

# Spiritual Practices

8 – A Community Of Justice, Mercy And  
Reconciliation  
In A Culture Of Injustice & Division



We are apprenticing  
under Jesus.

BE

BECOME

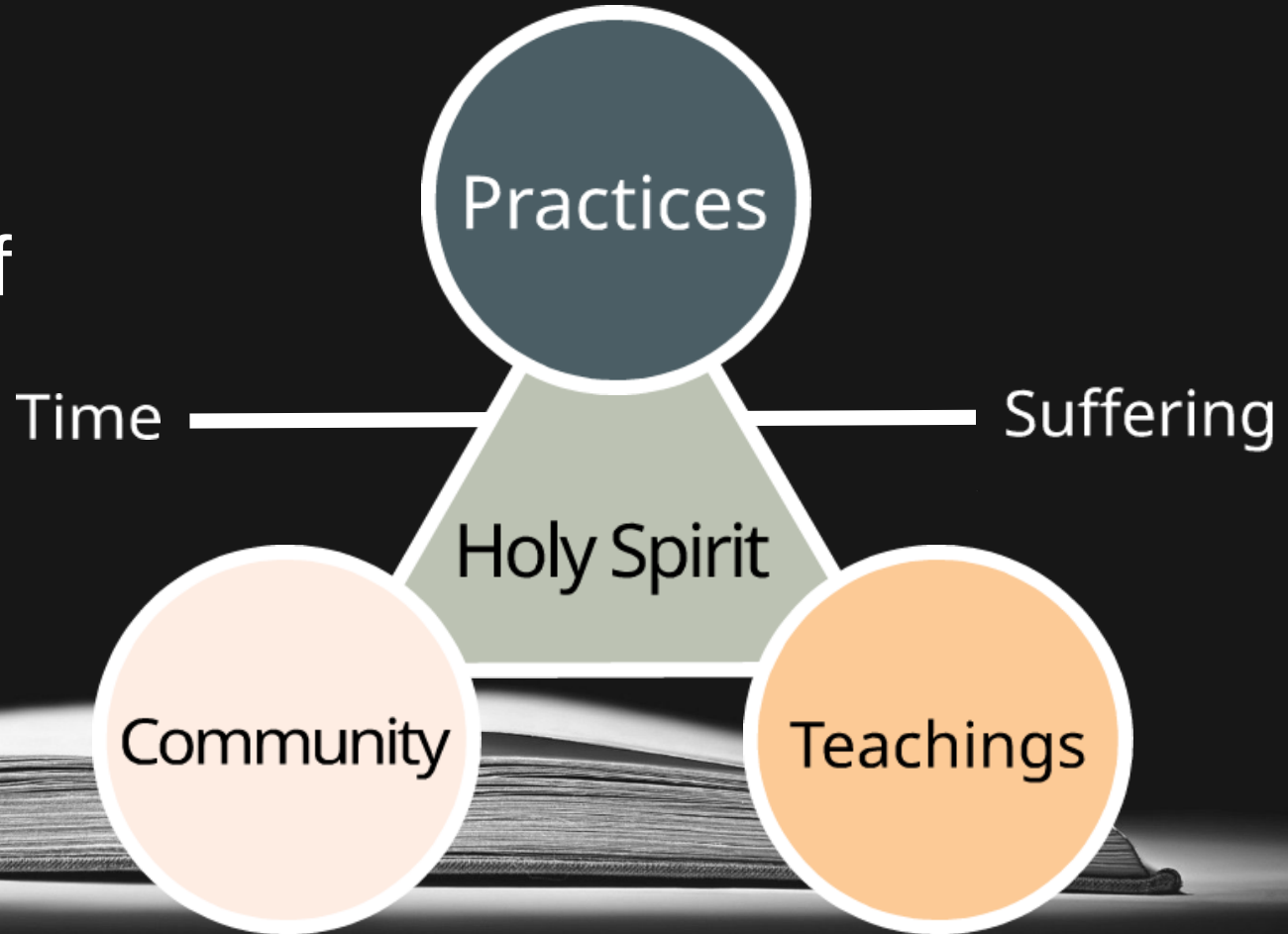
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# What Transforms Me?

Be **transformed**  
by the renewing of  
your mind

Romans 12:2



Sin → separation from God

Jesus → restores us to God



the son of Man did not  
come to be served,  
but to serve

Mark 10:45



Transformed to be like Jesus  
through the practice of Service



# Service

The expression of Christlike love through meeting the practical needs of another, especially those most in need of help.



By their fruit you will recognise them.

Matthew 7:16-20





He cuts off every branch in me that bears no fruit  
John 15:2



As the body without the spirit is dead,  
*so faith without deeds is dead.*

James 2:26



You have neglected the more important matters of  
the law—justice, mercy and faithfulness.

Matthew 23:23



And now these three remain: faith, hope and love.  
But the greatest of these is love.

1 Corinthians 13:13



Live such good lives among the pagans that...  
they may see your good deeds and glorify God on  
the day he visits us.

1 Peter 2:12



# Questions for reflection:

- 1) How do I feel about serving the needs of others?
- 2) Do I need my acts of service acknowledged?
- 3) What act of service could I do this week?

