

8. What is the relationship between the work of the Spirit and the responsibility of man in John 16:8-9?

9. What does it mean in John 16:13 that the Spirit *will tell you about the future*?

10. How has the Spirit been working in your life recently?

Daily Reading

Day 1: 1 John 2:18-29

Day 4: Psalm 139:7-12

Day 2: 1 John 4:1-6, 13-16

Day 5: 1 Corinthians 2:11-16

Day 3: John 14:15-21

Memory Verse: 1 John 4:13 (NLT)

And God has given us His Spirit as proof that we live in Him and He in us.

Prepare for Next Week

We are super excited about the 9-week series, ***What God Wants for Me*** that begins next Sunday, September 18. This is a significant time in the life of our church family, as we unite around God's purpose and plan – the what, why, and how of Brookwood. We feel these topics are at the heart of the Christian life and are relevant to every aspect of life.

The first message is **Pursuing a Relationship with Jesus**. This is God's ultimate purpose for your life, and is to be a central part of our everyday living.

To prepare our hearts and minds, let's all read John 6:25-40 and begin reflecting on what it means that Jesus is the *source of life*.

“Just so you know...”

Part 5
What the Spirit Does
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► Outline

I have written this to you who believe in the name of the Son of God, so that you may know you have eternal life.
1 John 5:13 (NLT)

Examine yourselves to see if your faith is genuine. Test yourselves. ...
2 Corinthians 13:5 (NLT)

The Holy Spirit evidences eternal life by ...

(1 John 2:18-28; 4:1-6, 13-16;

C/R: John 3:5-8; 14:16-17; 16:7-13)

1. Confirming my _____.

(1 John 2:18-20; 4:13-16.

C/R: Rom. 8:15; Gal. 4:6; Eph. 1:13-14; Titus 3:5)



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2. Convincing of _____.

(1 John 2:20-23; 4:1-6.

C/R: John 14:17; 16:13; 1 Cor. 2:10-14)

3. Connecting to _____.

(1 John 2:24-28. C/R: Gal. 5:25; 1 Cor. 2:12)

Soul Training

How do I know the Holy Spirit lives within me?

Answers: 1. faith 2. truth 3. God

Resource Information: Outline and onscreen verses are from NLT version of *The Holy Bible*. C/R refers to a scripture verse cited as a 'cross reference.' Today's outline and discussion guide are available to mobile device users through the Brookwood Church app available through iTunes and Google Play.

► **Discussion Guide**

Use this guide by yourself, with a friend, or in a group as you pursue a deeper relationship with Jesus this week.

Opening

What is something that brought you great joy this week?

Personal Reflection/Group Discussion

1. Read 1 John 2:18-29. How would you summarize this passage?
2. Make a list of what the Bible teaches concerning the antichrist from 1 John 2:18-29 and 1 John 4:1-6. Based on what you wrote down, what are ways this *spirit of antichrist* might show up in our day?
3. From 1 John 2:18-29, what specific things does God want for you?
4. Make a list of things that are true of the Spirit (who He is and what He does) as described in 1 John 2:18-29. Then add to your list by searching through John 16:5-15.
5. Which of these is most meaningful to you? Why?
6. How could you be more aware of the Spirit working in your life?
7. John seems to sum up the chief sin of the world in John 16:9. What is it?