



ChaseteamMalvern

All Saints – St Andrew's – St Mary's
Partnering with God in the flourishing of our communities



Life Group Material

Empowered for the Kingdom

w/b 24th May 2026

1. *When have you known the Holy Spirit empowering you for something? Share your stories within your group.*

Read Acts 2:1-21 – Exploring the text

2. *Why do you think it was significant that the disciples were 'all together in one place' when the Holy Spirit came?*
3. *What is the significance of the 'sound like a rushing wind' and 'tongues of fire' (What passages do they remind you of in the Old Testament?)*
4. *Many commentators talk about Pentecost being a 'reversal of the tower of Babel' (Genesis 11). In what ways might this be so? Why do you think the Spirit was give at that exact time?*
5. *How does Joel's prophecy (v17-21) explain how Post-Pentecost was different to Pre-Pentecost?*
6. *Thinking about the book of Acts as a whole. How did the Holy Spirit empower the believers? What did they do that they wouldn't have been able to do on their own?*

Application

7. *What does 'being empowered by the Holy Spirit' mean to you?*
8. *What do you think stops or limits us being empowered by the Holy Spirit?*

9. *How might we make ourselves more open to the Spirit's empowerment?*

Reflection

Invite everyone to reflect for a moment:

Where do you currently need to be empowered by the Holy Spirit the most?

What fear or limitation do you need to surrender?

How might God want to Empower you this week?

Share anything you want to with a small group of others and pray for each other.