I. Holy Spirit

A. Luke: focus

B. Acts: Gospel

II. Gifts of the Spirit (Is 11:2)

A. Isaiah 10:33-1 (the axe is at the root)

1. The Royal Davidic line line has been reclaimed

B. Everybody baptized receives these gifts without exception

1. The Spirit of the LORD shall rest upon Him,

The Spirit of wisdom and understanding,

The Spirit of counsel and might,

The Spirit of knowledge and of the fear of the LORD. (Isaiah 11:2)

C. The Gifts of the Spirit

- 1. Wisdom = word of God
- 2. Understanding = judgement
- 3. Counsel = plans
- 4. Might = conviction
- 5. Knowledge = of Good and Evil OR quickens the heart to connect the dots
 - a. what enabled Elizabeth to realize that Mary was with the Messiah
- 6. Fear of God = beginning of Wisdom

III. Fruit of the Spirit (Gal 5:22)

A. The Lusts of the Flesh

- 1. Adultery
- 2. Fornication (Masturbation)
- 3. Uncleanness
- 4. Lewdness
- 5. Idolatry
- 6. Sorcery
- 7. Hatred

Work of the Holy Spirit

- 8. Contentions
- 9. Jealousies
- 10. Outbursts of Wrath
- 11. Selfish Ambitions
- 12. Dissensions
- 13. Heresies
- 14. Envy
- 15. Murders
- 16. Drunkenness
- 17. Revelries
- 18. And the Like

B. The Fruits of the Spirit

- 1. Love
- 2. Joy
- 3. Peace
- 4. Longsuffering
- 5. Kindness
- 6. Goodness
- 7. Faithfulness
- 8. Gentleness
- 9. Self-Control

IV. Supernatural Fruit (homework)

- A. Tongues
- B. Prophecy
- C. Healing
- D. Powers

E. Bi-location (Philip)

F. Hierarchy of the Church

- 1. Prophets
- 2. Apostles
- 3. ...

V. Charismatic Gifts

A. Romans 12: 6-8 Charismatic Gifts (of Grace for Others)

- 1. Gifts of Speech
 - a. Prophecy
 - i. Rebukes
 - ii. A prophet cannot tolerate wrong
 - iii. Uncover sin and disobedience (e.g. John the Baptist)
 - iv. Bring God's Word to Men

b. Exhortation

- i. Encourages
- ii. An exhorter cannot tolerate despair
- iii. Mouth
- iv. Talker
- c. Teaching
 - i. Explains
- 2. Gifts of Service
 - a. Ministry
 - i. Serves
 - ii. Cannot tolerate lack
 - b. Giving
 - i. Cannot tolerate need
 - ii. Gives

Work of the Holy Spirit

- iii. Rich person
- iv. Ready to give any time, without request, without fear
- v. How do you do this? I don't know, I give 10, he gives me 100 the same day.

3. Mercy Showing

- a. Cannot tolerate sadness
- b. Very interesting gift
- c. Listener
- d. Ear
- e. Sensitive
- f. Doesn't talk
- g. Cries
- h. Go to them when you have a problem
- i. They make you feel they are with you
- j. Once you talk to them, you feel very comfortable
- k. They tend to be depressed; that's why St. Paul says "cheerfulness."

4. Leading

- a. Cannot tolerate chaos
- b. Keen eye of understanding the gifts of everyone
- c. Puts everyone in place
- d. Gives speech to the speaking
- e. Gives service to the serving
- f. Gives spending to the giver

B. Romans 13 ~ Greatest Gift ~ Love

C. 1 Corinthians

D. St. John Chrysostom

1. Use your gifts to produce the fruits of the spirit. In us and in others.

Work of the Holy Spirit

- 2. Ask your friends and family what they think your gifts are.
- VI. How to Ignite the Spirit (Luke 11:1-13)
- VII. Sacramental Gifts
 - A. Clergy
 - **B.** Sacraments
 - C. "I am the guardian of the gospel"
 - D. "I am the protector of the gifts of God"