

WIND OF THE SPIRIT MINISTRIES Newsletter

November 2022

Whose Voice?

Our Heavenly Father wants to have a close, personal relationship with us. It's what we in the church call communion or fellowship. To have that kind of relationship with another requires us to learn about the other person. We watch what they do, how they respond to a variety of situations, we listen to them when they speak, we watch their body language.

As we do these things we are learning about that person; about their likes and dislikes, what interests them, their talents and gifts, what matters to them. It is the same with our Heavenly Father. It means we pay attention to Him when He speaks through Scripture, prayer, circumstances, Word of Knowledge, etc. The more time we spend with Him, the more we recognize His voice and what He is doing in and around us.

The world around us is overflowing with voices questioning, pressuring, persuading, demanding and it becomes so loud that it can be difficult to discern between God's voice and some other voice. Even our own wants and desires make it difficult to decipher. If we aren't familiar with the voice of God, we can be pulled into thinking and behaving contrary to the good and right things of the Lord.

Scripture contains everything necessary to our salvation and living a life pleasing to God. It tells us how we were designed to live on this earth so that we could have an abundant, fulfilling life. It tells us about God and His attributes so that we recognize His holiness and faithfulness to His promises (and they are good!). It shows us what God looks like and acts like in human flesh through the life of Jesus Christ. And if we are acquainted with Scripture, we will be able to discern God's voice from all of the other voices.

-If the voice we are listening to is out of line with what the Scripture calls good, it is not God's voice.

-If the voice promotes things that are opposite of the character of Jesus, it is not God's voice.

-If it does not build up the Body of Christ or if it tears down others, it is not the voice of God.

-And, if that voice does not give me peace, but rather stirs up things like offense, anger, self-righteousness, unforgiveness, unholy living, greed, self-promotion, etc, etc, etc. (You get the picture), it is not of God.

A holy life is a life that is different from the world. Holy means to be "set apart" for God's purposes. Living a life that follows God's voice will very quickly set you apart. The world loves its own; it does not love those who are set apart for God, because it brings the awareness of sin.

"Father, make us thirsty for truth; the truth about You, the truth of our circumstances, and truth about ourselves. Your Word is truth. Keep us from listening to the world, the enemy and our fallen flesh. For Your glory. In Jesus' name."

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PRAYER SEMINAR

December 2-3, 2022

The Prayer Seminar is dedicated to renewing and refreshing our prayer life. Knowing who God is makes a difference in our relationship with him. It is only in a relationship of trust that we can come to God and receive answers to our prayers. This seminar answers questions like:

To whom am I praying?

Who is the God of the Bible?

Does God know my struggles?

Does God care?

Is He able to help me?

Sessions include:

People who pray The God to whom we pray Listening prayer Prayer and forgiveness

Schedule:

Friday, December 27pm -9pm*Registration begins at 6pm FridaySaturday, December 38am—4pmThere is no charge for this event.

<u>This event will be held at:</u> Living Waters Fellowship 1541 Sylvan Way Bremerton, WA 98310

RSVP (deadline Nov 25th) by email:

wosmnw@yahoo.com

THANK YOU! Thank You!

We want to thank everyone who has contributed in varieties of ways to Wind of the Spirit Ministries over the last 39 years! You are a vital part of the work this ministry has been called to do. With your support there have been opportunities to reach people in many parts of the world with the life-changing hope found in Jesus Christ.

Your support is more important than ever. The world is in desperate need of hope and healing that can only be found in a relationship with God through Jesus.

"Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved. How then, can they call on the one they have not believed in? And how can they believe in the one of whom they have not heard? And how can they hear without someone preaching to them? And how can anyone preach unless they are sent?" Romans 10:13-15

Will you prayerfully consider how you might support this ministry? God's call on Wind of the Spirit has not changed. We are ready to go and share the grace and love of our Lord Jesus Christ with a lost and hurting world.

WEB-PAGE Wind of the Spirit Web Page address is www.wosm-nw.org

By: Mr. Bob Cashmore WOSM Teaching Staff

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding;" Proverbs 3:5

WOSM is all about equipping the "saints" for ministry and the development of healing ministry in the local church. Healing ministry prayer is best done by a team of Spirit-filled believers of different giftings, talents, positions and experiences all working together under the guidance of the Holy Spirit to enable Jesus to bring healing and wholeness to a person in need of prayer.

The first step in ministry is to admit that we do not know how to pray for a given situation (we have such limited understanding), so we ask the Holy Spirit to show us how to pray. As we pray the Spirit reveals his understanding to us in various ways according to the gifting of members of the team. I don't want to enlarge on that here but would like to provide an example of what can happen when we trust in God's ability to speak to us!

I was with Evangelist Larry Eddings at a church in the Midwest doing a training seminar on starting a healing ministry in a small church. One afternoon we went with the Pastor to visit one of his people who was in a carehome and in need of prayer. We prayed and ministry followed. As we were leaving, I shared something that I had seen during the prayer time: an image of a cross-road sign pointing to a place called "Galbraith". It meant nothing to me, but I've learned that sometimes God speaks to us in a way that we don't understand and when shared with someone else in the team it has meaning.

Immediately the pastor said that we needed to drive across town to visit someone of *that same name*. He, too, was in a care facility and sharing a room with another man. We prayed and Jesus ministered to Mr. **Galbraith** and, as we turned to leave, the other man in the room asked if we would pray for him. As we prayed it became evident that he had never experienced the healing power of salvation. Jesus did this and we watched the man's transformation as Jesus healed him. All that to say: "trust in God to speak to you and let Him do what He wants to have done." Amen.

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"The gifts he gave were that some would be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, some pastors and teachers, to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ." Ephesians 4:11,12



PLEASE POST AND PRAY FOR THESE EVENTS

OTHER MINISTRY EVENTS ARE IN THE PLANNING STAGES Martello's email address: martello52000@yahoo.com

November	Pray for the Prayer Seminar being held in Bremerton, Washington at Living Waters Fellowship on December 2-3
	Give thanks for all things!
December 2-3	Prayer Seminar at Living Waters Fellowship, Bremer- ton, Washington
January	Wind of the Spirit Ministries Mid-Year Board and Council meeting Planning for upcoming events