

Resources - The Spirit Acts

Fall Focus 2025 // The Spirit Acts

OVERVIEW:

This Fall we will dig into the book of Acts with special attention to the movement of the Holy Spirit. Our understanding of the Holy Spirit within the Christian Church can feel mysterious, abstract, and mystical, but the third member of the Trinity has been active and present from the dawn of creation and is a vital part of the church's history, growth, and continued kingdom expansion. If actions speak louder than words, let's pay attention to how the Spirit acts and moves in the life of the early church so we can converse and work to better understand who the Spirit is today and what the Spirit might continue to do within the life of the Church.

Since we're working through the book of Acts, we compiled additional resources into this document for reference & deeper study. If this is your first study through Acts, these resources are designed to give you extra history, background, visuals, and timelines to help orient you in the story. Parts of the story move quickly through geography and line up with stories in other NT letters, so there are great references below to help you navigate.

PODCASTS:

- [Bible Project: Luke-Acts Podcast](#)
- [Bible Project: Holy Spirit Series](#)
- Bible Recap – Tarah-Lee Cobble – Year 6, Days 320-348
<https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/the-bible-recap/id1440833267>
 - Extra resources/show notes:
<https://www.thebiblerecap.com/shownotes/#301-365>
 - Acts 1-3: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=B2k8whJgqac>
 - Acts 4-6: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=beEdByF-Eko>
 - Acts 7-8: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4XnE8KKsl8M>
 - Acts 9-10: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GBz_hgWFRM
 - Acts 11-12: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cXxVltt6s7c>
 - Acts 13-14: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=q7KC0I00udY>
 - Acts 15-16: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=orplpseLgSw>
 - Acts 17: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VBPJV6Q4GjI>

- Acts 18-19: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jtd6iz3BN0g>
- Acts 20-23: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=quJ_DSqL_RQ
- Acts 24-26: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Xxl10Q37FuA>
- Acts 27-28: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rYnq9DiWJSA>

VIDEOS:

- Bible Project:
 - [The Holy Spirit](#)
 - [Acts 1-12](#)
 - [Acts 13-28](#)
 - [Empowering and Aiming the Movement Act 1-7](#)
 - [Movement Expansion Acts 8-12](#)
 - [The Story of Paul Acts 13-20](#)
 - [Paul Experiences Life Like Jesus Acts 21-28](#)
- [Forgotten God](#) - Francis Chan video study playlist
- Movie: [Paul, The Apostle of Christ](#) (not 100% literal, but a good interpretation)

ONLINE READING/OUTLINES/RESEARCH:

- IVP Acts Commentary -
<https://www.biblegateway.com/resources/ivp-nt/Acts>
- Blue Letter Bible – Intro/Outline of Acts:
<https://www.blueletterbible.org/study/eo/Act/Act000.cfm>
- [Bible Project - Acts Guide](#)

BOOKS:

- [Forgotten God](#) - Francis Chan
- [The Gospel on the Ground](#), Kristi McLelland
- [Acts: N.T. Wright for Everyone Bible Study Guides](#)

ILLUSTRATIONS & MAPS:

<https://www.churchbiblestudies.org/acts-illustrations-and-maps>

<https://viz.bible/journeys/>

<https://www.logos.com/grow/deciphering-the-book-of-acts-with-diy-bible-study/>

<https://www.2belikechrist.com/articles/timeline-of-the-book-of-acts>

MUSIC:

- *The Sending* by Leeland
- *Fall Afresh* by Jeremy Riddle
- *Holy Spirit* by Francesca Battistelli
- <https://www.logos.com/grow/nook-songs-about-the-holy-spirit/>

YOUTUBE PLAYLIST - WEEKLY CANOPY VIDEO INTROS:

[https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLs4dcohV44Qfdb9UYSvWbxOZYHTxV
VhPG](https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLs4dcohV44Qfdb9UYSvWbxOZYHTxV
VhPG)