"Union in Christ: Life in the Spirit (part 3)" John 6:28-34

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A. The Holy Spirit: Forming Spiritual Foundations

- 1. The Holy Spirit produces sensitivity to sin (Eph. 1:3-4)
- 2. The Holy Spirit produces illumination of truth (John 16:13)
- 3. The Holy Spirit produces hunger for the Word (Psalm 19:7-11)
- 4. The Holy Spirit produces hunger for Prayer
 - Prayer becomes a normal experience in the believer who is living out a Biblical church life
 - a. They fellowshipped in prayer (Acts 2:42; Psalm 119:63)
 - b. They strengthened one another in prayer (Acts 4:23-34)
 - c. They led the Church through prayer (Acts 6:4; Acts 14:23)

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d. They mobilized Gospel laborers by prayer (Acts 13:2; Matthew 9:37-38)

e. They labored for lost souls through prayer (Acts 16:25)

 Prayer becomes an individual burden of necessity to grow in the faith and avoid a lukewarm heart (Jude 20-21; Eph. 2:18, 22)