

July 30, 2025 - The Person of God, the Holy Spirit; The Work of the Holy Spirit (Pneumatology: The Doctrine of The Holy Spirit)

Introduction:

In his book titled *“The Holy Spirit,”* author Charles Ryrie says this about the Holy Spirit: “He is the antidote for every error, the power for every weakness, the victory for every defeat, the supply for every need, and the answer for every question. And He is available to every believer, for He lives in each believer's heart and life.” The Holy Spirit is the third Person of the Trinity who empowers believers, enabling personal encounters with God and facilitating redemption and sanctification. As we learn more about Him, and with increased knowledge will come added faith, power, and control in our lives.

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Lesson Outline:

Introduction to Pneumatology:

The Personhood of the Holy Spirit

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The Deity of the Holy Spirit

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Relationship to the Father and The Son

Small Group Discussion:

1. What does Pneumatology refer to?
2. What are three things that show that the Holy Spirit is divine?
3. Name three emotional attributes of the Holy Spirit
4. Name three intellectual attributes of the Holy Spirit
5. Explain how the Holy Spirit is equal to the Father and Son in both nature and power, yet distinct.