

Are you a Spirit filled Christian?

Is this a Spirit filled church?

The Holy Spirit

- 1. Two fundamental issues**
 - a. The doctrine of the Trinity**
 - b. The Holy Spirit and the Word of God**

- 2. A Biblical study of the Holy Spirit**
 - a. Old Testament – History and Prophets**
 - b. Gospels – Life and teachings of Christ**
 - c. The Church – formation and early days**

- 3. A Systematic study of the Holy Spirit**
 - a. His work in the unbeliever**
 - b. His work in the believer**
 - c. His work in the Church**

- 4. A review and response**

Athanasian Creed

The Father is God, the Son is God, and the Holy Ghost is God; and yet there are not three Gods but one God. The Father is Lord, the Son is Lord, the Holy Ghost is Lord, and yet there are not three Lords but one Lord. For as we are compelled by Christian truth to acknowledge each Person by Himself to be God and Lord, so we are forbidden by the same truth to say that there are three Gods or three Lords.

The Holy Spirit and the Trinity

- ▶ **One God**
- ▶ **Three Persons**
- ▶ **The work of the Holy Spirit**

The Holy Spirit and God's Word

- ▶ **Inspiration**
- ▶ **Illumination**
- ▶ **Animation**

The Holy Spirit in the Old Testament

- ▶ **Creator**
- ▶ **Empowers**
- ▶ **Inspires**
- ▶ **Regenerates**

The Holy Spirit in Prophecy

- ▶ **The desire of Moses**
- ▶ **The Messiah**
- ▶ **An outpouring**
 - **Joel**
 - **John the Baptist**
 - **Jesus – teachings**
 - **Jesus – command**
 - **Peter at Pentecost**
- ▶ **A national regathering**

The Holy Spirit in the New Testament

- ▶ **Unrestrained**
- ▶ **Unique**

The Need for the Holy Spirit

The human dilemma

- **Dead**
- **Blinded**
- **Unable**

A spiritual warfare

- **World**
- **Flesh**
- **Devil**

The work of the Holy Spirit

– in the unbeliever

- witness
- convict
- quicken

– in the believer

– in the Church

- offices
- gifts

The Work of the Holy Spirit in the Life of the Believer

- ❖ Indwells - John 14:16-18
1 John 3:24; 4:13
1 Corinthians 3:16-17; 6:19-20
- ❖ Seals - 2 Corinthians 1:22
Ephesians 1:13-14; 4:30
Romans 8:9
- ❖ Baptizes - 1 Corinthians 12:13
Romans 6:3
- ❖ Sanctifies - 2 Thessalonians 2:13
- ❖ Glorifies - John 15:26; 16:13-15
- ❖ Guides - Romans 8:14
- ❖ Illuminates Scripture - 1 John 2:20, 27
1 Corinthians 2:9-14
- ❖ Intercedes - Romans 8:26-27

Response

Do not blaspheme

Matthew 12:31-32

Grieve not – Quench not

Ephesians 4:30 – 1 Thessalonians 5:19

Walk by the Spirit

Galatians 5:16-25

Pray in the Spirit

Jude 20-21

Be filled by the Spirit

Ephesians 5:18