

## Walking in the Spirit

### **The Holy Spirit: Who Dat?**

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**Big Idea:** Introducing the Holy Spirit —  
Where'd He come from? Who is He? Why should we care?

**Ephesians 5:18b** — “but be filled with the Spirit”

• A brief tour of the Biblical narrative...

• Genesis 1-2

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• Revelation 21-22

• **The Holy Spirit:** Where'd He come from?

• **The Holy Spirit:** Who is He?

• **Takeaways:** So what?

## **GRACE GROUP Discussion Questions**

*Ephesians 5:15-21 (week of Jan 5, 2020)*

**Spent some time catching up and talking story.**

**Spent some time in the text. Read Ephesians 4:17-5:21 together.**

*Looking back at Ephesians 4:1-5:21...*

- What are each of the descriptions of the believer's walk according to the text we have studied so far (hint: you should find 5)?
  - Read Ephesians 5:15-21. What is the “therefore” (your translation might translate as “then”) there for in Ephesians 5:15?
    - How is the believer to walk according to Eph 5:15?
- Look carefully at Ephesians 5:15-18.
  - What 3 things is the believer told not to do?
  - What 4 things is the believer told to do? What reasons are giving?
  - What is Paul's purpose here in comparing and contrasting?
  - What do you think is the key ingredient to “understanding what the will of the Lord is” and “being filled with the Spirit?”
- How is the Spirit-filled life described in Ephesians 5:18-21?
  - Compare this passage with Colossians 3:12-16.
    - What are we to be filled with according to Colossians 3:16?
    - Why does filling your mind with the Truth of God's Word ensure that you are filled with the Spirit, and vice versa?
  - According to Galatians 5:22-23, what is the fruit of the Spirit?
    - Where in Ephesians have you found very similar descriptions?
- Any thoughts or questions as we begin looking specifically at what it means to walk in the Spirit and be filled with the Spirit?

**Spent some time sharing and praying together.**

- Pray for each other. Pray for the unity of our church family.
- Pray that Christ's light would shine brightly in the midst of darkness. Pray that we would walk as children of light. Pray that we would walk in wisdom. Pray that we would be more dependent on the Spirit filling, equipping, enabling us in our daily lives.