

Sermon Application Sheet

July 7, 2019

Sermon Outline

I. The Context for the Gifts

- A. The Gifts Come from the Lord
- B. The Gifts Are Different
- C. The Gifts Are to Be Used

II. Gifts for Understanding

- A. Prophecy
- B. Teaching
- C. Exhorting

III. Gifts for Community

- A. Contributing
- B. Leading
- C. Mercy

Application Questions

1. Why is it important to understand that the gifts are given sovereignly by the Lord?

2. What gifts have you exercised? How are you using your gifts now?

3. What does it say about a Christian who is not active in the body of Christ?

Romans 12:3-8 (ESV)

³ For by the grace given to me I say to everyone among you not to think of himself more highly than he ought to think, but to think with sober judgment, each according to the measure of faith that God has assigned. ⁴ For as in one body we have many members, and the members do not all have the same function, ⁵ so we, though many, are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another. ⁶ Having gifts that differ according to the grace given to us, let us use them: if prophecy, in proportion to our faith; ⁷ if service, in our serving; the one who teaches, in his teaching; ⁸ the one who exhorts, in his exhortation; the one who contributes, in generosity; the one who leads, with zeal; the one who does acts of mercy, with cheerfulness.