

Week 5 – The Holy Spirit – Recap

What do we know?

- In the Bible we can see God as 3 distinct parts - together we call them the Trinity (each has different jobs to do, but they're all still the same Person—God)

God the Father - the Creator and Ruler of the world.

God the Son – Jesus who was God as man.

God the Holy Spirit - the part of God that lives on in each of us when we accept Jesus Christ into hearts as our Saviour. He is in our character, our personality, our heart – he helps you to be your best.

- In the Bible the Holy Spirit is described as fire, wind, dove, river, fountain
- The Holy Spirit appears in nearly every book of the Bible.
The Holy Spirit first appears in the second verse of the Bible, in the account of creation (Genesis 1).
- We can have a power within us that will guide us in our life. That power comes from the Holy Spirit. When we decide to follow Jesus as our Lord and Saviour, the Holy Spirit comes into our life. We can't see him, but we can hear him as he speaks to our hearts, we can see his moving in our life, and we can feel the power of his presence as he guides us through each day. The Holy Spirit guides us in our daily life and leads us to the place God wants us to be.
- The Holy Spirit works in our hearts to help us be more like Jesus.
- The Holy Spirit is not a piece of equipment but a person – God being up close and personal – speaking, empowering, being a friend, guiding and helping.
- Sometimes the Bible is difficult for us to understand and it is hard to know the way we should go. God knew that, so He sent the Holy Spirit to be our guide. The Holy Spirit helps us to understand the Scripture and guides us in the right direction.
- The Holy Spirit - is our guide, teacher, comforter, changer, he helps us pray
- The Holy Spirit lives in each one of us, if we have Jesus as our Saviour. Our lives are His home.
- The Holy Spirit builds God's team, the church. It operates best with different players in the right positions, called spiritual gifts, special abilities believers use in serving Christ.

In a few weeks' time we will look at the gifts of the Holy Spirit.

Prayer – have a chat with God

Thank you God for	I will pray for....
Sorry God for.....	Someone who lives near me:
God please bless.....	Someone who lives far away:
God please make Better	Myself
God please help me with	Someone bigger than me:
	Someone smaller than me: