

King of Peace Episcopal Church
Personal Spiritual Gifts Survey

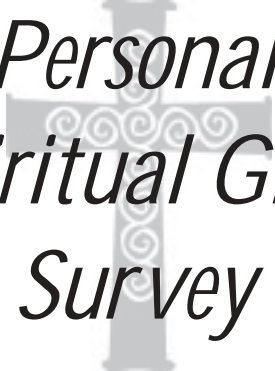
Here's a quick description of the spiritual gifts found in this survey. *The lower your score, the more that quality is your gift.*

- A. **Administration:** helping a body function smoothly, choosing goals.
- B. **Helps:** work behind the scenes to help with routine tasks and chores.
- C. **Craftsmanship:** use talents to create or design items by hand/ tools.
- D. **Artistic Communication:** drama, singing, painting, dance.
- E. **Hospitality:** offering fellowship to others in God's name.
- F. **Apostleship:** sent out with a special purpose to spread the Gospel.
- G. **Evangelism:** to gracefully and appropriately share the gospel.
- H. **Teaching:** helping others to learn the truth of the Bible's words.
- I. **Encouragement:** offering comfort and support to those in doubt.
- J. **Mercy:** to support and sustain those in great need.
- K. **Giving:** the joyful offering of goods and money to others.
- L. **Shepherding:** pastoral care for others over a sustained period.
- M. **Discernment:** the God given ability to tell right from wrong.
- N. **Knowledge:** the grace to see truth for the good of others.
- O. **Wisdom:** words of knowledge that helps in specific situations.
- P. **Prophecy:** revelation of what's true to help comfort or correct others.
- Q. **Faith:** trust in the grace of God to hold all things in his hands.
- R. **Intercession:** praying continually for the needs of others.
- S. **Healing:** ability to pray for and see real healing in others.
- T. **Leadership:** uniting people in a common vision of God's work.

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Directions

In the pages that follow, we'll give you a series of statements. As you read them through carefully and prayerfully, we ask you to mark down a response in your worksheet as follows:

- 1 = Wow, that's me! I do that all the time.
- 2 = Yes, I am often like that.
- 3 = I do that sometimes, but not consistently.
- 4 = Well, I'm only like that on rare occasions.
- 5 = Hey, you're talking about somebody else here.

Remember there are no prizes here for answering the way you want people to think about you. The best way to answer is how you feel *you are now* not as you feel you should be. You're not trying to get a specific score. Your goal is to understand how God has wired you and how you can become the person you really are inside.

- ___ 1. I am a very organized person. I keep a neat desk and daytimer.
- ___ 2. I like working outside the spotlight to help others be more effective in what they do.
- ___ 3. I like to work with my hands, or with tools.
- ___ 4. I find art/music to be a great form to communicate my feelings.
- ___ 5. I welcome people into my home for dinners, parties, and chats.
- ___ 6. I'm an entrepreneur and like getting in on the ground floor of new things.
- ___ 7. I have lots of friends who are not yet Christians and I am glad to talk with them about why I am a Christian.
- ___ 8. I enjoy leading Bible Studies and helping other people understand the teachings of the Bible.
- ___ 9. I can motivate others to help or serve in new ways.
- ___ 10. I enjoy visiting the sick and those who are shut-in to listen to them, sit with them, or minister to them in simple ways.
- ___ 11. I can't always be there to help personally, but I take pride in being able to help those who can by giving generously of my money or resources.
- ___ 12. I enjoy having a stake in the care and nurturing of other Christians.
- ___ 13. I'm a pretty good judge of a person's character. My first impressions are often proved true as I know people better.
- ___ 14. I sometimes realize the truth in a situation without someone telling me.
- ___ 15. I can often find a way to reconcile people who are in the middle of conflict.
- ___ 16. I want to work hard to correct the wrongs in the world and serve God by serving the common good.
- ___ 17. I believe God will answer my prayers. If I pray for rain in a drought I take my umbrella along with me to work.
- ___ 18. I feel good when a friend or a co-worker asks me to pray for them.
- ___ 19. I pray for the sick because I know God will heal them through
- ___ 20. People often follow my lead or take my suggestions for how to accomplish a task.
- ___ 21. I plan everything out ahead of time—even my vacations.

