



GROUP STUDY GUIDE

**WEEK OF NOVEMBER 27, 2022 | WE ARE TRADERS POINT:
WE LIVE LIVES FUELED BY THE HOLY SPIRIT**

Throughout our series, We Are Traders Point, we're looking at who we are as a church, what we do, and why we do it. These group discussions will guide you through conversations about the church but also about God's heart for you. At the end of each discussion, you'll see a section called, "Put It in Action." This provides tangible ways you can live out our church values together as a group.

WARM-UP QUESTION

Share two things you're grateful for today.

DISCUSS

AT TRADERS POINT, WE LIVE LIVES FUELED BY THE HOLY SPIRIT.

- Read John 16:5-15.
- Talk about the different roles or actions you see in these verses as they relate to the Holy Spirit. What did Jesus say the Holy Spirit would come to do? Is there one that hits you differently than the others, whether it surprises you, comforts, or challenges you?
- What else do you notice in this passage, and how does it connect to you personally?

AT TRADERS POINT, WE LIVE LIVES FUELED BY PRAYER.

- Read 1 Thessalonians 5:16-19.
- What words or phrases stand out to you in these verses?
- Is there one of these actions or responses that's a challenge for you? Share more about why.

AT TRADERS POINT, WE SEEK TO BE FILLED AND REMAIN FULL.

- Read Ephesians 5:18-20. Then read Galatians 5:25.
- *Looking at these two passages, what do you sense would be a good next step for you personally to not only be filled with the Holy Spirit, but to remain full? Is there anything you need to incorporate or change to do so?*
- *Is there a specific area of your life where you're struggling to follow the Holy Spirit's leading? What do you think God is asking you to do in response?*

PUT IT IN ACTION

As we close out this message series, carve out some extra time at the end of your discussion to share what God is personally asking each of you to do next. Then spend some time in focused prayer as a group, using the following as an optional guide:

- Begin by quieting the noise and simply inviting the Holy Spirit into your prayer time. Ask Him to fill you as you listen to His voice.
- Thank God for the gift of the Holy Spirit and the ways that He guides, shapes, comforts, and convicts.
- Lift up each person in your group by name, praying for their individual next steps of response based on what you just discussed.
- Pray for your group as a whole, that you would collectively seek after God and be engaged in His mission. Ask Him to show you ways that you can invite the Holy Spirit more intentionally into your group time each week and that you would be ignited with a passion to live on mission when you leave this space.