

God Has Gifted YOU!

TNT BIBLE STUDY
SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH
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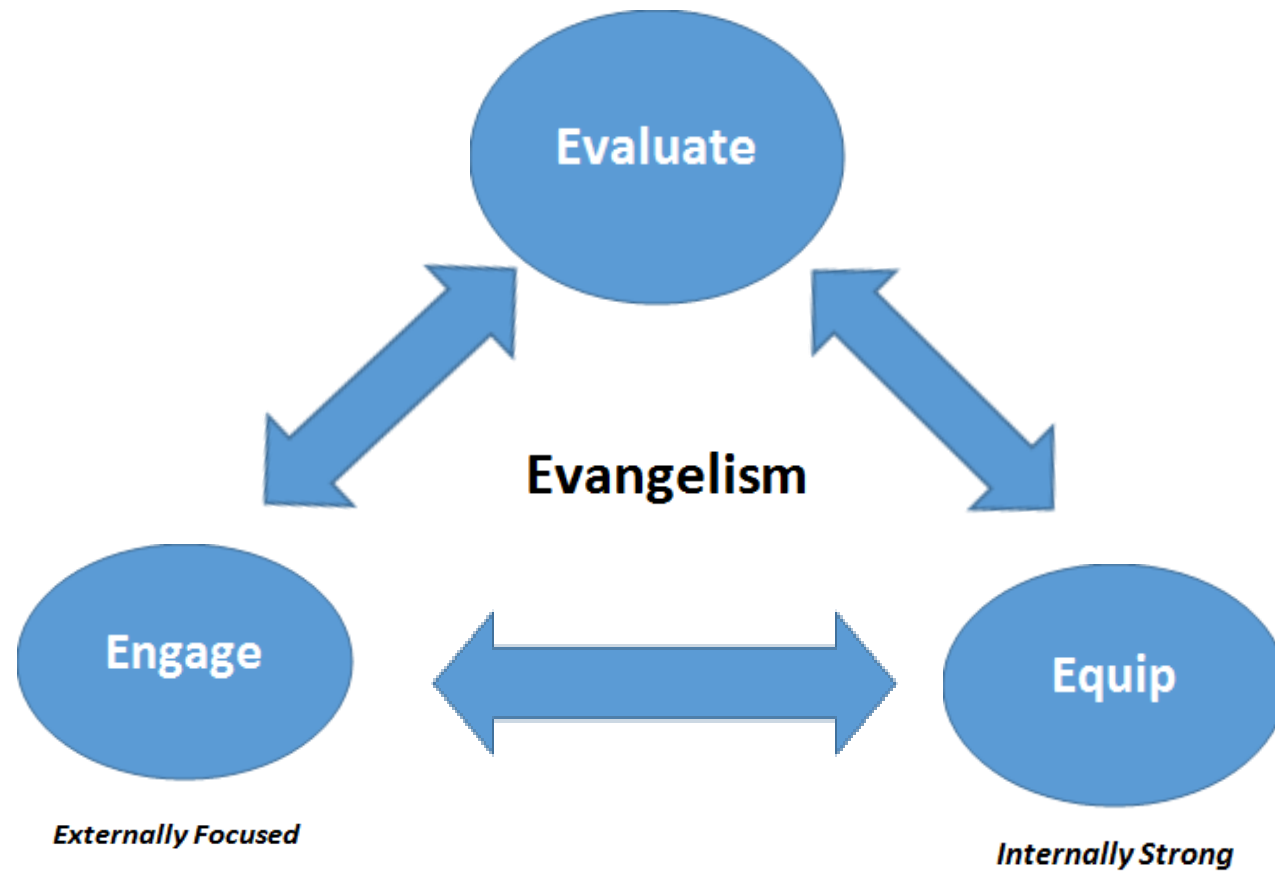
Vision Statement

**“Our vision is to be one church actively
advancing the Kingdom of God.”**

Mission Statement

"Our mission is to spread the message of faith, hope, and love in Jesus Christ by equipping disciples to engage the community, locally and globally, for the purpose of advancing the Kingdom of God."

MINISTRY FRAMEWORK (Continuum)



Spiritual Gifts

“A Spiritual gift is a special attribute given by the Holy Spirit to every member of the Body of Christ, according to God’s grace, for use within the context of the Body.”

C. Peter Wagner

Discover Your Spiritual Gifts

Spiritual Gifts

**“Spiritual gifts are received and not achieved.
They are gifts given for ministry.”**

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“As each one has received a gift, minister it to one another, as good stewards of the manifold grace of God.”

I Peter 4:10

Spiritual Gifts

“You have your gifts, not because you chose them, but because God chose them for you.”

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Spiritual Gifts

“Spiritual gifts are not designed for Lone Rangers. They are designed for members of the Body. Most of the things God does in the world is done through believers who are working together in community and complementing each other with their gifts, not only in their local congregations, but also in the workplace.”

C. Peter Wagner

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Spiritual Gifts

- ▶ **Romans 12:6-8**
- ▶ **I Corinthians 12:8-10; 28**
- ▶ **Ephesians 4:11**

Spiritual Gifts

Romans 12:6-8

Prophecy (Preaching, Inspired Utterance)

Giving

Service (Ministry)

Leadership

Teaching

Mercy

Exhortation

Spiritual Gifts

I Corinthians 12:8-10; 28

Wisdom	Discernment (Spirits)
Knowledge	Tongues (ecstatic utterance)
Faith	Interpretation of Tongues
Healing	Apostle
Miracles	Helps
Administration	

1 Corinthians 12:4-8

**“...⁴ There are diversities of gifts, but the same Spirit.
⁵ There are differences of ministries, but the same Lord.
⁶ And there are diversities of activities, but it is the same God who works all in all.
⁷ But the manifestation of the Spirit is given to each one for the profit of all:
⁸ for to one is given the word of wisdom through the Spirit,...”**

Wisdom

Wisdom (prop. חִכְמָה, *chokmâh*, σοφία) is a comprehensive knowledge of things in their proper nature and relations, together with the power of combining them in the most useful manner.

