



REFLECTION // DISCUSSION RESOURCE
“Experience the Holy Spirit”
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Experiencing the Holy Spirit in our lives isn't a weird moment, a cookie-cutter-experience, or some sort of force we can summon. It's the cultivation of a relationship with the Holy Spirit.

How would you describe your own personal relationship with the Holy Spirit?

In what ways can our attitudes or beliefs about the Holy Spirit create an “impersonal” understanding of Him? How could we understand and relate to the Holy Spirit personally (or as a person)?

Read John 14:15-18

How have you experienced the Holy Spirit being **with** you?

How have you experienced the Holy Spirit being **in** you?

Read Luke 24:49

For what reasons do you believe the Holy Spirit fills us with God's power?

Read Luke 3:16

The word “baptise” simply means to immerse. Jesus desires our lives to be immersed with His Holy Spirit.

What do you believe a life that's immersed in / with the Holy Spirit is like? What are the distinctive features or qualities of a life completely immersed in / with the Holy Spirit?

How do you (or could you) cultivate a greater relationship with and immersion in the Holy Spirit?

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APPLICATIONS

Pray for one another to experience more of the Holy Spirit through a deeper hunger for and relationship with Him.

What aspect of life, mission or ministry do you need the Holy Spirit's empowerment for?

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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 for our friends in Orange Baptist Church.

Pray for our staff, and in particular at this time our search for a full-time Associate Pastor.