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# PENTECOST

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The Goodness of God  
Indwelling Jars of Clay

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**“But we have this treasure in jars of clay to show that this all-surpassing power is from God and not from us.”**

2 Corinthians 4:7  
New International Version

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**“If you only look at us, you might well miss the brightness. We carry this precious Message around in the unadorned clay pots of our ordinary lives.”**

2 Corinthians 4:7  
The Message

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**Pentecost is the all-satisfying fulfillment of Jesus' promise that God's presence as the person of the Holy Spirit, would move from the outside of our lives to WITHIN OUR LIVES AND TAKE UP RESIDENCE.**

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v. 14 **“My Presence will go with you, and I will give you rest.”** v. 15 **Then Moses said to him, ‘If your Presence does not go with us, do not send us up from here.’** v. 18 **Then Moses said, ‘Now show me your glory.’**

**v. 19 And the Lord said, 'I will cause all my goodness to pass in front of you, and I will proclaim my name, the Lord, in your presence. I will have mercy on whom I will have mercy, and I will have compassion on whom I will have compassion.'"**

**Exodus 33:14-15, 18-19  
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**Pentecost is more than a mere “passing by”. It is being immersed in the personhood of God as the person of the Holy Spirit, making partakers of His divine nature and giving us all we need to live a life of godliness and holiness.**

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# Characteristics of our Relationship with Holy Spirit

- 1. Our relationship with the Holy Spirit reminds us over and over again that God is good.**



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**Empathize and be compassionate.**

**Act.**

**Repeat.**

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**2. Our relationship with the Holy Spirit sends us as missionaries into society as a radical community whose witness is rooted in love that's expressed in power.**

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**3. Our relationship with the Holy Spirit changes how we see people.**

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- 4. Our relationship with Holy Spirit can make us more like Jesus thus satisfying the deep longings of the heart.**

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**5. Our relationship with Holy Spirit gives all we need to obey Jesus.**

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**6. Our relationship with Holy Spirit baptizes into one family with a diversity of cultures, languages, expressions.**

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**7. Our relationship with Holy Spirit upgrades how we see our possessions.**



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