

Recap

Focusing on the daily activity of the Holy Spirit

Water – the Holy Spirit refreshes and restores us; He gives us life

Fire – the Holy Spirit refines us

- **He purifies our hearts** – makes our character more like the character of Jesus (Gal 5.22-23)
- **He strengthens our faith** – deepens our trust in the Father



**The Holy
Spirit as Oil**



The Holy Spirit Anoints us

Anointing –

Physically – to pour oil on the head/smear on the forehead as a sign of consecration to a particular role

Spiritually – to be set apart for certain work by the Father and to be empowered to do that work by the Holy Spirit

Ex 28.30 – Aaron/sons anointed as priests

1Sam 9.16 – Samuel anoints Saul as king

1Kings 19.16 – Elisha anointed to replace Elijah as prophet to Israel



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Spiritual Gifts

- 4 main passages – 1 Cor 12.4-11, 1Cor 12.27-31, Rom 12.6-8, Eph 4.11
- 3 main categories –
 - **Who we are** – our role in ‘building up the body’
 - **What we say and What we do** – all used for the good of others

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Spiritual
Gifts



APEST



**Because the Father desires to
anoint us and we need to be
anointed –**

**Discern the good works the Father has
created for us to do**

These good works are the places where
the Holy Spirit will anoint us


Both preparation and anointing are
necessary for long-term fruitfulness

**Recognize the anointing available to us
everyday**

In the specific good works the Father has
prepared for us

In the daily promptings of the Holy Spirit

In the 'placement' of our lives (where we
live, work, and play)



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