

He's a Good, Good Father
Luke 11:5-13 July 5th, 2020

Jesus encouraged people to be persistent in prayer, not to _____ but to be _____ in praying and to receive their needs.

Our persistence doesn't change God; it changes _____, developing in us a _____ and _____ for what God wants.

The Holy Spirit is the _____ of every good gift we can ask God for.

God wishes to give us _____.
The Holy Spirit is the greatest gift for believers, providing _____, _____, and the seal of _____.

When anyone receives Christ as Lord and Savior, he or she _____ the Holy Spirit. Then after we are saved and have the Holy Spirit in us, we can ask for _____ of Him.

The primary purpose of the baptism in the Holy Spirit is to bring the personal _____ and _____ of God's Spirit into a Christian's life so that he or she can accomplish _____ with his authority.

Notes: _____

Growth Group Discussion Questions

(Complete at home on separate sheet of paper if needed)

- 1.) What do you think is the biggest reason people don't pray more?
- 2.) What do you think is the greatest cause of unanswered prayer? (see James 4:1-10)
- 3.) Read Sunday's text. (Luke 11:5-13) What are some lessons that stand out to you from Sunday's message that you don't want to forget?
- 4.) Look up the following scriptures and discuss how they relate to Sunday's text. (Matthew 7:7-11; Joel 2:28-29; Luke 24:49; Acts 1:4-5, 8; 19:6; 1Corinthians 12:4-11)
- 5.) Do you have any questions or comments about Sunday's text? Discuss.
- 6.) Take some time to take prayer requests and pray for one another.