

Study Guide

May 17, 2020

Sunday, May 17th

(I took time to pray today)

Read: John 14:15-21 This Scripture is the promise of Jesus that He will ask the Father to give us another advocate to help us, the Spirit of Truth. He also points out that this Spirit lives with us and is in us.

Questions: Have you seen the Spirit of Truth in your life? Do you recognize this Spirit? Do you see this as a promise that Jesus made to His Disciples and is also made to us?

Monday, May 18th

(I took time to pray today)

Read: 1 Samuel 10:6 “The Spirit of the Lord will come powerfully upon you, and you will prophesy with them; and you will be changed into a different person.”

Questions: Do you see this as evidence that the Spirit of the Lord was given to Saul and so the promise is for us as well? Do you understand that Jesus’ death made a way for the Spirit to be with us always and not just for an event in time?

Tuesday, May 19th

(I took time to pray today)

Read: Acts 17:22-31 This is the Scripture where Paul talks about the unknown God and how His God gives life and breath and everything else, and is not made of gold, silver or stone.

Questions: How do you see God? Do you believe in other things in order to cover your bases? What do you think of the verse that says “...and does not live in temples built by human hands, as if he needed anything?”

Wednesday, May 20th

(I took time to pray today)

Read: Psalm 66:8-20 The Psalmist expresses all that God has done.

Questions: Do you see the verse that God would not have listened and answered his prayer if he had cherished sin in his heart? How about the verse “or withheld his love from me”? Does it change your mind regarding sin?

Thursday, May 21st

(I took time to pray today)

Read: 1 Peter 3: 13-22 We are reminded that we should always have an answer to everyone who asks us to give the reason for the hope that we have. We should do this with gentleness and respect.

Questions: Do you have an answer if someone asked you why you have hope? Do you force it down another’s throat or are you gentle and respectful?

Friday, May 22nd

(I took time to pray today)

Read: Haggai 2:5 “This is what I covenanted with you when you came out of Egypt. And my Spirit remains among you. Do not fear.”

Questions: Do you see how even in the Old Testament the Spirit of God remained among them? Did you know that we have Jesus’ promise that He will send the Holy Spirit to us? What does that mean for you?

Saturday, May 23rd

(I took time to pray today)

Read: Romans 8:2-9 Paul points out the difference in us when we live in the flesh and when we live in the Spirit.

Questions: Does what Paul said have any impact on you and how you live? Are you willing to try and live in the Spirit rather than in the flesh? How will you accomplish this?

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*Through God’s love for us we can’t help but want to serve others and show that love to them. Let us help you explore the best way for you to show love and serve in your Christian path. See Pastor Bob or Deacon Maryanne who are willing to help you in your faith walk.*

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Pray,  
and  
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PROMISE

Notes: today I pray

## Prayers For The Week

**Sunday:** Jesus, thank you for Your promise to give me the Spirit of Truth. Allow me to experience Your Spirit in new ways so that I can see how much this enriches my life. Amen.

**Monday:** Father, You gave Your Spirit to those who needed Him in the Old Testament. Thank You that I can freely receive the Spirit because of the promise of Jesus. Show me how to experience Your Spirit. Amen.

**Tuesday:** Lord, thank you that we can know You personally and don't have to rely on looking at an idol or relying on other gods. Deepen my desire to relate to You more often. Amen.

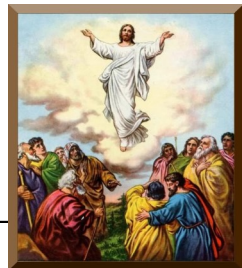
**Wednesday:** God, I know that I don't take my sin to You as often as I should. Bring to mind when I offend You and help me to be more open when I sin against You. Amen.

**Thursday:** Jesus, I do place my hope in You. Show me how I can talk to others about this and to be kind and gentle when I do. Amen.

**Friday:** Jesus, thank you for the promise of Your Holy Spirit in us. Show me how I can rely on Your Spirit to reach others. Amen.

**Saturday:** Jesus, sometimes I live as if I don't know who You are and that Your Spirit lives in me. I am so sorry that I take for granted all that You have promised me. Amen.

## The Ascension Of the Lord



Bring a friend to Sunday School and  
worship on Sunday!  
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