

# THE 5/20 PROJECT

*For God so Loved He Gave...*

Kingdom Principles 103-TS

## Teaching Series “Holy Spirit Doesn’t Visit — He Dwells”

**6-week teaching journey** built from The 5/20 Project message, with a clear focus each week and **one deep, discussion-driving question** per session.

### Recalibrating Believers for Spirit-Led Everyday Obedience

#### WEEK 1 — The Language That Shapes Our Experience

**Focus:** How church language can unknowingly train people to chase feelings instead of walking in truth.

**Core Truth:** The way we describe God influences how we expect Him to move.

**Key Scriptures:** Proverbs 18:21; Mark 7:13; John 4:23–24

#### Teaching Emphasis:

- Words form beliefs
- Beliefs shape expectations
- Expectations shape experiences
- If we speak of the Spirit as “coming and going,” we will live like He does

**5/20 Connection:** If people think God only moves in emotional settings, they won’t expect Him to prompt them in everyday life.

#### Discussion Question

**Where have you learned to associate God’s presence with a feeling, environment, or sound rather than with truth?**

#### WEEK 2 — Who Jesus Said the Spirit Is

**Focus:** Replacing emotional definitions of the Spirit with Jesus’ definition.

**Core Truth:** Jesus described the Spirit as a Person who helps, teaches, guides, and glorifies Christ.

**Key Scriptures:** John 14:16, 26; John 16:8, 13–14

### **Teaching Emphasis:**

- The Spirit is not a mood — He is a Helper
- His role is transformation, not stimulation
- His work is inward formation, not outward hype

**5/20 Connection:** The Spirit guides believers into loving action, not just worship moments.

**Discussion Question:** Which role of Holy Spirit Helper, Teacher, Guide, Counselor do you most need to rely on in daily life right now — and why?

### **WEEK 3 — The Spirit Lives In You, Not Just Around You**

**Focus:** The indwelling reality of the Holy Spirit.

**Core Truth:** The Holy Spirit does not visit believers — He permanently dwells in them.

**Key Scriptures:** 1 Corinthians 6:19; Romans 8:11; John 14:17

### **Teaching Emphasis:**

- You are the temple, not the building
- His presence is constant, not event-based
- Feelings fluctuate — indwelling does not

**5/20 Connection:** If He is always present, He can prompt you anywhere.

### **Discussion Question**

**How would your daily decisions change if you lived fully aware that the Holy Spirit is with you at every moment?**

### **WEEK 4 — The Real Blocker: Resistance**

**Focus:** The issue isn't God's willingness to move — it's our resistance.

**Core Truth:** Scripture warns us not to grieve, quench, or resist the Spirit.

**Key Scriptures:** Ephesians 4:30; 1 Thessalonians 5:19; Acts 7:51

### **Teaching Emphasis:**

- We don't need more of Him — He needs more of us
- Yielding > striving
- Sensitivity grows through surrender

**5/20 Connection:** Resistance is why we ignore nudges to love people.

## **Discussion Question**

**What form of resistance shows up most in your life — fear, shame, guilt, control, distraction, pride, or something else?**

## **WEEK 5 — Removing Internal Barriers**

**Focus:** Identifying the heart issues that quiet the Spirit's influence.

**Core Truth:** Internal walls block spiritual responsiveness.

**Key Scriptures:** James 4:6; Proverbs 3:5–6; Hebrews 12:15; Luke 10:41–42

### **Teaching Emphasis:**

- Pride resists guidance
- Control resists trust
- Fear resists obedience
- Distraction resists awareness
- Bitterness resists love

**5/20 Connection:** These barriers keep us from noticing and responding to people in need.

**Discussion Question:** Which inner barrier most often keeps you from responding quickly when you sense God nudging you?

## **WEEK 6 — From Awareness to Obedience (5/20 Activation Week)**

**Focus:** Living a lifestyle of immediate Spirit-led response.

**Core Truth:** The Spirit leads us into loving action in real time.

**Key Scriptures:** Galatians 5:25; James 1:22; Luke 10:33–34; Romans 8:14

### **Teaching Emphasis:**

- Spirit-led living happens in ordinary places
- Obedience is often simple, small, and immediate
- Compassion is the evidence of yielded living

**5/20 Connection:** This is the heartbeat of the 5/20 Project.

## **Discussion Question**

**If you truly believed Holy Spirit was prompting you throughout your day, what would you start doing differently this week?**