

THE HOLY SPIRIT

In-person Rector's Forum

Sunday, June 28 4:00 p.m.

Maximum 10 people.



“When the day of Pentecost had come, the disciples were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.” -Acts of the Apostles 2:1-4

Whether we know the Holy Spirit as “ruach” (Hebrew), “pneuma” (Greek), or “spiritus” (Latin) we are talking about what we really connect with on Pentecost. The Spirit is present throughout the Bible from the first book, Genesis, to the last, Revelation. Let’s read a bunch of verses that speak of the Holy Spirit and have a conversation in a in-person Rector’s Forum.

These are but six of hundreds of phrases in the Bible that talk of the Holy Spirit.

Here are some passages/verses that make reference to the Holy Spirit;

Genesis 1:1-2 “In the beginning when God created the heavens and the earth, the earth was a formless void and darkness covered the face of the deep, while a wind from God swept over the face of the waters.”

Genesis 2:7 “then the Lord God formed man from the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living being.”

Deuteronomy 34:9 “Joshua son of Nun was full of the spirit of wisdom, because Moses had laid his hands on him; and the Israelites obeyed him, doing as the Lord had commanded Moses.”

Matthew 28:18-20 “And Jesus came and said to them, ‘All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.’”

Romans 5:5 “and hope does not disappoint us, because God’s love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.”

Revelation 19:10 “Then I fell down at his feet to worship him, but he said to me, ‘You must not do that! I am a fellow servant with you and your comrades who hold the testimony of Jesus. Worship God! For the testimony of Jesus is the spirit of prophecy.’”