

Holy Spirit: Then & Now - Kristin Sauerbrei

Icebreaker:

- 1. What is your favorite flavor of coffee or tea?
- 2. Are you a city or country person?

Summary:

Who is the Holy Spirit? How do we pray, notice & tell stories of the Holy Spirit? We all have different experiences with the Holy Spirit. Together, let's explore how the Holy Spirit has been breaking through since creation and notice how the Holy Spirit is still breaking through today. May together, we **be** a church that notices the Holy Spirit breakthrough & tell God's life changing love & story.

Engage the Bible:

Acts 1 & 2

Small Group Questions:

Growing up, what did you know & believe about the Holy Spirit?

Today, when you think of the Holy Spirit, what comes to mind? A ghost? A force? A person? A ball of fire?

When you pray, do you typically address the prayer to God, Jesus, Lord, Father, etc? Why?

In the first two chapters of Acts, Peter notices the Holy Spirit and reminds the people gathered of the Holy Spirit throughout scripture. What scripture do you know that mentions the Holy Spirit?

When is a time you have experienced the Holy Spirit speaking to you or through you? (example: a time you said "That was a coincidence. Or I just had a gut feeling.")

When is a time you have experienced the Holy Spirit's comfort or wisdom?

Challenge:

- Pray directly to the Holy Spirit
- How may the Holy Spirit be speaking through you to someone else? Who is someone in your life who could use God's comfort or wisdom?