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The Empowered Presence of God's People

STUDENT GUIDE

SESSION FOUR: The Spirit's Possession

a Study on the Church by

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NC Session Hour The Spirit's Possession

The Holy Spirit has been called by some the forgotten person of the trinity. His presence can be underestimated and downplayed. Though he does not draw attention to himself, he is undoubtedly active in the church and essential to our existence.

Take a few days this week to sit down with your Bible and a pen so that you can read and study God's Word in a personal way so that you can live it out in the community of saints to which he has given you.

DAY 1

Read Numbers 11:16-17; 24-30. How is the Spirit active in this event? What is his role?

Read 1 Peter 1:10-12? What does this passage reveal about the Spirit?

What do Genesis 1:1-2 and John 3:5-8 have in common? How is the Spirit involved in creation in each passage?

Is there a connection between Exodus 25:22 and 1 Corinthians 6:19? What is the Spirit doing in each passage. In what ways does the tabernacle and the church serve the same function?

Matthew 3:16-17 records the baptism of Jesus. How is the action of the Spirit here similar to what he does at the anointing of David as King in 1 Samuel 16:13?



DAY 2

Read 2 Corinthians 1:21 and Ephesians 4:11-14. Compare the work of the Spirit in both passages.

In what way does the Spirit seal us?

What does the Spirit guarantee to believers?

Why do you think believers must wait for our inheritance? In what ways have we already begun to receive that blessing?

Who does the Spirit work in cooperation with according to these two verses concerning our salvation?

DAY 3

Given what we've read about the temple, how does Romans 8:9 inform the way we are supposed to live our lives? Why?

Acts 1:8 tells us we will receive what from the Spirit? How will what we receive be used in our lives?

2 Corinthians 12:7; 11 reveals what to be manifest in the church? To what end?

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