

4Ws for Week 24 (09 – 15 June 2025)

WELCOME (15 minutes)

(If there are first-time guests, begin with a round of introduction and warmly welcome the new visitors.)

Suggested icebreakers:

1. Who Do You Say I Am?" (Online)

- Begin by reading Matthew 16:15, where Jesus asked His disciples: "What about you? Who do you say I am?"
- Invite each member to respond in the chat with one word that describes God's character, based on personal experience or Scripture.
- Then, take turns sharing:
 - Why that attribute resonates, or
 - A life experience that connects with that specific characteristic of God.

Wrap up by encouraging everyone to keep discovering who God is together, as a community in Christ.

2. If God were a Hashtag (Onsite)

In our hashtag-driven world, invite members to describe God or highlight one attribute of His character in hashtag form—based on personal experience or Scripture.

Examples of hashtags:

- #Unchanging
- #AlwaysWithMe
- #GodIsLove
- #MercyOverJudgment
- #LightInTheDarkness

Remind the group: God's character can't be captured in one word or hashtag. Yet reflecting on a single aspect often reveals how present and personal He is in our lives.

Invite everyone to share: Which attribute of God would you like to know more deeply today?

Materials: Provide markers and mahjong paper for each member to write their hashtag.

WORSHIP (20 minutes)

(Encourage members to allow the Holy Spirit to minister through them by sharing words, visions, tongues and interpretations of tongues.)

Suggested worship songs:

- 1) You (Hillsong)
- 2) Living Hope

WORD (45 minutes)

Preacher: Rev. Daniel Khong

Scripture Passage: Acts 2:1-4, 14, 40-41

Sermon Title: Pentecost: God's Promises Fulfilled

Introduction

Pentecost centers on the Holy Spirit—the third Person of the Trinity. It affirms God's faithfulness in fulfilling His promises to His chosen people, particularly by empowering them for ministry. The

ultimate purpose of the Holy Spirit's outpouring is to equip believers to carry on the work of Jesus on earth after His ascension.

On the day of Pentecost, God fulfilled:

- a) The Promise of *His Entrusted Power*
- b) The Promise of *His Manifest Presence*

Discovery and Understanding Questions:

Q1. Read Acts 1:8; 2:1-8; 2:14, 40-41; 3:1-3, 6-8. What messages do the events during Pentecost reveal to you?

A1: As Jesus promised, He sent the Holy Spirit to His disciples, empowering them to preach boldly and perform miracles. This outpouring led to the salvation of many and fulfilled God's plan for His saving work to continue beyond Jesus' earthly ministry.

Q2. Meditate over John 14:16-18. How do these verses encourage you?

A2. Jesus' promise in these verses is a powerful assurance of His enduring presence. At Pentecost, through the coming of the Holy Spirit, He fulfilled that promise—remaining with His followers not just in word, but in power and glory. His presence became not merely a comforting thought, but a manifest reality.

Application Questions

Break into smaller groups, share, pray and minister to one another.

Q1. Reflecting on Acts 1:8 and Deuteronomy 31:6, how have these verses impacted your faith journey?

Q2. Can you describe a time when you personally experienced the manifest presence of God in your life?

Q3. In what ways can you continue to minister through His power?

Q4. What is one area of your life where you are currently seeking a fresh experience of God's manifest presence?

WORKS (15 minutes)

Focus on *edification, equipping and evangelism*.

1. **Build on the momentum of all your outreach efforts** - continue praying for your pre-believing friends and family, connect with them, and invite them to your Cell and our Weekend Services.
2. **Consolidation of new believers** – Diligently pray for and reach out to your friends and family who have decided to receive Jesus as their Lord and Saviour, guiding and helping them grow in the faith.

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