

WORDS WITH FRIENDS: POWER

May 18, 2014 • Pastor Gregg Matte • 1 Corinthians 2:1-5

God's power is _____ and _____.

Power is mentioned almost 400 times in the Bible.

Psalms 68:1; Ephesians 1:20; 1 Peter 1:5; Romans 15:19; 1 Corinthians 1:18

► Is our trust in the power of _____ or _____?

• The arrogance of man causes us to _____ the power of God.
Matthew 28:17

- Seems like His power is thwarted. Why?

a) His purposes and timing are _____ from ours. (*Isaiah 55:8-9*)

b) He _____ at work. We may be looking at different gauges.

► God's power _____ man's _____.
1 Corinthians 1:24-25

• Three places to experience His _____.

- Victory in _____. (*1 Corinthians 10:13*)

- Endurance in _____. (*1 Corinthians 12:9*)

- Living with _____. (*1 Corinthians 15:58; Colossians 1:29; Acts 1:8; Romans 1:16*)



WEEK AT A GLANCE

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

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CHILDREN'S SUMMER KICK-OFF PARTY

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PRAYER MINISTRY TEAM

Prayer, Missions & Connection Center

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FOOD PANTRY / CLOTHES CLOSET TEAM

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FIRST FRIENDS TEAM

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WOMEN'S MENTORS

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KID'S CLUB HOMEWORK HELPERS

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DECISIONS MAY 11, 2014

Baptized

Shayn Herpich

Hope Irons

For Baptism

Kayla Hand

Rob Olson

Melody Olson

Kim Wood

From Other Fellowships

Andrew Gowdy

Shirley Kopecky

Charlene Grant

Molly Sanders

Brittany Hays

Adam Turner

Josh Hunter

By Statement

Leah Oliver

Juanita Villanueva

Ryan Oliver

Jake Wood

SYMPATHIES

- Amy Achgill in the loss of her grandmother, Marie Achgill
- Bill & Mary Nicole in the loss of his mother, Dolly Nell Nicole
- Sandy Sayers in the loss of her mother, Vera McDougall
- Barbara Collis in the loss of her sister, Nancy Pfeiffer
- Joan Fitzgerald in the loss of her husband, Bill Fitzgerald
- Taylor Maddry in the loss of his grandmother

GIVING — WEEK ENDING MAY 11, 2014

MISSION 1:8 Weekly Giving \$474,563

MISSION 1:8 Weekly Goal \$609,890

MISSION 1:8 Over/(Under) for May \$26,956

Other Designated Giving \$73,043

MISSION 1:8 YTD \$48,226,381

(Giving to MISSION 1:8 is from Mar 2013-Feb 2015)

ATTENDANCE MAY 11, 2014

Life Bible Study 4,382

Mission Bible Study 311

Total Bible Study 4,693

BIRTHS

- Chris & Kelly Keith in the birth of their son, Aaron Jase; brother William James

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