*

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An Encouraging Word

A message from Elect Lady Gloria Watson to encourage and uplift your day, week, and month. There are times where everyone needs an encouraging Word.

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Straight From the Heart

There is a moment in an adverse situation when God brings you clarity. It is that "Aha" moment where your mind becomes clear. Let's talk about it with Crystal.

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Elect Lady Gloria Watson

THE LADY'S CORNER

An Encouraging and Uplifting Word



Everyone needs a bit of encouragement from time to time.

Thankfully we have the Bible as our ultimate source of encouragement as believers!

Even in the midst of any family trials, facing fear and financial crisis, we can remain hopeful and encouraged if we keep trusting in God. I know from many experiences' things will work out.

I have found that the key to great and

long-lasting encouragement and uplift are finding specific encouraging Bible verses.

Once found take time and set these verses to memory. Meditate on them and they will become a part of you. This changes your outlook on life. According to the Word, this is how faith comes.

The more we soak up the truth of God's Word, the more assured we become that He really is going to take care of us!

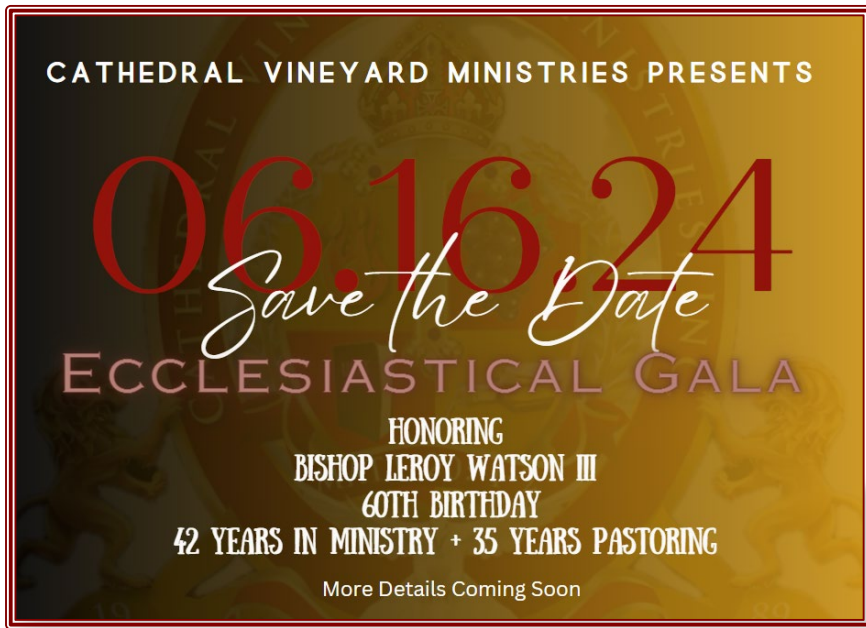
So, my challenge for you today; start writing down an encouraging scripture and keep your focus on it as we know that the Word of God, they are true.

Example: "But my God shall supply all your need according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus." Phil 4:19

Notice the verse says "ALL." It doesn't say "some" or "most," but it says that He will meet all of our needs.

It doesn't say how He will meet our needs. I have found from my experience the way He does it is oftentimes not what I expected.

However, the bottom line is that God is faithful, and He does what He promise.



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5 Marks of A Good Pastor

Personal Knowledge: No stranger to God and the Gospel Experience (2 Cor 5:17, Jn 3:4-5)

Divine Call: Not from personal ambition or self-interest (Eph 4:11)

Consecrated Intentions: To Do God's will and have the best interest for the church and all men (Eph 4:11-12)

Divine Anointing: Not human education, wisdom, polish, and effort only, but divine leading and help (Acts 1:4-8)

Personal Interest: Acquaintance with their flock, helpful in times of trouble, give advice when needed (Acts 20:26-35)

Good Example: Lead not drive, feed not destroy, live what you preach (2 Cor 4:8-18, 6:1-10, 2 Thess 3:6-15)

Gloria J Watson

Sunday's Look

Dorinda Clark Cole Church Dresses Spring and Summer 2024



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Crystal D. Watson

CRYSTAL CLEAR MOMENT

From The Heart of a Believer



I am sure we have all heard the adage, "Life is what you make it." Let me be crystal clear: it is not! Life is full of ups and downs, difficulties, and both good and bad seasons. So much of it is beyond our control. Life will take you from celebration on the mountaintop to somber valleys. This is why it is critical to genuinely rely on Christ, for how we perceive life and its events influences our spiritual life here on earth, which in turn affects our eternal existence.

A few months back, things were tough for me. Life appeared to be turning me every way but loose. I had no idea what would happen next, so I was frustrated and confused. I was in a depressing fog, but I was attempting to be positive and see the good. For the life of me, I could not comprehend why it felt like I could not

catch a break. After conversing with God one evening, it dawned on me that everything in this world is an illusion created by our perception, which is influenced by the acceptance, deceit, or delusion of various things. This was my aha moment.

Col 3:2 Set your affection on things above, not on things on the earth. This verse instructs us to set our minds on things above, not on things that are on the earth. We frequently attempt to control things that are beyond our abilities and because of the way we view the world around us. This is detrimental to our spiritual well-being. We tend to lose sight of the one who created all by concentrating too much on our "issue" or the cares of this world. What we must do is adjust our perspective and shift our focus.

To change one's perception, we have to change what we think on. We have to let the Lord govern our minds rather than setting our minds on things that are not above. We can't be so engrossed by in our life here on earth that we forget that there are things taking place around us and concerning us in the spirit realm and in heaven. We must view this gifted life as an opportunity for our heavenly father to do things in us and through us, and there

and there will be some triumphs and some troubles we will go through. We can't lose sight of knowing that God, in his sovereignty, has complete control of this life. Therefore, it's not what we make it, because we are powerless in that aspect, but rather how we move through life by changing how we think.

