

Session One: “Understanding the Filling of the Holy Spirit”

Series: Our Present Emmanuel - N. Pierpont

God’s plan to transform...

- John 14:16 - Christ’s Authoritative Prayer
- Romans 8:29 - Predestined to be conformed
- John 16:7 - Coming together of things

Indwelling vs Filling

Indwelling of the Spirit

- Titus 3:5 - Regeneration
- Ephesians 1:13-14 - Pledge and Seal
- 1 Corinthians 12:13 (cf. Mark 1:8) - By Christ in the Spirit once
- John 3 - Born Again
- Romans 8:5-6, 9-11 - In the Spirit and no longer in the Flesh
- 1 Corinthians 6:19 - Your Body His Temple

Filling of the Spirit

- Pre-Pentecost - Luke 1:15, 41, 67; Luke 4:1
- Acts 2:4, 4:8, 4:31, 6:3, 7:55, 9:17, 11:24, 13:9, 13:52
- Paul - Ephesians 5:18 (cf. Galatians 5:16)

Fullness Defined

- One indwelling, many fillings
- Access
- Control or Influence
- Power

Filling of the Spirit and Christian Maturity

- Sanctification is a process
- Filling is for every believer
- The importance of confession

Series Goals:

- To understand the filling of the Spirit.
- To experience the Spirit-filled life.
- To enjoy a relationship with Christ through our friend, the Holy Spirit
- To utilize the power of the Holy Spirit for ministry to the body of Christ.