

The Fellowship of the Holy Spirit

2Co 13:14 ESV The **grace** of the Lord Jesus Christ and the **love** of God and the **fellowship** of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

- Define fellowship: partnership, participation: - (to) communicate, contribution, distribution, fellowship

Jesus spoke of the Holy Spirit's role in our lives

- Jesus called him "**Another Helper**" to be with you forever (Joh 14:17 ESV)
- Jesus said "**he will teach you all things** and bring to your remembrance all that I have said (Joh 14:26)
- Jesus said "**you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you**" (Act 1:8 ESV)

Being led by the Spirit of God is an ongoing and recurring process

- Gal 5:25 If we live by the Spirit, let us also **keep in step with the Spirit**.
- **(peter)** Act 2:4 ESV And they were all **filled with the Holy Spirit** and began to speak in other tongues
- Act 4:8 ESV Then Peter, **filled with the Holy Spirit**, said to them, "Rulers of the people and elders,
- Act 4:31 ESV And when they had prayed, the place in which they were gathered together was shaken, and they were all **filled with the Holy Spirit** and continued to speak the word of God with boldness.

Let's focus on the "Fellowship of the Holy Spirit" (Partnership, participation, communication)

- **TO SAVE EUNUCH** Act 8:29 ESV And **the Spirit said to Philip**, "Go over and join this chariot."
- **TO SAVE CORNELIUS** Act 10:19-20 ESV And while Peter was pondering the vision, **the Spirit said to him**, "Behold, three men are looking for you. 20 Rise and go down and accompany them without hesitation, for I have sent them." **PRAYER (v9)**
- **A PROPHET** Act 11:28 ESV And one of them named Agabus stood up and **foretold by the Spirit** that there would be a great famine over all the world (this took place in the days of Claudius).
- **WORSHIP & FASTING** Act 13:2 ESV While they were worshiping the Lord and fasting, **the Holy Spirit said**, "Set apart for me Barnabas and Saul for the work to which **I have called them**."
- **IN MIDST OF WORK** Act 16:6 ESV And they went through the region of Phrygia and Galatia, having been **forbidden by the Holy Spirit** to speak the word in Asia.
- **SPIRITUAL GIFTS** Act 21:11 ESV [Agabus] said, "**Thus says the Holy Spirit**, 'This is how the Jews at Jerusalem will bind the man who owns this belt and deliver him into the hands of the Gentiles.'"
- **THE BIBLE** Act 28:25 ESV ...Paul had made one statement: "**The Holy Spirit was right in saying** to your fathers through Isaiah the prophet:

There is a bit of a mystery in being led by the spirit...he saw the SIGNS as God With Jesus

- Joh 3:2 ESV This man came to Jesus by night and said to him, "Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher come from God, for **no one can do these signs that you do unless God is with him**."
- Joh 3:8 ESV The **wind blows where it wishes**, and you hear its sound, but you do not know where it comes from or where it goes. **So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit**."

SUMMARY -- Story of meeting Jessica - this past week 7 people were baptized...

There is an excitement and mystery that comes with being born again - and being led or directed by the Holy Spirit...Pray for those who want to stir up something that has grown cold...to be moved once more by the wind of the Spirit...to be filled with the Spirit in an ongoing way...to have the excitement and anticipation of being led by the spirit...DRIVEN BY THE WIND...to exercise the spiritual disciplines to set our hearts in a place to receive from Him