

## HE BEARS FRUIT IN US

Don't you know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit who is in you, whom you have from God? You are not your own, for you were bought at a price. So glorify God with your body.  
(1 Corinthians 6:19-20)

They are to make a sanctuary for me so that I may dwell among them. (Exodus 25:8)

The Word became flesh and dwelt (tabernacled) among us.  
(John 1:14)

I am the true vine, and my Father is the gardener. Every branch in me that does not produce fruit he removes, and he prunes every branch that produces fruit so that it will produce more fruit. You are already clean because of the word I have spoken to you. Remain in me, and I in you. Just as a branch is unable to produce fruit by itself unless it remains on the vine, neither can you unless you remain in me. I am the vine; you are the branches. The one who remains in me and I in him produces much fruit, because you can do nothing without me. If anyone does not remain in me, he is thrown aside like a branch and he withers. They gather them, throw them into the fire, and they are burned. If you remain in me and my words remain in you, ask whatever you want and it will be done for you. My Father is glorified by this: that you produce much fruit and prove to be my disciples. (John 15:1-8)

But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control.  
(Galatians 5:22-23)

**To enjoy spiritual fruit stay connected with the root.**

Inward Disciplines: Remain through prayer and Bible study.

Outward Disciplines: Remain through serving and giving.

Communal Disciplines: Remain through worship and biblical community.

Reflection Question:

What is one discipline that you can focus on this month to help you stay in step with the Spirit?

Scripture from the CSB unless noted.