

Set on Fire

Week 2: Hungry for More

Pr. Israel - May, 17th

Summary of the Message

Last week we discovered that lukewarmness is a dangerous spiritual place to be. This week, the message takes us one step further: **how do we stay on fire for God? The answer starts with our appetite.**

A healthy soul is a hungry soul. Jesus declared that those who hunger and thirst for righteousness are blessed because God promises to fully satisfy every soul that truly seeks Him.

Through the examples of David, Moses, and the Woman at the Well, we learned that spiritual hunger is not a problem to be fixed. It is the very key that unlocks everything. The goal is simple: **stop snacking on the world's empty substitutes and start feasting on the presence of God.**

Key Bible Verses

Matthew 5:6 (NIV)

"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled."

Psalm 63:1 (NIV)

"You, God, are my God, earnestly I seek you; I thirst for you, my whole being longs for you, in a dry and parched land where there is no water."

Psalm 42:1-2 (NIV)

"As the deer pants for streams of water, so my soul pants for you, my God. My soul thirsts for God, for the living God. When can I go and meet with God?"

Exodus 33:18 (NIV)

"Then Moses said, 'Now show me your glory.'"

John 6:35 (NIV)

"Then Jesus declared, 'I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never go hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.'"

Start Talking: Spark Conversation

1. If your spiritual life right now was a meal, what would it be, a full Sunday feast, a quick drive-through, or an empty plate? Why?
2. Think of a time you were so hungry or thirsty that it was all you could think about. What does it feel like when your body completely takes over like that?

Start Thinking: Deepen the Thought

3. The sermon said "dead people don't hunger for anything." What does it mean that spiritual hunger, even when it feels uncomfortable, is actually a sign that you are spiritually alive?
4. David had a throne. Moses had miracles. Yet both still cried out for more of God Himself. What does that tell us about the things we chase thinking they will finally satisfy us?

Start Sharing

5. Be honest: what "junk food" have you been reaching for lately to fill a hunger that only God can satisfy? (It could be social media, validation, busyness, entertainment, relationships...)
6. The Woman at the Well had been through five husbands searching for fullness, and she was still empty. Has there ever been a moment in your life where you realized that what you were chasing just wasn't working? What happened?

Start Doing: Commit to Act

7. This week, identify one specific "junk food" in your life — one thing you keep turning to instead of God. What is one practical step you will take to replace it with time in His presence?

Praying:**Lord Jesus,**

We confess we've been filling ourselves with things that don't satisfy us. Empty us of everything that's taken Your place. Make us hungry, truly hungry, for You and You alone. We believe Your promise: those who hunger will be filled. Fill us.

In Jesus' name, amen.**Announcements:**

- The Way Camp 2026 -September 18th - 20th.

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