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**Call To Worship
Pastoral Prayer**

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Songs Of Worship

May the Peoples Praise You

The Matchless Name
of Jesus

Scripture Reading

Psalms 40:1-5

Songs Of Worship

Come Thou Fount of
Every Blessing

Holy Spirit

Message

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The Lord's Supper

Song Of Response

My Jesus I Love Thee

"The product of sincere faith is faithful service, and the heart of faithful service is ministering our gift unreservedly for the Lord, the gift which He distributes to 'each one individually as He wills.'"

~John MacArthur

"In his Treatise Concerning Religious Affections, Jonathan Edwards suggested that true growth in Christian discipleship is not finally mere excitement, increasing use of religious language, or a growing knowledge of Scripture. It is not even an evident increase in joy or in love or concern for the church. Even increases in zeal and praise to God and confidence of one's own faith are not infallible evidences of true Christian growth. What, then, is the evidence of true Christian growth? According to Edwards, while all these things may be evidences of true Christian growth, the only certain observable sign of such growth is a life of increasing holiness, rooted in Christian self-denial. The church should be marked by a vital concern for this kind of increasing godliness in the lives of its members."

~Mark Dever

"The peace Paul is talking about here is not the peace of sins forgiven. This is the glorious, wonderful peace that comes to the heart of those who are fully yielded to the Lord Jesus Christ. It is the peace of heart and mind of those who are in the will of God." ~J. Vernon McGee

"Depend on it. God's work done in God's way will never lack God's supplies. All God's giants have been weak men who did great things for God because they reckoned on His being with them. God uses men who are weak and feeble enough to lean on Him." ~Hudson Taylor

**Rekindle Your Spiritual Gift & Don't Be Fearful
II Timothy 1:6-7**

Big Truth of this Series: The apostle Paul encourages and warns Timothy and all believers to follow, entrust, and be always ready to proclaim God's Word with confidence and joy as days of difficulty lie ahead.

Big Truth of Today's Message: Paul tells Timothy (and us) to keep the fire of God's gift in you aflame and without fear, because God's Spirit has enabled him (and us) with power, love, and self-control.

"For this reason I remind you to fan into flame the gift of God, which is in you through the laying on of my hands..."

"...for God has given us not a spirit of fear, but of power and love and self-control."