

*Spiritual Gifts*  
Romans 12:3-8  
October 30, 2016

1. Pastor Jim pointed out that those who have been given much will be demanded much and those who are entrusted with much, more will be asked (Luke 12:48). Do you know someone who has been entrusted with great responsibility due to their talents or skills? How so?
2. Romans 12:3-8 is clear that “each of us” receive a spiritual gift from God. How does this create responsibility on all believers and how do each of our gifts create a need for one another?
3. As a small group, give a brief definition and example of each of the gifts found in Romans 12. They are listed below:
  - (1) Prophecy:
  - (2) Teaching:
  - (3) Serving:
  - (4) Encouraging:
  - (5) Giving:
  - (6) Leading:
  - (7) Mercy:
4. Pastor Jim mentioned that because we have been entrusted with gifts from God, we should develop them and use them. What is the best way to develop our gifts? Out of the seven spiritual gifts mentioned in Romans 12, can you identify with any of them? How have you been using the gift God has given you to serve others lately?
5. Take time to pray with your group. Think about the gift(s) God has given you. As you pray, think about how God would like you to use your gift. Will you fan this gift into flame? Will you be sober about the fact that God gave you this gift and has placed a demand on your life?