

As you discuss what has been observed, allow time (a minute or two) for people to simply examine, breathe, & meditate. Ask, "God, what do you want me to do this week because of what I've seen today?" Don't rush this part. (1-2 minutes)

This is the transformational part, where my life begins to look differently. I become intentional. Because of my new or reinforced beliefs about God and People, how do I behave differently this week?

8 Share?

How will I live this out loud this week? Who needs to hear this?

Here, the DBS provokes intentional "living out loud" of what I've learned--for others to see or know. It puts me on mission for the week

9 Challenge?

In this upcoming week, what is going to be a challenge? Who can I share this with? What needs can we meet?

Typically, what happens is that group members do, in fact, pray here—but don't force or make this the expectation. Be spurred on to "love and good deeds" and go walk in them. Don't just leave "it" there, go do life with each other outside of the church. Live out Biblical community—to do some real life TOGETHER beyond the DBS.

Other Studies available from the Faith Builder series on Holy Spirit Dependence are:

The Spirit in Jesus Life & Ministry
The Role of the Holy Spirit in our journey of faith
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Pentecost, a period of 50 days from the triumph of the resurrected Christ to the coming of the promised Holy Spirit that initiated the birth of the church. Following readings based on the revised lectionary you will experience the encounters people had with the post resurrection Jesus, receive the final instructions for His followers and witness the development of a disciple making movement that birthed the church.

Included with the readings is a guide to the Discovery Bible Study method. Pioneered by Campus Crusade for Christ. It is designed for groups or can easily be adapted for personal reflection with the intention of growing and multiplying disciples through reflection on the Scripture. Using this method it is suggested that no other material is introduced to allow the Holy Spirit to teach from the passage itself. Groups can choose to focus on the Sunday passage, choose the one for the day they meet or any others that are appropriate to your group.

April 12 Easter Day The Empty Tomb

Apr 13 Mon "He is not here; he has risen"

Apr 14 Tue "We are witnesses of everything he did"

Apr 15 Wed "He has become my salvation"

Apr 16 Thu "Set your hearts on things above"

Apr 17 Fri "Salvation for God's people"

Apr 18 Sat "we trusted in him, and he saved us"

Apr 19 Sun Easter 2 "Peace be with You"

Apr 20 Mon Death could not hold Him down

Apr 21 Tue "You will not abandon me to death"

Apr 22 Wed New birth through Jesus' resurrection

John 20:1-18

Matthew 28:1-10

Acts 10:34-43

Ps 118:1-2, 14-24

Colossians 3:1-4

Psalms 114

Isaiah 25:6-9

John 20:19-31

Acts 2:14a, 22-32

Psalms 16

1 Peter 1:3-9

Apr 23 Thu "Rebirth and renewal"
 Apr 24 Fri "Co-heirs with Christ"
 Apr 25 Sat Finished work of Salvation
Apr 26 Sun Easter 3 "What Things"
 Apr 27 Mon "Repent and be baptized"
 Apr 28 Tue "I am your servant, Lord"
 Apr 29 Wed "Your faith and hope are in God"
 Apr 30 Thu The Holy Spirit Convicts us
 May 1 Fri The Holy Spirit Guides us
 May 2 Sat The Holy Spirit teaches us
May 3 Sun Easter 4 "I have come to give you life"
 May 4 Mon "Everyone was filled with awe"
 May 5 Tue "I lack nothing"
 May 6 Wed "by his wounds you are healed."
 May 7 Thu The Holy Spirit guarantees us
 May 8 Fri The Holy Spirit lives in us
 May 9 Sat The Holy Spirit gifts us
May 10 Sun Easter 5 "Do not be troubled"
 May 11 Mon "Full of the Holy Spirit"
 May 12 Tue "Save me in your unfailing love"
 May 13 Wed "You are a chosen people"
 May 14 Thu The Holy Spirit leads us
 May 15 Fri The Holy Spirit produces fruit
 May 16 Sat The Holy Spirit matures us
May 17 Sun Easter 6 "Another Advocate"
 May 18 Mon "We are His offspring"
 May 19 Tue "God has surely listened"
 May 20 Wed "Always be prepared to answer"
May 21 Thu Ascension Day "You are Witnesses"
 May 22 Fri "Wait for the gift"
 May 23 Sat "The Lord reigns"
May 24 Sun Easter 7 "I pray for them"
 May 25 Mon "You will be my witnesses"
 May 26 Tue "A father to the fatherless"
 May 27 Wed "Stand firm in the faith"
 May 28 Thu Born of the Spirit
 May 29 Fri "Do not quench the Spirit"
 May 30 Sat "Do not grieve the Holy Spirit"

May 31 Day of Pentecost "Tongues of Fire"

Titus 3:3-8
 Romans 8:1-17
 John 19:28-30
Luke 24:13-35
Acts 14a, 36-41
 Ps 116:1-4, 12-19
 1 Peter 1:17-23
 John 16:7-11
 John 16:12-15
 John 14:23-31
John 10:1-10
 Acts 2:42-47
 Psalm 23
 1 Peter 2:19-25
 Ephesians 1:11-14
 1 Cor 6:12-20
 1 Cor 12:1-11
John 14:1-14
 Acts 7:55-60
 Ps 31:1-5, 15-16
 1 Peter 2:2-10
 Galatians 5:13-18
 Galatians 5:19-26
 Ephesians 5:15-20
Jn 14:15-21
 Acts 17:22-31
 Psalm 66:8-20
 1 Peter 3:13-22
Luke 24:44-53
 Acts 1:1-11
 Psalm 93
Jn 17:1-11
 Acts 1:6-14
 Ps 68:1-10, 32-35
 1 Pt 4:12-14;5:6-11
 John 3:3-8
 1 Thess 5:16-24
 Ephesians 4:20-32
Acts 2:1-21

Relational Home Group Process

*Based on Discovery Bible Study process

1 Thankful?

From this past week, what is something you're thankful for?

Positions our hearts to be grateful, models prayer, practices gratitude

2 Challenge?

From this past week, what was challenging for you?

Positions our hearts to admit that we have needs and Implies we need help

Questions 1-2 help us to "look back" and form community

3 How did it go?

How did it go?

Based on the previous week's Study "I will statements"/ "Share"/ ending Challenge"

Question 3 ushers in accountability and transformational, missional living

4 The Study - Discover

i. Ask someone to read the passage one paragraph at a time.

ii. Have a group member tell it in their own words.

iii. Ask the group if they added anything or left anything out.

Questions #5-7 are the core of the DBS process.

*5 God?

What does this study say about God?

*6 People?

What does this study say about people/man?

*7 Obedience?

What does this passage say about obedience?

7b I will . . .

In light of what we now know about his passage, what is God calling you to do this week?