

## Small Group Questions

November 3, 2019

### Read Acts 8:1-25

1. Easy question: In verse 5, we read that Philip went “down” to Samaria. Since Samaria is north of Jerusalem, how did he go “down?”
2. Why did Philip go to Samaria? What was Simon doing? What was the difference between what Simon was doing and what Philip was doing?
3. Why did Peter and John go to Samaria?
4. How do you interpret verses 15 and 16 related to receiving of the Holy Spirit?
5. What does it mean that the Holy Spirit had not yet come on them?
6. Did they receive the Holy Spirit when they were baptized?
7. How does this fit into your theological point of view relating to the receiving of the Holy Spirit today?
8. According to 1 Corinthians 12, how do we receive gifts of the Holy Spirit? Who gives them?
9. What is the most important spiritual gift we can receive?
10. Read 1 Corinthians 12 together.