

## The Holy Spirit

We saw last week that the Holy Spirit is a personal being. The Scriptures say he is lied to (Acts 5:3), tempted (Acts 5:9), blasphemed (Matt. 12:31), and insulted (Heb. 10:29). ‘He’ is not to be called ‘it’.

There is a second basic understanding about the Holy Spirit. That is, he is a *divine* person. He is in fact God, God the Holy Spirit. He is one of three persons of the Trinity. He is equal with the Father and Son in power and essence. He has his own unique activities.

Matthew 28:19 we find this idea of his divinity. We are “baptized in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit”. See also, 2 Corinthians 13:14; 1 Corinthians 12:4-6. Here the Holy Spirit is mentioned first of the three names.

Also, Hebrews 9:14 speaks of the eternal Spirit. Only God has inherent eternity. Genesis 1:2 shows the Spirit’s involvement in creation. He has always existed like the Father and Son.

One other reference (and there are others) to the divinity of the Spirit is found in Acts 5 where Ananias and Sapphira were a married couple who lied. Peter will say to them, “Ananias, why has Satan filled your heart to lie to the Holy Spirit...?” Lying to the Holy Spirit is equal to lying to God himself.

We conclude that the Holy Spirit is a *person* of the Godhead and is in fact *divine* like the Father and Son. Amen!

--In Him, *Gary*.

## Medical & Prayer Needs

**Kathy Carter** – Recovery.

**Lloyd Cisco** – Surgery 2/20.

**Carlos Correa** – Hospital. Spinal infection. Per Nancy.

**Mary Davis** – Surgery 2/9.

**Randy Kuhn** – Cataract surgery.

**Rhonda Poff** – Heart surgery recovery. Friend of Kathy Lindsey.

**Lou Ropog** – Surgery 2/9.

**Cindy Toppings** – Fell. Foot injury.

**Ruth Watson** – Hospice.

### Extended Prayer List:

Susan Buck, Adele Gall (Lisa’s mother), Joyce Herring (Kathy L. sister), Jessi Hruss (Kathy Carter’s niece), Barb King (Eileen’s niece), Alice Moreland, Haliee O’Connor (Eileen’s niece), Ruth Watson.

## Notes

### Ladies Meeting

Feb. 8<sup>th</sup> at 4:30.

### Men’s Meeting

Feb. 8<sup>th</sup> at 4:30.

### M4M

Feb. 9<sup>th</sup> at 4:00.

### Love Packages to College Students

We are planning to send our college students a Valentine’s box. They have requested items. See the bulletin board for names of students and lists of items. We will be boxing up items on **Monday, Feb. 9<sup>th</sup>**, so they can be received by Sat., Feb. 14<sup>th</sup>.

### Youth Fellowship

Feb. 14<sup>th</sup> at 10 AM.

Trivia Answers & Scriptures are given to Gary on paper with your name OR by texting him. C'mon, join in!

**Trivia:** According to Acts 2, what sound from heaven accompanied God's work at Pentecost? **Answer:** as a mighty rushing wind. V. 2:2.  
**Answerers:** Eileen Kerns, Bill & Rosa Morrison, Sharon Woodrum, Wyatt Jordan, Linda Ropog, Roger & Mary Davis, Nancy Scarborough, Beckey Scarborough, Aiden Scarborough, Anita Mattingly, Terry & Gail Spiestersbach, Kathy Lindsey.

**New Trivia:** According to Acts 6, during Stephen's trial, he looked like an \_\_\_\_\_.

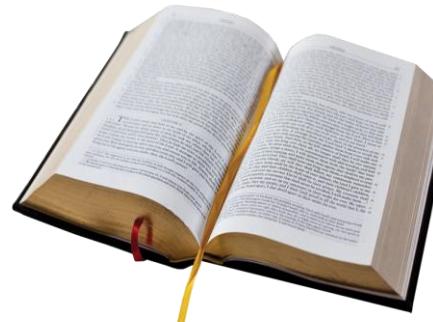
## February Birthdays & Anniversaries

Colsen Toppings	3
Nancy Scarborough	4
Shirley Sarver	4
Terry Spiestersbach	5
Alyson Spiestersbach	8
Mitch Davis	8
Carla Harbert	8
Dean Truskolaski	12
Lou Ropog	12
Joe Spiestersbach	13
Jeffery Scarborough	14
Alice Moreland	18
Allen Kerns	19
Bill Morrison	22
Gracie Davis	22
Aiden Scarborough	26
Steve Miller	28
Lola Anderson	29
 Marty & Wendy Priddy	9
Glenn & Nancy Scarborough	23

## Widows & Widowers

Lola Anderson, Joyce Brewer, Frances Brown, Kathy Carter, Linda Caldwell, Joyce Fetzer, Margaret Jordan, Elaine Leonhardt, Kathy Lindsey, Maxine Mathes, Alice Moreland, Mary Ann Priddy, Shirley Sarver, Dora Talbert, Ruth Watson, Diana Wirth, Sharon Woodrum.

# East Broad St. Church of Christ



**February 8, 2026**

*On the last day of the feast, the great day, Jesus stood up and cried out, "If anyone thirsts, let him come to me and drink. Whoever believes in me, as the Scripture has said, 'Out of his heart will flow rivers of living water.'"*

**John 7:37-38. ESV.**

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### Assembly Times

Sun. Bible Class	10:00 am
Sun. Worship	11:00 am
Sun. PM Worship	6:00 pm
Wed. Bible Study	7:00 pm

## **WELCOME**

*We welcome our visitors to the worship services today as our honored guests. Please fill out a Visitors Card and put it in the offering plate. We hope & pray you will return soon.*