



Lesson 7: THE SPIRIT-LED CHURCH

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Any amount of learning ______ the Holy Spirit, even from the best teacher, will only change you and me if it is accompanied by an _____ of the _____.

Five Practices of a Spirit-Led Church largely

Reference Verse: Acts 2: 40-47 NKJV

borrowed from the book of Acts 2 (NKJV) and the book "Five Practices of Fruitful Congregants" by Robert Schnase		
1.	Intentional	
	Acts 2:42 ⁴² And they continued steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in prayers. ⁴³ Then fear came upon every soul, and many wonders and signs were done through the apostles.	
2.	Radical	
	Acts 2:44 "Now all who believed were together, and had all things in common,"	
Ro	m 15:7 New Revised Standard Version	

"Welcome one another, therefore, just as Christ

has welcomed you, for the _____

One of the most common hindrances to Radical hospitality is past experiences, you welcome somebody in your space, and they hurt you and so you close that door, you are now very careful around members of the body of Christ so much so that your Hospitality is quenched.

Remedy:	
3.	Extravagant
	Acts 2:45 "and sold their possessions and goods, and divided them among all, as anyone had need."
	2 Corinthians 9:11 NIV "You will be enriched in every way so that you can be generous on every occasion, and through us, your generosity will"
4.	Passionate
	Acts 2:46-47 ⁴⁶ "So continuing daily with one accord in the temple, and breaking bread from house to house, they ate their food with gladness and simplicity of heart, ^{47(a)} praising God and having favor with all the people…"
	Ephesians 5:18-19 ¹⁸ Do not get drunk on wine, which leads to debauchery. Instead, be filled with the Spirit, ¹⁹ speaking to one another with psalms, hymns, and songs from the Spirit. Sing and make music from your to the Lord, ²⁰ always giving thanks to God the Father for everything, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.
5.	Risk-taking
	Acts 2:47(b) "And the Lord added to the church daily those who were"

Memory Verse: Zechariah 4:6b NIV 'Not by might nor by power, but by my Spirit, says the Lord Almighty.