**Study Guide** 

Monday April 8th

(I took time to pray today  $\Box$  )

**Read: John 12:1-8** Judas has ulterior motives that he speaks up about the expensive perfume used. But Mary only wants to please Jesus and is willing to pay any price.

**Question:** Are you willing to do no matter what it costs for Jesus? Do you sometimes have ulterior motives for what you do for Jesus? Are you willing to surrender more of what you have for Jesus?

Tuesday April 9th (I took time to pra

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**Read:** Micah 3:8 A reminder from an Old Testament prophet that he was filled with the Spirit of the Lord and because of that the things he received to do what God called him to do.

**Question:** What are your thoughts about the Holy Spirit filling you? Knowing that the Holy Spirit provides us with what Is needed to serve in ministry, are you willing to accept the Spirit's power in your life?

Wednesday April 10th (I took time to pray today 
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**Read: Exodus 31:3** Another Scripture reminding us that we have been given the gift of the Holy Spirit. It is always interest-Ing to see this happening in the Old Testament before the promise of Jesus.

**Question:** What do you think of the gifts that are mentioned in this Scripture? Are you interested to find out what is available for you through the Holy Spirit? If yes, talk to someone at Church.

Thursday April 11th

(I took time to pray today  $\square$  )

**Read:** Acts 11:24 The combination of the Holy Spirit and faith brings people to Christ.

**Question:** Are you convinced that you need the Holy Spirit In order to lead others to Christ? Are you willing to give up control and the Holy Spirit to lead and guide you to do evangelism?

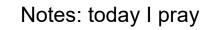
Friday April 12th (I took time to pray today 
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**Read:** Acts 13:9 Paul too was filled with the Holy Spirit and think about all that he did to bring people to Christ. This certainly is only a small example of how important the Holy Spirit is in our lives.

**Question:** Are you convinced yet that you need the Holy Spirit in your life to do the ministry that God has called you to? Have you been one to use the excuse that God could never use you to do His work? How do you see things differently now?

Through God's love for us we can't help but want to serve others and show that love to them. Let us help you explore the best way for you to show love and serve in your Christian path. See Pastor Bob or Deacon Maryanne who are willing to help you in your faith walk.

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## **Prayers For The Week**

**Monday**: Father God, I know that I act out of selfish motives sometimes when I am serving You. Draw me closer to You so that I will serve You with everything I have. Amen.

**Tuesday**: Holy Spirit, fill me with all that I need to serve You more fully. Amen.

**Wednesday**: Lord Jesus, You promised in Your word the gift of the Holy Spirit. I need Your Spirit to accomplish all that You are calling me to do. Amen.

**Thursday**: God, show me Your faithfulness so that I can give up more of my control and follow You. Amen.

**Friday:** Holy Spirit, I recognize that I need You so that I can be all that Jesus desires me to be. Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me. Amen.

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