

Lesson Notes:

The Holy Spirit

Before Christ's departure he told the disciples that he would ask his father in Heaven to send someone in his place to strengthen them and give them direction. When we recognize the Lord Jesus Christ as our Savior the Holy Spirit dwells within our hearts. Following is additional information about the Holy Spirit.

Scriptural Principles

- 1) On the night prior to Christ's betrayal he promised the disciples that his father and himself would send them a helper so that he would not leave them as Orphans. That helper is the "Holy Spirit". – John 14:16-18; John 14:26**
- 2) Jesus tells us in John 16:7-14; 1 Corinthians 2:10-11 that the Holy Spirit is omnipotent, omniscience, and omnipresent.**
- 3) Paul tells us in Ephesians 1:13 & 1 Corinthians 2:12 that when we come to Love Christ the "Holy Spirit" dwells within us.**
- 4) Paul tells us in Romans 8:26 that the Holy Spirit actually prays for us and intercedes to God for us on our behalf.**
- 5) Paul tells us in 1 Corinthians 2:13 that the Holy Spirit actually gives us the words and wisdom to communicate God's holy word to the world. - The Book of John is a beautiful example of this in John 1:1-10. Another example of the Holy Spirit giving us wisdom to do his good work is in Hebrews 10:15-16.**
- 6) Paul also tells us in 1 Corinthians 2:14 - 16 that without the Holy Spirit we cannot understand the Spiritual Truths and the Holy Scripture.**
- 7) John 16:8 tells us that the Holy Spirit gives us knowledge of our sin and that we need Christ as atonement for our sin.**
- 8) Finally Hebrews 9:27-28 tells us that Jesus was appointed once to die for our sins and when he returns again it will be to bring us to salvation and everlasting life.**