



my life
Mission

Study Guide

Series Outline

1. Discover My Spiritual Gifts

2. Develop My Spiritual Goals

3. Discern My Life Verse

A Growth Group Resource

HIGHPOINT CHURCH | 2022

Discover My Spiritual Gifts

My Life Mission | Part 1

4 Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; 5 and there are varieties of service, but the same Lord; 6 and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who empowers them all in everyone. 7 To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. **1 Corinthians 12:4-7**

1. My Spiritual Gifts are **Different And Equal To Others** (v4-5)

2. My Spiritual Gifts are **Empowered By God** (v6)

A Spiritual Gift is the divine empowerment given to every believer to supernaturally accomplish the purposes of God

3. My Spiritual Gifts are **Needed By The Church** (v7)

Personal Study

Take 20 minutes alone to complete this Spiritual Gifts assessment from www.gifts.churchgrowth.org.

Upon completion read about your gifts — the value of your gifts, healthy cautions, and ways to use your gifts to serve others and the Church.



My Top 3 Spiritual Gifts

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Share: Get Talking (10 Min)

- What are your top 3 spiritual gifts? Which of these gifts are you most comfortable with? Which gift surprises you?

Study: Go Deeper (15 Min)

- Read 1 Corinthians 12:1. We're called to not be "uninformed" with the gifts that God has us. On a scale of 1-10, how would you rate your understanding of your Spiritual Gifts before today? How would you rate your knowledge now?

- Read 1 Corinthians 12:4-6. Why do you think God has “varieties of gifts” that He gives to His children? How do these varieties of gifts strengthen the church?
- Read 1 Corinthians 12:7. How can someone know they are fulfilling God’s purpose for their Spiritual Gifts?

Support: Grow Together (15 Min)

- How can you use your Spiritual Gifts to serve God and others? How can you avoid using your gifts to serve yourself?
- Are you currently serving in a ministry at Highpoint? If so, where. If not, what’s a ministry you can be serving in this year?
- How can we support and pray for your this week?

Renew Your Mind: Memory Verse

“Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit, and there are varieties of service, but the same Lord; and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who empowers them all in everyone.”

1 Corinthians 12:4-6

Develop My Spiritual Goals

My Life Mission | Part 2

“I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing.” John 15:5

1. **Who** Has Christ Called Me To **Be**? (v5a)

2. **What** Has Christ Called Me To **Do**? (v5b)

My Spiritual Goals

FOR THIS YEAR

1. Who has Christ called me to be.

- *In my relationship with God*
- *In my relationship with my family*
- *In my relationship with Highpoint*
- *In my relationship with my community*

2. What has Christ called me to do?

- *What spiritual rhythm do you need to strengthen this year (Bible reading, prayer, Scripture memory, personal worship, fasting)? What are some specific actions and goals needed to grow in this area?*
- *What is one character quality you feel called by God to grow in this year (i.e. patience, self-control, compassion, purity, humility, peace, trust, etc.)?*

- *What is one relationship you feel God is calling you to invest in this year (spouse, child, parent, sibling, neighbor, co-worker, etc.)? How does that relationship need to change this year?*

- *How will you further your engagement at Highpoint this year? (become a Partner, serving, giving)?*

Share: *Get Talking (10 Min)*

- Describe ways you would like to see yourself grow spiritually this year? If you grow in these ways, describe yourself at the end of the year.

Study: *Go Deeper (30 Min)*

- Throughout John 15, we are commanded to “abide.” What does it mean to “abide” in Christ? How do these verses give specific ways to measure our “abiding”?

- John 15:5 - abide in _____

- John 15:7 - abide in _____

- John 15:10 - abide in _____

- Take 20 minutes alone to write out some spiritual goals. See previous page.

Support: Grow Together (15 Min)

- Share with the Group some of your Spiritual Goals this year:
 - who God is calling you to be?
 - what God is calling you to do?

What the difference between good intentions and intentionality? How will you exercise intentionality with your spiritual goals?

How can we support, encourage, and hold each other accountable to our spiritual goals this year?

Renew Your Mind: Memory Verse

“I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing.” John 15:5

Discern My Life Verse

MY LIFE MISSION | PART 3

Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path
Psalm 119:105

Discerning a life verse is essential because...

1. It Shines **Light** To God's **Plan** For My Life
2. It Gives **Direction** To God's **Purpose** For My Life
3. It **Inspires** Me Towards God's **Picture** For My Life

Share: *Get Talking (10 Min)*

- What is the value of having a “go to” verse for life or a season in life?

Study: *Go Deeper (20 Min)*

We have discovered our spiritual gifts and developed spiritual goals. Now, let's find a verse that will inspire you toward your life's mission this year.

- Get alone and open your Bible to discern a “life verse” for you. Below are some examples to get started. If you have a verse, you can still read some of these verse for personal enrichment.
 - Gospel - Romans 1:16, Galatians 2:20, Mark 8:35
Acts 20:24
 - Comfort - Isaiah 40:31, Romans 8:28, Psalm 27:1
John 16:22
 - Direction - Proverbs 3:5-6, Jeremiah 29:11, Jeremiah 10:23,
Proverbs 16:9
 - Promises - Romans 8:28, Philippians 4:13
2 Corinthians 5:17, Isaiah 41:10
 - Facing Temptation - Joshua 1:8, 1 Corinthians 10:13, Hebrews
4:15, Galatians 5:16-17

Share: *Get Talking (30 Min)*

- Share with the Group your verse for this year.
- Why did you select this verse?
- What makes this verse so meaningful to you and how are you hoping it inspires you throughout this year?

Tips For Memorizing Your Verse

1. Gain a deeper understanding of your verse by reading it within the context of its paragraph and in different translations.
2. Write out the verse on an index card 5 times everyday this week.
3. Write the first letter of each word to quiz yourself throughout the day.
4. Review your verse throughout the day - repetition is the best way to engrave the verse in your memory.



HIGHPOINT
CHURCH