

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

For the week of January 28, 2024

One of the best things you can do after hearing truths from the Word of God is to talk about them with others. Here are some questions to help get the conversation started. (hint: the first couple of questions are meant to “break the ice” and get people talking)

- If you could bring back one gift from your childhood, what would it be?
- We talked about being ‘ignorant.’ What is something that you learned recently that you probably should have known earlier in life?
- Read I Corinthians 12:1. What are some of the things we can miss if we do not have a healthy understanding of spiritual gifts?
- Read Romans 12:6-8 and give an example of a way that you have seen each of these spiritual gifts in action.
- After reading Romans 12:6-8, spend some time jotting down what you believe to be the spiritual gift of each member of your group. You can use the spiritual gifts handout, if needed. Share your answers.
- What is the significance of this phrase (concerning spiritual gifts), “We are not told to find out what part we ARE, but what part we PLAY.”
- Talk about a time that you used your spiritual gift to be a blessing to someone else and you were blessed in the process.
- Read 1 Corinthians 12:1-3. Paul says that the most powerful thing the Spirit does in a person is bring them to an acknowledgement that Jesus Christ is Lord. Why is the Lordship of Christ so important when assessing genuine spirituality and spiritual gift expressions, and what does it look like when Christ’s Lordship is given the proper priority?
- Read I Corinthians 12:18. How does the sovereignty of God over all the gifts help us think about them in a healthy way?
- Take some time together to pray together.

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