

Life Group Questions

THE HOLY SPIRIT

Part 1 – The Holy Spirit is Power

Connect

1. What's the most dramatic thing you've ever witnessed? Do you enjoy telling people about what you experienced? Why or why not?
2. What does it mean to be a witness? Why do you think Jesus chose that word to describe what His followers would be in the world?

Engage

3. Read Acts 1:1-8.
 - What was Jesus' purpose during the forty days after His resurrection? What does that have to do with us 2,000 years later?
 - According to Jesus in verse 8, what purpose does the power of the Holy Spirit serve? How does this power relate to the scope of Jesus' purpose?
 - Why was the Spirit important for the mission of the disciples? Why is He important for ours?
4. Read Acts 2:1-13.
 - What happened when the Holy Spirit came upon the believers? How do you interpret these signs?
 - How does being filled with the Holy Spirit relate to bearing witness to Jesus?
 - How does having the Holy Spirit's power make a difference in how you've been able to serve God?

Apply

5. Based on our study today, why would you say it's essential to be filled with the Holy Spirit?
6. What evidence could you point to that shows the Holy Spirit's power at work in your life or the life of our church?
7. How does the Spirit enable you to share the gospel and join in the church's mission? What is your next step in the mission?