

Hot Stuff

As I write this article, we have just experienced a very hot few days, just as the schools go back to start the new term. Many people wonder why the weather waits until the beginning of term before getting really hot and sunny again. There are people who cope well with heat and those who prefer the temperature to be cooler.

Some people are described as 'hot stuff', this may be due to their looks, what they do or how they behave or just may be due to the weather. Some people wish they could be like the person they think is 'hot stuff'.

As Christians, we are challenged to be on fire for God with the power of the Holy Spirit in us, some could say this makes us 'hot stuff'. This doesn't mean that we have flames coming out of us, or we breath out flames from our mouths, this means that we are passionate about God. When we are excited and hot for something, we want to tell everyone about it.

The early Christian church was empowered by the power of the Holy Spirit that God sent, and it is described as being like tongues of fire that touched the disciples' heads and filling them with this special gift from God. With this 'hot stuff' from God filling the disciples, they were able to go out into the community and continue the work that Jesus (Gods' one and only Son) had started. This work still continues today, with the power of the Holy Spirit touching people all over the world, including Stanground, making them 'hot stuff' for God.

Would you like to be 'hot stuff' for God, if so, you can read about the coming of the Holy Spirit in the Bible, Acts Chapter 2 verses 1 – 11. You are very welcome to join our service at 10:15 every Sunday – at Chapel Street, Stanground, Peterborough, PE2 8JG, and we will be pleased to answer your questions and help you decide if you would like to be 'hot stuff' for God.

For more information about our church go to our website www.stangroundbaptistchurch.org.uk

