

LIFE IN THE SPIRIT



A SERIES AT KING'S COMMUNITY CHURCH

Through this series we'll be exploring themes such as the promise of the Holy Spirit as well as worshipping, witnessing and praying in the Spirit. By exploring Biblical themes we'll see what it looks like to live life in the Spirit.

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LIFE Groups: Learning, Integration, Friendship, Everyone a witness



Title: Serving in the Spirit

Date: 12th Feb 2023

Speaker: Goff

Site: City Centre / Mile Cross

Bible reference: 1Peter 4:7-11

Overview

This passage gives Peter's 3 priorities for local church life:

The Urgency of Prayer - Join us! 1st Friday, 2nd Saturday, Sunday morning 9am

The Primacy of Love - Above / before everything else. This is agape love, in action

The Gift of Serving - Everyone is to use their gift, not for their own benefit / fulfilment, but to **serve** others. No distinction between 'spiritual' & practical, natural gifts. For God's glory
How do we do this well? Every family hits frustrations. We all have quirky annoying ways..

Love on the Stretch. See v8 How do we do this? It's more than we can do in our own strength, but we have received a love that was stretched to the very limit, on the Cross.

The Urgency of Prayer

- I'm sure you agree that these are urgent days. Is that reflected in your prayer life?
- What tips, encouragements can you share / learn about personal daily prayer?
- Which of the City Centre regular prayer times could you prioritise?

The Primacy of Love

- What do you think Peter means by 'love covers a multitude of sins'?
- OK, let's get honest! What annoying ways do you have?!
- Where do you need to have grace and patience when serving at King's?

Serving... with love at full stretch

- What gift / gifts has God given you to serve the church family with?
- Why do we need to have 'love on the stretch' when serving church family?
- How can the following verses help us with that? 2Cor 5:14, Eph 3:18