

Yield to the Spirit

The Holy Spirit _____ a new community:

_____ all who believe (ACTS 4:4; 10:44-47; 19:4-6)

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- Baptizing and *unifying* (1 CORINTHIANS 12:12; ACTS 2:44, 46; 4:24)
- Filling and *emboldening* (ACTS 2:4; 4:8, 31)
- Preserving and *sanctifying* (ACTS 5:3-4)

Question: *How can He do these things?*

The Holy Spirit _____ Himself in the new community

- Evidences: Signs and wonders as the gospel advanced (ACTS 2:43; 4:30; 5:12; 6:8)
- Cautions: God must do this or God can't do this (MARK 8:11-12)

Question: *Is He still doing these things?*

Our shared _____ for the Holy Spirit's movement in our church (ACTS 4:31)

- Unifed in _____
- Sharing life _____
- Witnessing _____

Question: *Do we want Him to do these things?*

How to Become a Christian

Many people believe they are Christians because they were born in a Christian culture, go to church regularly, try to do their best, or live a good life. However, the Bible teaches that these things cannot make you a Christian. You become a Christian by simply taking these two steps:

- Acknowledge that you (along with all people) have sinned and fallen short of God's standards. ROMANS 3:23
- Personally believe that Jesus Christ, who was God in human flesh, died for your sins on the cross and rose again. 1 CORINTHIANS 15:3, 4

You may express your belief through prayer, asking Jesus to come into your life, and receiving Him as God's gift to you.

JOHN 1:12, ROMANS 6:23, REVELATION 3:20

EPHESIANS 2:8, 9 *For it is by grace you have been saved through faith...it is the gift of God; not by works, so that no one can boast.*