

The Holy Spirit is the third person of the Trinity. She empowers the Church to be the body of Christ, the visible image of God's life, to the world. Everything we do as followers of Jesus flows from the Holy Spirit, and we can do nothing in God's Kingdom without her. What keeps us from living the full life God offers is our refusal (or ignorance) of the Spirit's power. By choosing to connect to the Spirit, we live powerful, victorious lives that present a clear image of God to the world.

Scripture for Further Reading

Genesis 1:1-2; 2:7; Ezekiel 36:26-27; Joel 2:29-29; John 14:12-17; 20:21; Acts 2:1-13; Romans 8:1-17

Questions for Discussion

- 1. How prominently does the Holy Spirit factor into your thinking about God?
- 2. Who is the Holy Spirit?
- 3. Read Romans 8:11. Does your life bear evidence of the same power that raised Jesus from the dead?
- 4. How can a person cultivate a strong connection to the Holy Spirit? What Spiritual Practices have you found useful?
- 5. What are you doing this week to cultivate a strong connection to the Holy Spirit?





