

In Christ: Filled With The Holy Spirit (Part 3)  
Ephesians 5:15-21; Ga 5:22-23

The Spirit of God... works

...as He wishes

...to make God known = Jo 3:3-8

The Spirit works for God, not just for us – Jo 16:14

The Work of the Holy Spirit Often Begins with Questions – Jo 3-6

- So He can reveal Christ as the answer – Jo 16:13-14; Jo 14:6
- The human dilemma is one of separation – Eph 4:18
  - ...being joined to God is the solution – 1 Cor 6:19; Jo 1:16

The Work of the Holy Spirit Is to Invite Our Response – Matt 27:22

- Man is a choosing creature – Deut 30:19
- Faith: a response to God's ability  
the receptivity of God's activity – Ro 10:17; 1:17

The Work of the Holy Spirit Has God's Effect Upon Our Lives – Jo 3:8

- We begin to speak the language of praise – Eph 5:18
  - ...with our words and our lives – Acts 2:11
  - ...we give thanks – Eph 5:20; Ps 100:4
  - ...we rejoice in the Lord – Phil 4:4
- Our relationships are characterized by submissiveness – Eph 5:21
  - ...we are non-demanding – Phil 2:3-4
  - ...we are humble – Phil 2:7-8
- The character of God is reproduced in us – Ga 5:22-25
  - ...“fruit”: the life of Christ
  - ...divine doings in human beings – Ga 2:20