## Antioch Missionary Baptist Church 318 Auburn Ave, Pontiac, Michigan June 12, 2022 Sunday School Lesson Discussion Points Bible Studies For Life Series - Young Adult/Adult Class

## Never Alone: The Holy Spirit In Our Lives Born Again by the Spirit – The Holy Spirit brings us into a new life as we place our trust in Jesus.

John 3:1-8, 14-17

**The Holy Spirit** is God, and He is the Third Person of the Holy Trinity (*1 John* 5:7 NKJV). Also called: Holy Ghost, Spirit, Spirit of Trust, Spirit of God, Spirit of Christ. Also named for His purpose: Comforter, Counselor, Helper, Advocate.

### I. John 3:1-3 (No one can enter God's Kingdom unless they are Born Again)

A. No one can enter the Kingdom of God or Heaven unless they are born again or saved. (vs. 1-3)

Romans 5:12 (AMP); 1 Corinthians 6:9-10; John 1:10-13 (AMP)

B. The first step toward being born again or saved is to seek Jesus Christ. (vs. 1-3)

Acts 4:11-12 (AMP); Matthew 11:28 (AMP); Luke 19:1-9

#### II. John 3:4-8 (We are Born Again by the Power of the Holy Spirit)

A. To be born again or saved, we must put our trust or faith in Jesus Christ. (vs. 4-8) (*Romans 10:17 – Faith comes by Hearing*)

Mark 16:15-16 (AMP); Acts 8:34-37 (AMP)

B. We are born again or saved by the power of the Holy Spirit when we trust in Jesus Christ. (vs. 4-8)

Ephesians 1:13; 1 Corinthians 6:11; 1 Corinthians 12:13 (AMP)

# III. John 3:14-17 (Everyone has the Opportunity to be Born Again)

- A. Everyone has the opportunity to be born again or saved. (vs. 14-17) Galatians 3:28; Revelation 7:9; 1 Corinthians 6:9-11
- B. Being born again or saved allows us to experience eternal life. (vs. 14-17) **John 10:27-30 (AMP)**; **1 Thessalonians 4:15-17 (TLB)**

## Word of Encouragement:

"13 For by one [Holy] Spirit we were all baptized into one body, [spiritually transformed—united together] whether Jews or Greeks (Gentiles), slaves or free, and we were all made to drink of one [Holy] Spirit [since the same Holy Spirit fills each life]." 1 Corinthians 12:13 (AMP)

Next Lesson: Indwelt by the Spirit – Romans 8:9-17