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The background of the slide features a blurred photograph of two children. On the left, a child with dark hair is wearing a red and black plaid shirt. On the right, a child with long brown hair is wearing an orange and black plaid shirt. They are both looking down at a white rectangular object, possibly a piece of paper or a tablet, which is held between them. The overall scene is outdoors with green foliage visible in the background.

Discipleship

series part 6

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JESUS &
the cross

changed
LIFESTYLE

PRAYER

BIBLE

CHURCH
community

HOLY SPIRIT

Who is the Holy Spirit?

What is the role of the Holy Spirit
in my life?

What evidence?





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Greek: baptizo = to immerse, plunge, (dye fabric)

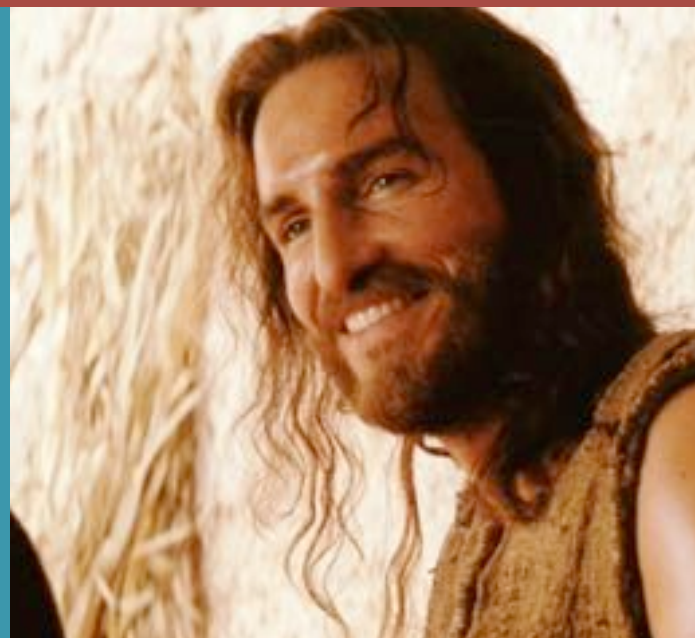
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Luke 24:49 I am going to send you what my Father has promised; but stay in the city until you have been clothed with power from on high.'

Acts 1:8

But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.'



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“ In the last days, God says,
I will pour out my Spirit on all people.
Your sons and daughters will prophesy,
your young men will see visions,
your old men will dream dreams.

18 Even on my servants, both men and women,

I will pour out my Spirit in those days,
and they will prophesy.



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Acts 19:1-7 EPHESUS

Paul arrived at Ephesus. There he found some disciples and asked them, 'Did you receive the Holy Spirit when you believed?'

They answered, 'No, we have not even heard that there is a Holy Spirit.'

When Paul placed his hands on them, the Holy Spirit came on them, and they spoke in tongues and prophesied.

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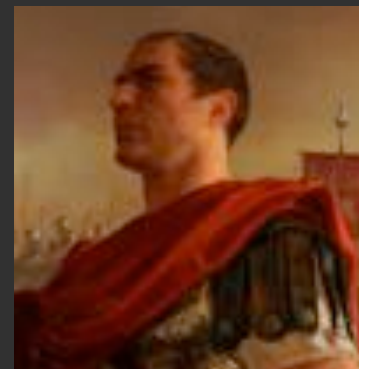


Acts 10 CORNELIUS

At Caesarea there was a man named Cornelius, a centurion in the Italian Regiment. ² He and all his family were devout and God-fearing; ...Peter went inside the house and found a large gathering of people.

...While Peter was still speaking these words, *(-about Jesus & the cross-)*

the Holy Spirit came on all who heard the message. The Jewish believers who had come with Peter were astonished that the gift of the Holy Spirit had been poured out even on Gentiles. For they heard them speaking in tongues and praising God.



Mark 1:9. At that time Jesus came from Nazareth in Galilee and was baptised by John in the Jordan. ¹⁰ Just as Jesus was coming up out of the water, he saw heaven being torn open and the Spirit descending on him like a dove. ¹¹ And a voice came from heaven: 'You are my Son, whom I love; with you I am well pleased.'

¹² At once the Spirit sent him out into the wilderness...



Peter at Cornelius's house **ACTS: 10** ³⁷ You know what has happened...after the baptism that John preached – ³⁸ how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and power, and how he went around doing good and healing all who were under the power of the devil, because God was with him.

EVIDENCE

gifts



fruit



1 Corinthians 12 Spiritual Gifts

- a message of wisdom
- a message of knowledge
- Gift of faith
- gifts of healing
- miraculous powers
- Prophecy
- distinguishing between spirits
- speaking in different kinds of tongues
- interpretation of tongues



Galatians 5: 22-23 Fruit

•••the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control.



What evidence?

absolutely nothing artificial





Power & intimacy

Summary "How To"

1. Explain who the Holy Spirit is: 3rd person Trinity
2. The role of the Holy Spirit: helper, power, witness, prayer
3. Gifts & Fruit
4. Read Acts. Look at people in the bible: baptism of the Holy Spirit
5. Explain your own experience
6. Pray for the Baptism of the Holy Spirit
7. Encourage speaking in tongues



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