## Holy Spirit DNA



Sermon Notes from June 22, 2025 Stiles Rev Amanda

- I. The Holy Spirit is expressed in a variety of ways 1 Cor 12:4-6
  - a. Gifts (manifestations of His power) 1 Cor 12:7-11
  - b. Service (ministries of His person & power) John 14:26
  - c. Fruit (characteristics of His personality): Gal 5:22-23
- II. The nature of fruitfulness according to scripture
  - a. Be fruitful and multiply: Gen 1:28
  - b. Multiplication according to kind: Gen 1:11-12
  - c. Born again (of Spirit) John 3:5-7
- III. Nine Attributes (fruit) of Holy Spirit: Gal 5:22-23
  - a. Love **agapē**, This is the selfless, sacrificial, unconditional love that seeks the best for others. It's the foundation of all other attributes and it's the kind of love we are to have for God, for others, and even for our enemies. <u>John 15:13</u>
  - b. Joy **chara**, Joy is a deep-seated gladness that is not dependent on external circumstances. It's rooted in our relationship with God and the assurance of our salvation. John 15:11
  - c. Peace eirēnē, This peace is more than the absence of conflict; it is a tranquility of mind and spirit that comes from trusting God's sovereignty and goodness. The result of our reconciliation to God is the peace we have with Him and others. John 16:33
  - d. Patience **makrothymia**, Often translated as long-suffering, this attribute involves enduring difficult circumstances and people with a spirit of perseverance and without complaint. <u>Isaiah 55:8</u>
  - e. Kindness **chrēstotēs**, Kindness is a disposition to be gentle, compassionate, and helpful toward others, reflecting God's own kindness toward humanity. The greatest kindness was shown in saving us, not because of anything we have done, but through Jesus Christ our Savior. <u>Titus 3:4-6</u>

- f. Goodness **agathōsynē**, This is moral integrity and the desire to do what is right. It involves actively seeking to do good to others. <u>Galatians 6:9</u>
- g. Faithfulness **pistis**, Faithfulness denotes reliability and trustworthiness. It is the quality of being true to one's word and commitments, reflecting God's faithfulness. 1 Thessalonians 5:24
- h. Gentleness **prautēs**, Gentleness is also known as meekness and its strength or power under control. It involves humility and consideration for others, avoiding harshness or aggression. <u>Philippians 4:5</u>
- i. Self-Control **enkrateia**, This is the ability to control one's desires and impulses, particularly in the face of temptation. <u>2 Timothy 1:7</u>
- IV. The fruit from personal relationship with Jesus Matthew 7:16-18 & Matthew 7:20-23