

Trinity Sunday Morning.

THE TRIUNE PROVISION OF FIRE

AND POWER FOR SERVICE.

2 Cor. 13/14, Acts 2/3.

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Intro.-

1. G. is Triune  
 2. - Today- cry among young people  
 older ones  
 is for a real experience of  
 fire & power to carry on work.  
 (3) - Touch briefly upon  
 Triune God (fact only)  
 The fire,  
 the power  
 the service.

*The Triune  
 God of  
 the  
 Father  
 & the  
 Son  
 & the  
 Holy  
 Spirit*

GOD IS A TRIUNE GOD.

1. Creation scene proves that, Col 1/16  
 2. - Baptism of Jesus Matt 3/16,17  
 3. Thus it is ~~clear~~ evid. distinct. in G's head  
 "Grace L.J.C. &c"  
 4. "Our G. is G & F L.J.C.  
 Heb.12/29 " Our G. is consuming fire."

*Gen 1/1*

FIRE IS A QUALITY IN GOD.

- A. - Scences from O.T.  
 1. - When sun went down and it was dark,  
 Gen.15// behold a smoking furnace and a burning  
 lamp passed between pieces of sacf.  
 2. - Ex. 3/22, The bush burned with fire.  
 3. - Ex 13/21,22, The L. went before in a  
 pillar of fire.  
 4. - Ex. 19/18, L. descended upon Mt.Sinai  
 in fire and smoke  
 5. - Ex. 24/17, The sight of the glory of  
 the L. was like devouring fire,  
 6. - Ex. 40/38, The fire of G. was upon  
 the tab.  
 7. - 1 Kings 18/23,24, The G. that answeret  
 by fire let him be God.  
 8. - 2 Chron 7/ 1-3, Fire of L. fell

B. - Scenes in N.T.

1. - Matt 3/11, I indeed bap. with water  
 unto repentance, but He that cometh after  
 me is mightier than I- whose shoes...  
 He bap. with H.G. & fire.  
 2. - Acts 2/3, There appeared unto them  
 tongues of fire, parted and sitting  
 upon each of them.  
 3. - Heb. 12/29, Our G. consuming fire.  
 4. / Rev., 4/5, Out throne proceeded  
 7 lamps fire burning before throne...  
 wh. 7 spts God.  
 5. - Rev. 15/2, sea glass mingled fire

Ill. -  
 Minister bap. fire... marked man  
 Cracked like steeple, lightening.  
 I'll do--- same cause.. fire fr.heav.

C. - No human hands can kindle fire.

1. - It flashes fr G. Himself,  
 a. - John 14/26, H.G. whom F. send  
 b. - " 15/26, Spt. of truth wh.  
 proceedeth fr. F.  
 2. - Acts 1/8 Ye shall receive  
 3. - Acts 2/3, Appeared unto them cloven  
 tongue like as of fire.

1st - COMING H.G. VERIFIED O.T. and the  
 MINISTRY OF XT.

- A. - H.G. verified O.T. Pentecost and at  
 same time superceded by Xty  
 B. - H.S. came to substantiate the  
 Lord's ministry.  
 1. - He verified miraculous birth, life  
 teaching,  
 works &c.  
 2. - H.S. verified ministry Jesus & proved  
 G. author Xty.

Coming H.G. silenced enemies Jesus.

- a.- 3000 sptly slain Peter's sermon  
in mother city--- in face Xt's most  
violent enemies.
- b.- H.G. sealed and equipped ministry Xtn ch.

B.- H.G. generates--- "GO power"

- (111) Engine ~~attached~~ attached cars,  
no fire  
Disciples engines to carry gosp
- 1.- Power attracts
- (111) Nothing like blaze attract attent.  
cf. Apl. 9/06  
Sept. 07, 7 millions

- (2)- Today we need fire G-
  - a.- Stand agst world
  - b.- Witness for G.

- (3) Fire one day test our service,  
I Cor. 3/11-15, wood, hay  
work NOT done glory G.

SUMMARY & APPEAL.

- 1.- How get fire & maintain
  - a.- Yielding, believing.. praise,
  - b.- Fire shall never cease to burn  
on altar. Lev.6/8
- (2)- How to maintain
  - a.- Surrendered will,  
Nothing like it to keep Div. fire .  
ablaze  
morning by morning- fesh into hands  
of G.
  - b.- Prevailing prayer,  
KNEE DEEP streams grace
  - c.- Close contact with Bible
  - d.- Body given for service  
Rom.12/1-3