1	21	41	61	81	A
2	22	42	62	82	B
3	23	43	63	83	C
4	24	44	64	84	D
5	25	45	65	85	E
6	26	46	66	86	F
7	27	47	67	87	G
8	28	48	68	88	H
9	29	49	69	89	I
10	30	50	70	90	J
11	31	51	71	91	K
12	32	52	72	92	L
13	33	53	73	93	M
14	34	54	74	94	N
15	35	55	75	95	O
16	36	56	76	96	P
17	37	57	77	97	Q
18	38	58	78	98	R
19	39	59	79	99	S
20	40	60	80	100	T

Add the numbers in each column down to find a score for each lettered square. Then compare the letters with the list of Spiritual gifts provided. *Like in golf, the low scores win.*

- ___83. I might not be comfortable acting on stage but I could do well building a set, or painting a backdrop, or designing a bulletin or poster.
- ___84. I have my talents that I wish to share in performance for others.
- ___85. I like to help people who feel alone to know they are wanted.
- ___86. I am willing to take risks to make sure others know of God's love.
- ___87. I look for chances to bring up church or God with friends and new people, and I like to share the value of being a Christian with my friends.
- ___88. I like to share my faith in a way that not only invites others, but helps them learn about God and themselves.
- ___89. I look for chances to support those who are having doubts or fears. I like to offer encouragement to others.
- ___90. I want to offer people a second chance to get back on their feet.
- ___91. I don't count the cost of gifts I give, nor do I expect to be repaid for giving freely to help others.
- ___92. People sometimes look to me for help in finding their way.
- ___93. People sometimes look to me for help in making decisions.
- ___94. People sometimes look to me for help, expecting me to know just what's wrong and how God can help.
- ___95. People sometimes look to me for help in applying God's teachings to their specific situations in life.
- ___96. I am willing to tell others the truth when asked, even if they won't likewhat I have to say.
- ___97. I am always ready to move forward even without visible support from those around me, so long as I believe God wants me to go on.
- ___98. I have had many visible signs of God's power at work in my life and the lives of others through my prayers.
- ___99. I have seen people who have been made well through prayer and am bold enough to ask God to use me in this way too.
- ___100. People often look to me for leadership or direction when things get too quiet or after everyone else has had their say.

- ___22. I would rather do routine tasks to help others than be asked to come up with new ideas for serving.
- ___23. I love going to craft shops or learning new hobbies. I like making gifts for others by hand rather than buying them.
- ___24. I love to give God glory through artistic expression.
- ___25. I'm outgoing. I like to greet people and meet new people.
- ___26. I like the excitement of being involved with a new church rather than a historic church where everything's already set.
- ___27. It's a great joy for me to see one of my friends or co-workers find God in their lives and see their lives changed by his power.
- ___28. I enjoy helping others learn about the meaning of my faith.
- ___29. I want to be able to bring comfort to those in need or who are grieving. I look for ways to help others.
- ___30. I feel a lot of compassion for those who are hurt or for the forgotten people of the world.
- ___31. I feel glad to be able to offer financial support to worthy causes.
- ___32. I am confident in helping others by offering spiritual advise and guidance. I would be glad to be a spiritual mentor to others in need of help.
- ___33. I can tell when someone else is not being truthful with me.
- ___34. I can often tell what's on a person's mind before they say what's really bothering them or most on their mind.
- ___35. I can often find just the right word or words to help someone else see how God is at work in their lives or how God is calling them to a new way of life.
- ___36. I sometimes catch myself saying, "I knew that was going to happen, I just knew it."
- ___37. I believe God will work for my good, even when things seem to be going all wrong in my life. I don't give up my faith when things get tough.
- ___38. I follow up my prayers with requests to find out how God has answered them or how I can pray for that person better.
- ___39. I have physically felt God's power at work through prayer for the sick and by reaching out my hands to touch someone else or hold their hands.
- ___40. Others often accept and enjoy the goals I set for a group I'm in. They readily join forces to help accomplish them with me.