McClintock, J., & Strong, J. (1881). . In *Cyclopedia of Biblical, Theological, and Ecclesiastical Literature* (Vol. 10, p. 1019). New York: Harper & Brothers, Publishers.

Wisdom

In respect to divine things, wisdom, i. e. knowledge, insight, deep understanding, is represented everywhere as a divine gift, including the idea of practical application, and is thus distinguished from theoretical knowledge .

M'Clintock, J., & Strong, J. (1881). *Wisdom*. In *Cyclopædia of Biblical, Theological, and Ecclesiastical Literature* (Vol. 10, p. 1020). New York: Harper & Brothers, Publishers.

Natural Wisdom

- ▶ Natural wisdom that belongs to this world that is **in contrast to God's wisdom and the wisdom that comes from God**
- ▶ **1 Cor 1:19**

Arndt, W., Danker, F. W., Bauer, W., & Gingrich, F. W. (2000). *A Greek-English lexicon of the New Testament and other early Christian literature* (3rd ed., pp. 934–935). Chicago: University of Chicago Press.

Natural Wisdom

“For since in the wisdom of God the world through its wisdom did not know him, God was pleased through the foolishness of what was preached to save those who believe. ²² Jews demand signs and Greeks look for wisdom, ²³ but we preach Christ crucified: a stumbling block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles, ²⁴ but to those whom God has called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. ²⁵ For the foolishness of God is wiser than human wisdom, and the weakness of God is stronger than human strength.”

I Corinthians 1:21-25, NIV

Wisdom

- ▶ *Sophía stands for divine wisdom, the ability to regulate one's relationship with God, and is distinct from phrónēsis (5428), prudence, the ability to know and deal with people.*
- ▶ *Specifically of insight imparted from God in respect to the divine counsels. As conjoined with purity of heart and life (James 1:5; 3:13, 15, 17).*

Zodhiates, S. (2000). *The Complete Word Study Dictionary: New Testament* (electronic ed.). Chattanooga, TN: AMG Publishers.

Wisdom

Among the Hebrews, the term “wisdom” comprehended a wide circle of virtues and mental endowments, and its precise import in the Scriptures can only be ascertained by a close attention to the context.

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Books of Poetry and Wisdom

- ❖ ***Proverbs***
- ❖ ***Ecclesiastes***
- ❖ ***Song of Songs.***
- ❖ ***Psalms***
- ❖ ***Job***

Wisdom

Wisdom is given from God!

Transcendent Wisdom

- ▶ **Wisdom that God imparts to those who are close to God. Solomon**
 - ▶ **Solomon, Daniel**
 - ▶ **The gift of unveiling secrets; *Understanding of his (i.e. the Lord's) secrets***
 - ▶ ***As a spiritual gift the word of wisdom***

Arndt, W., Danker, F. W., Bauer, W., & Gingrich, F. W. (2000). (3rd ed., pp. 934935). Chicago: University of Chicago Press.

Transcendent Wisdom

- ▶ **Wisdom of Christ and of God**
 - ▶ ***Christ is called the embodiment of the wisdom of God (1 Corinthians 1:24)***
 - ▶ **The exalted Christ (Colossians 2:3; Revelation 5:12).**
 - ▶ ***Christ Jesus, who has become a source of wisdom from God for us (1 Corinthians 1:30)***
 - ▶ ***Wisdom of God revealed in his creation and rule of the world (1 Corinthians 1:21)***
 - ▶ ***In the measures intended to bring salvation to the believers (Romans 11:33)***

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Wisdom

I Kings 3:3-15

Wisdom

How do we receive wisdom?

Wisdom

“If any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask of God, who gives to all liberally and without reproach, and it will be given to him.”

James 1:5, NKJV.

“If any of you is lacking in wisdom, ask God, who gives to all generously and ungrudgingly, and it will be given you.”

James 1:5, NRSV.

Wisdom

“...that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give to you the spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of Him,...”

Ephesians 1:17, NKJV.

“I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him,.”

Ephesians 1:17, NRSV.

Wisdom

- ▶ **The wisdom of God means the divine wisdom, including the ideas of infinite skill, insight, knowledge, purity.**
- ▶ **Of the divine wisdom as revealed and manifested in Christ and His gospel (Matt. 11:19; Luke 7:35; 11:49).**

Zodhiates, S. (2000). *The complete word study dictionary: New Testament* (electronic ed.). Chattanooga, TN: AMG Publishers.

Word of Wisdom

“...the word of wisdom through the Spirit.”

Word of Wisdom

“The supernatural revelation by the Holy Spirit, of divine purpose or counsel from the mind and will of God.”

Shawn Boltz, *Translating God*

Word of Wisdom

“Revelation on what to do with what is inside of us...giving strategy to our spiritual perspective.”

Shawn Boltz, *Translating God*

According to Faith

Gifts function by the measure of our faith.

According to Faith

- ▶ **By faith or the knowledge of God in Christ with the gifts of the Holy Ghost! This noun denotes belief to the extent of complete trust and reliance in God!**

Abernathy, D. (2009). *An Exegetical Summary of Romans 9–16* (p. 210). Dallas, TX: SIL International.

Geneva Bible: Notes. (1560). (Vol. 2, p. 74). Geneva: Rovland Hall.