

REFLECTION // DISCUSSION RESOURCE "The Holy Spirit: Truth Telling Teacher" 25 April 2021

Our goal throughout May is to become more spiritual. To live spiritually is to integrate God's spiritual realities into our everyday lives. The only way to become more spiritual is through a growing and dynamic relationship with the Holy Spirit.

What comes to mind when you hear the words "spiritual" or "spirituality"?

Describe your own personal relationship, understanding or experience with the Holy Spirit?

We're going to look at who the Holy Spirit is and what the Holy Spirit does throughout this series. The first role we'll study is the Holy Spirit as our <u>truth telling teacher</u>.

Read and discuss John 14:15-17

Jesus promises that we're never alone because the Holy Spirit is with us and in us. How do you recognise and receive the presence of the Holy Spirit in your everyday life?

Read and discuss John 14:25-26

Share situations or moments where the Holy Spirit has brought revelation or remembrance into your life.

Read and discuss John 15:26

If Jesus' is the Word made flesh (John 1:14) - how do His life and teachings help us to discern and recognise the Holy Spirit?

Read and discuss John 16:7-8

How has the Holy Spirit spoken to you through your conscience in the form of a conviction or warning?

Read and discuss John 16:13

How have you learnt to draw courage and confidence from the Holy Spirit regarding your future or uncertain moments?

APPLICATIONS

Continue to carve out time and space to study and seek the things of God in worship, Bible reading and prayer.

Ask the Holy Spirit to help you recognise Him as the truth telling teacher in your everyday life.

PRAYER POINTS

Pray by name for those 2-3 people your networks and neighbourhoods who don't yet know Jesus. Pray that the Holy Spirit will bring revelation and conviction into their hearts about their need for Jesus.

Pray that we'll see an increase of new and not-yet-believers coming to our Sunday Gatherings and responding to the Gospel.