- ___41. I like to understand the details of a task before starting it.
- ___42. I like working on tasks that help free others up so they can lead or share their gifts in other ways.
- ___43. I feel a sense of accomplishment when I finish making a project.
- ___44. I experience a freedom to worship God through movement and song. I like to lead others to do the same.
- ___45. I enjoy social events at church, coffee hours and suppers. It's neat to get together with others and share.
- ___46. I relate well to people of other cultures or races and can talk easily with people of all sorts.
- ___47. I can talk comfortably with others who don't share my faith in Jesus. I like to help others find the joy of faith I've found.
- ___48. I like to learn Bible stories so I can share them with others.
- ___49. When people are upset I can make them feel better through my words.
- ___50. When people are in pain I try to minister to them even if it means just sitting nearby or holding their hand.
- ___51. When people are in need I look for ways to help them financially or with any other resources I may have available.
- ___52. I assume responsibility for ministering to others and leading the work of my church in caring for other people.
- ___53. I can tell the difference between what God considers right and wrong in difficult situations.
- ___54. I enjoy reading the Bible to find specific insights for my church.
- ___55. I enjoy reading the Bible for how it can help my friends cope with their life and their problems.
- ___56. I feel compelled at times to speak out about what's wrong with the world. People know I'm doing more than just griping.
- ___57. I enjoy reading the Bible to strengthen my trust in God.
- ___58. I have felt many times that God has answered my prayers in wonderful and sometimes unforeseen ways.
- ___59. I have felt many times that God has answered my prayers in specific ways for those who are sick.
- ___60. I like to help people accomplish big things in life.
- ___61. When things are run inefficiently it drives me crazy and I want to find ways to help make them run smoother.
- ___62. I look for ways to be faithful in doing small things and often do them without being asked.
- ___63. I prefer being busy with my hands making things, more than sitting around, reading, or listening to others talk.
- ___64. I like finding new ways to communicate God's word to others.
- ___65. I like networking with others, and I'm good at helping new people get connected and make new friends.
- ___66. I would love to visit other countries and learn from them. I would like to share my understanding of God's love with them.
- ___67. I think it would be neat to be able to preach a sermon or share my story someday, especially for those who are unsure of their faith. Maybe I could make a difference in their life.
- ___68. I love to see the light bulb come on for someone else as I help them discover the truth of God's words.
- ___69. I look for ways to bring out the best in myself and others.
- ___70. One way I am at my best is in cheerfully giving to others.
- ___71. I look for ways to give my best to help those who are in need.
- ___72. I would like to be a Small Group leader and offer guidance and support to a group of friends over a long period of time.
- ___73. I can sense when there is evil at work in others or in the world.
- ___74. I sometimes have a specific idea of what a person most needs to hear or what they most want to know about God.
- ___75. People consider my insights into the teachings of the Bible to be helpful.
- ___76. God's words are sometimes so clear to me I can't help but share what I've heard or learned with others.
- ___77. I trust God with my life, my finances, my family, my health, and with everything I have. I believe he's totally in control.
- ___78. I have been able to entrust my loved one's deepest needs to God.
- ___79. I trust God will use me to bring hope to those who are sick or dying.
- ___80. I can energize others by sharing my vision for doing things.
- ___81. I like making all the pieces of a plan fit together so people's time and talents are put to good use.
- ___82. Serving others quietly by folding newsletters, or helping to answer phones, or cleaning up in the kitchen is a way I serve God.