

## Knowing What You Believe • Small Group Questions for Session 5

### The Person and Work of the Holy Spirit

- How do we know from Scripture that the Holy Spirit is a Person?
- What are the implications of the Holy Spirit being a Person in the lives of believers?
- How do Peter's comments in Acts 5:3–4 help us to understand that the Holy Spirit is God?
- In John 3:6–8 what do we see as the Holy Spirit's role in the salvation of believers?
- What grammatical preposition is most used in Scripture to denote the relationship of the Holy Spirit to the believer?
- When do we first see Jesus imparting the Holy Spirit to believers to be born again?
- What do we mean when we say that the Holy Spirit also empowers believers?
- In Acts 1:4–8, what did Jesus say that the Holy Spirit would do to the assembled believers?
- What did Jesus say was the purpose of this empowering work of the Spirit?
- Jesus said that the Holy Spirit would guide believers "into all the truth." (John 16) What should believers expect from this promise in practical terms?
- In John 16:12–15, Jesus also speaks of a work of the Holy Spirit in which He reveals something. What does the Spirit reveal?
- In John 14:16, Jesus refers to the Holy Spirit as a Helper or Advocate — one who comes alongside. How should this role of the Spirit benefit believers on a day-to-day basis?
- What can you do to be more consciously aware of the Spirit's presence in your daily life?