

LH Groups exist to fulfill the mission of the church to Reach the Lost & Make Disciples. We do this primarily through Connecting People & Strengthening their Faith.

Connecting People - You shouldn't have to do life alone. We were made to connect, and we want to connect you to Jesus, and to others on the same path as you.

Strengthening Faith - It's ok to not be ok, we just can't stay there. We want to create opportunities for you to step out in faith in pursuit of Jesus and His will for your life.

STORIES

We love stories of how Jesus is changing lives through Groups! If you have a story of Jesus working in you or your group send it to us at groups@lighthouse.church.

QUICK NOTES

A Month of Joy - Thank you to everyone who registered to do a Month of Joy project. You should have received some basic information regarding your project already, but more info will be coming shortly. Thank you for making December a Month of Joy for so many!

RightNow Media. The church is providing a resource for all LH attendees called RightNow Media. RightNow is an online video library of thousands of Bible

Studies, Devotionals, Leadership Trainings, and Kids Programs. To get this free resource for yourself, visit lh.church/rightnowmedia and create your free account and start growing today!

God With Us Week 3 - Gifts of the Holy Spirit

RECAP

SPIRITUAL GIFTS ARE NOT:

- 1) JUST NATURAL TALENTS.
- 2) GIVEN TO THE ELITE FEW.
- 3) A SIGN OF SPIRITUAL MATURITY.
- 4) FRUITS OF THE SPIRIT.
- 5) SOMETHING TO FEAR.

HOW DO YOU DISCOVER YOUR GIFTS?

- 1) STUDY WHAT THE BIBLE SAYS ABOUT GIFTS.
- 2) ASK GOD TO SHOW YOU YOUR GIFTS.
- 3) FIND WHAT YOU ENJOY AND ARE GOOD AT
- 4) GET FEEDBACK
- 4) TAKE A SPIRITUAL GIFT TEST.
- 5) DO WHAT THE HOLY SPIRIT LEADS YOU TO DO.

ICEBREAKER

Have you ever witnessed someone who is highly "gifted" at what they do? What was it like to watch them work?

GROUP QUESTIONS

Read 1 Corinthians 12:4-7

- How does it feel to know that God wants to give you a gift uniquely suited to helping you make a difference in the world?
- What does it mean that even with all the variety of spiritual gifts, they all come from the same source?

Read 1 Corinthians 12:12-27

- Paul here uses the analogy of a body, being formed by all its various parts and working together. How does this help us understand how spiritual gifts work?
- Why is it important that we all discover and develop our spiritual gifts?

Paul ends his discussion of spiritual gifts with clarification on what love is and how love works.

Read 1 Corinthians 13, and remember that Paul leads in this chapter by saying "and yet I will show you the most excellent way."

- What attribute of love stands out to you the most?
- Why is love so important when it comes to people using their spiritual gifts?

MEMORY VERSE

Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.

- 1 Corinthians 13:4-7