

**Now about the gifts of the
Spirit, brothers and sisters,
I do not want you to be
uninformed**

(1 Cor 12:1)

Romans 12

Encouragement
Giving
Leadership
Mercy
Prophecy
Service
Teaching

1 Corinthians 12

Administration
Discernment
Healing
Interpretation of Languages
Languages
Prophecy
Wisdom

Apostle
Faith
Helps
Knowledge
Miracles
Teaching

Ephesians 4

Apostle
Pastor
Teaching

Evangelism
Prophecy

1 Peter 4

Serving
Teaching

My Spiritual Gift Definition:

**Usually (but not always)
a natural ability enhanced by
the Spirit for the
strengthening of the church.**

Dionysus (Baccus) **Greek God of**

- **religious ecstasy,**
- **winemaking,**
- **ritual madness,**
- **fertility,**
- **theatre.**



**There are different kinds of gifts,
but the same Spirit distributes them.**

**There are different kinds of service,
but the same Lord.**

**There are different kinds of working,
but in all of them and in everyone
it is the same God at work.**

**For we were all baptised by one Spirit
so as to form one body – whether Jews
or Gentiles, slave or free – and we were
all given the one Spirit to drink.
And so the body is not made up of one
part but of many.**

1 Cor 12:13-14



The Temple of Asclepius

Two Dangers in the church regarding Gifts

- **Minimising your gift for the church**
(verses 15-20)
- **Rejecting others gift for the church**
(verses 21-26)

And God has placed in the church first of all apostles, second prophets, third teachers, then miracles, then gifts of healing, of helping, of guidance, and of different kinds of tongues

1 Cor 12:28

You've got a gift!
(for the church)

How do I discover my Spiritual Gift?

- **Experiment in serving**
- **What do you enjoy**
- **What comes naturally to you**
- **What succeeds when you do it**
- **What do others say you do well.**