

MESSAGE: Pentecost Sunday
TEXT: Acts 2:1-13; John 14-16.
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Introduction:

Who is the Holy Spirit?

1. The Holy Spirit is a _____ (John 16:13-14).
2. The Holy Spirit is _____ (Acts 5:1-4).

What does the Holy Spirit do?

1. The Holy Spirit brings _____ & _____ (Titus 3:3-7; John 3:1-10).
2. The Holy Spirit _____ you (John 14:16-17; Romans 8:9; Ephesians 4:30).
3. The Holy Spirit _____ you (John 14:16-17; 16:7).
4. The Holy Spirit _____ you (1 Peter 4:10-11; 1 Corinthians 12:7-11).
5. The Holy Spirit _____ in you (Galatians 5:16-25).
6. The Holy Spirit _____ you (Luke 24:46-49; Acts 1:8).

Conclusion



COMMUNITY GROUP QUESTIONS

1. What did you learn from Sunday's message about the Holy Spirit?
2. Why should we never refer to the Holy Spirit as 'it'? (John 16:13-14).
3. The Holy Spirit lives in (indwells) each believer according to Romans 8:9. Is his 'indwelling' permanent? How does your answer affect your view of eternal security? See Ephesians 1:13-14, 4:30; 2 Corinthians 1:21-22.
4. When we sin, how does our sin affect the Holy Spirit (Ephesians 4:30)? What's the solution?
5. What do the following passages teach us about the filling of the Spirit: Ephesians 5:18-21; Acts 1:8; 2:4, 16-18, 33; 4:8, 31; 6:3, 5, 10; 7:55; 9:17; 10:44-47; 13:9?
 - Do these passages teach we need multiple fillings of the Spirit or just a one-time filling?
 - What is the purpose of the Spirit's filling according to these texts?
6. Does your life manifest the 'fruit of the Spirit' (Galatians 5:22-26)? How does spiritual fruit get produced in our lives? What is a wrong way to go about growing in spiritual fruit?
7. What do the following passages teach us about the voice of the Spirit? John 14:26; 15:26; 16:13; Acts 8:29; 10:19; 11:12; 13:2; 15:28; 16:6; 20:23; 21:4. Do you believe the Holy Spirit still speaks today? How can you know if it is the Holy Spirit speaking to you?

NEXT WEEK:

Next week we return to Matthew 6:19-24 in the Sermon on Mount.

