

MAY 17: LIFE IN THE SPIRIT

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- What are some things that might always be good?
- How can we receive these things from God?
- Which fruits do you think you need to pray for most? Which fruits do you feel you have the most of right now?
- What happens when we seek these fruits, like love, joy, or peace, from sources other than God?
- Is there any love as perfect as God's?
- How can we live a life filled with the Holy Spirit?
- Where might the Holy Spirit take us that we wouldn't necessarily take ourselves?
- How can we share these fruits with others?

KEY POINTS:

- While we receive gifts from the holy spirit, we also receive fruits.
- The fruist of the spirit are: charity, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, generosity, gentleness, faithfulness, modesty, self-control, chastity.
- These fruits are the good things God wants for us, that we should be pursuing! Distortions and lacks of these fruits are what lead to sin.
- Living in the spirit means seeking God in all that you do--staying close to the sacraments, growing in prayer, being vulerable with Him, and letting Him bring you joy.

SCRIPTURE:

- Galatians 5:22-23
- 1 Corinthians 3:16
- Matthew 28:16-20

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

Journal about what you want. Be as honest and real as you can be. Tell God exactly want you want, and ask him to give you those fruits. Spend the week looking for Him and how He is giving you those gifts. Find joy in His love and the life, the calling, He has given you, and don't stop praying until that joy is eternal!

Zoom Bible Study

Thursday 8PM

"The flory of God is man fully alive."

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