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Elder Theresa Montgomery

A Voice**Why Gather Together?**

There is a question that rings in society, "Why do people go to church?" In early times and even now this is a place where people would gather, worship, pray, sing, and praise God for all that he has done for them. There is a popular response that some in society would say, "Can't you do that in your home?" An answer would be, yes, but it wouldn't be fulfilling, nor would it fulfil the reason why this scripture was pinned.

You see, when you are in a group of like-minded people, or people who have a greater understanding than you, it gives you comfort, strength, and perseverance in whatever you are in

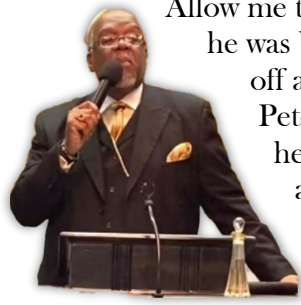
pursuit of. It gives you the strength to work through all adversity and come out on the other side.

When you know that you have an outlet that you can go to where you can receive knowledge and understanding on how to deal with challenges or blessings. There is an urgency, you can't wait to get there and absorb all that is given to you. Especially when you know that the information is solid and true.

In the house of the Lord, there is no greater place to be when the teachings and examples ... *Continue Page 4 lower right section*

Refilling of the Holy Ghost*Continued from page 1.*

The baptism of the Holy Ghost only happens once but you can have as many refilling's of the Holy Ghost as God see fit.



Allow me to show you the difference between having the Holy Ghost and not having it. When Peter followed Jesus after he was betrayed by Judas and caught by soldiers. Jesus was taken to the judgement hall to be tried. Peter followed a far off and was one of those that lingered on the outside. This is what the scriptures said happened Matt 26:69-75 Now Peter sat without in the palace: and a damsel came unto him, saying, Thou also wast with Jesus of Galilee. 70 But he denied before them all, saying, I know not what thou sayest. 71 And when he was gone out into the porch, another maid saw him, and said unto them that were there, This fellow was also with Jesus of Nazareth. 72 And again he denied with an oath, I do not know the man. 73 And after a while came unto him they that stood by, and said to Peter, surely, thou also art one of them; for thy speech betrayeth thee.

74 Then began he to curse and to swear, saying, I know not the man. And immediately the cock crew.

75 And Peter remembered the word of Jesus, which said unto him, Before the cock crow, thou shalt deny me thrice. And he went out, and wept bitterly.

Peter did not have the courage nor the power to stand in the midst of adversity. When he should have stood up for what he believed and held on to his faith he could not. Why, he did not have the baptism of the Holy Ghost. Now, let us look at an incident after Peter was baptized with the Holy Ghost. In the Bible there is a story about a lame man (Acts 3:1-11) that they would lay at the gate of the temple. They called this gate Beautiful. They would lay this man there daily to ask for money. On this one particular day Peter and John came walking by to go into the Temple, for it was the hour of prayer. The man saw them and asked them for some money and Peter said to him, "Silver and Gold have I none; but such as I have: In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth rise up and walk."

Peter then grabbed him by his right hand and the Bible says that strength immediately entered into his feet and ankles. He leaped up and stood. Filled with so much joy he walked and leaped in the temple praising God. The people were amazed. Peter began to preach about Jesus Christ and how they needed to repent and be converted so that their sins may be blotted out. The people believed and at least 5000 men was converted.

The priest, captain of the Temple, and the Sadducees didn't like what Peter Preached because the people believed in what he preached. They were losing their influence with the people. So, they arrested Peter and John. The following day placed them on trial. Those that had them on trial asked one question, "By what power, or by what name have you done this?" *Continue Below* ↓

The Holy Ghost Makes the Difference

One Baptism Many Refillings

I want you to pay close attention to Peter's response to them, Acts 4:8-14 Then Peter, filled with the Holy Ghost, said unto them, Ye rulers of the people, and elders of Israel, 9 If we this day be examined of the good deed done to the impotent man, by what means he is made whole; 10 Be it known unto you all, and to all the people of Israel, that by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom ye crucified, whom God raised from the dead, even by him doth this man stand here before you whole. 11 This is the stone which was set at nought of you builders, which is become the head of the corner. 12 Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is none other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved. 13 Now when they saw the boldness of Peter and John, and perceived that they were unlearned and ignorant men, they marveled; and they took knowledge of them, that they had been with Jesus. 14 And beholding the man which was healed standing with them, they could say nothing against it.

This same Peter that denied Jesus three times is now preaching where 5000 men are converted and once placed on trial stood up and argued his case in such a way that his accusers could not say anything. What was the difference? The answer is in verse 8. It said, "Peter, filled with the Holy Ghost." The Holy Ghost makes the difference.

The word filled comes from the Greek word Pleroo (play-ro-o) which means to cram, level up, or as it relates to a prediction or accomplishments to complete, fulfill.

As you grow in Christianity and life temptations get greater or the task that God has for you becomes greater you need a refilling of the Holy Ghost. Because your old measure is not good enough for your new circumstance.

In the next edition of Gospel Speaks I will share with you how you can receive a refilling of the Holy Ghost.

Why Gather Together?*Continued From Page 3*

of the Gospel of Jesus Christ is evident. Where you can feel the Spirit and others who are giving him praise and honor.

Gathering together with those who bask in God's glory will give you a jolt of confidence to keep going. You will know that no matter how weighted the circumstance can be, when you gather together in the house of the Lord with fellow believers you're not alone. You have others walking with you, believing with you, and praying with and for you. The scripture says, Heb 10:25 Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another: and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching.

Why Gather Together? It is a command of God to do so, and your life will never be the same. Commit to going to church and getting involved and watch how God will move for you.

