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The Role of the Holy Spirit and of the Charismatic Renewal

THE CONTRIBUTION OF THE CHARISMATIC RENEWAL

- Note the Charismatic Renewal is wider than Catholic Charismatic Renewal
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- Focus on contribution to the renewal of the Church

MAKES CLEAR ROLE OF HOLY SPIRIT

- The charismatic renewal makes clear the role of the Holy Spirit in all authentic renewal of the Church.
- The key role of baptism in the Spirit as the central and characteristic gift of the Renewal

ROLE OF HOLY SPIRIT AS LIFE-GIVER

- The Holy Spirit gives the desire and the ability to praise the LORD
- Transforms worship first
- Restores joy to worship
- Makes possible genuine celebration

A LOVE FOR THE WORD OF GOD

- The Holy Spirit gives us a love for God's Word
- The Holy Spirit opens up the meaning of the Scriptures
- Through the Spirit we see Jesus in the Scriptures

THE HOLY SPIRIT EXALTS JESUS

- The Holy Spirit reveals the person and mission of Jesus
- The Holy Spirit reveals the cross of Jesus
- The Holy Spirit reveals Jesus as the beloved Son of the Father in whom we have our identity as sons and daughters
- The Holy Spirit reveals the Lordship and Authority of Jesus

RESTORATION OF CHARISMS

- Restoration of the exercise of the spiritual gifts of 1 Cor. 12: 8 10, especially:
 - * prophecy
 - * gifts of healing
 - * discernment of spirits
- Welcoming these gifts in the Church as given by the Lord
- Developing a theology of charisms

RESTORATION OF THE PROPHETIC

- Receiving the Lord's vision for Church renewal
- Receiving the prophetic application of Scripture
- Understanding the work of the Holy Spirit in the Church and the world in our day
- Training Christians in the prophetic
- Prophetic Intercession

- Role of Israel in the prophetic:
 - * the times of the nations
 - * the return to the land
- * the rise of a Jewish expression of church
- Role of the second coming in the prophetic
 - * the hope of Israel
 - * the hope of glory

RESTORATION OF HEALING in all dimensions and at all levels

- The concept of healing fleshes out salvation
 - * healing of body
 - * healing of emotions
 - * healing of mind and thoughts
 - * healing of society
 - * healing of divisions

Healing as becoming whole according to God's purpose

Tongues: Worshipping in the Spirit

Holy Spirit restoring a sense of awe to worship God's ways are higher than our ways (Is. 55: 8-9)

Worshipping from the depths of our being: bring forth what is beyond our powers of reason and expression.

Restoring the right sense of mystery: "How unsearchable are his judgments and how inscrutable his ways!" (Rom. 11: 33).

Awakens Church to reality of evil spirits

- Outpouring of Holy Spirit exposes the evil spirits as in the ministry of Jesus
- Makes necessary ministries of exorcism and deliverance
- Makes more important the discernment of spirits

RESTORES THE BLESSED HOPE

- awaiting the blessed hope, the appearing of our great God and Saviour Jesus Christ" (Titus 2: 13)
- May the God of hope fill you with joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope" (Rom. 15: 13)
- The Spirit and the Bride say Come. (Rev. 22: 17)

SHOWS FULL MEANING OF ACTIVE PARTICIPATION

- Active in faith, hope and love
- Moved by the Holy Spirit
- Taking part in mission of the Church
- Taking part in the worship of the Church
- Taking part in the diaconal work of the Church
- Taking part in evangelization