

5 Speaking Gifts

Oaks Bible Church of Santa Barbara - 2009

Prophecy The supernatural enabling to proclaim God's truth in a timely, winsome way

Knowledge The supernatural enabling to understand God's truth so as to observe and share deep spiritual truths

Wisdom The supernatural enabling to apply God's truth with practical application to behavior

Teaching The supernatural enabling to explain God's truth so as to pass it on to another

Exhortation The supernatural enabling to minister God's truth to another to comfort, strengthen and challenge

7 Serving Gifts

Leading The supernatural enabling to guide, cast vision and motivate the body to harmoniously accomplish God's purposes

Administration The supernatural enabling to coordinate the proper working of the body so as to accomplish its goals through planning, organizing and supervising

Faith The supernatural enabling to believe God for great things, praying and acting with confidence in God's ability to accomplish His purposes

Discernment The supernatural enabling to protect God's work by being able to accurately distinguish truth from error and good from evil

Giving The supernatural enabling to fund God's work by joyfully and generously contributing finances and resources

Mercy The supernatural enabling to personalize God's work by showing compassion and relieving suffering through practical actions that reflect the love of Jesus

Helps The supernatural enabling to aid God's work by cheerfully accomplishing practical tasks to meet the needs of the body and support the ministry of others

6 Areas of Passion in Church Ministry

Celebration (Worship) The heart that beats to direct the church toward God by engaging them in worship – in the Word, in song, in praise, in prayer

Outreach (Evangelism) The heart that beats to reach and connect unbelievers and the unchurched to a relationship with Jesus and His church

Connection (Fellowship) The heart that beats to assimilate visitors, attenders and members into a vibrant belonging with Christ and the church through hospitality, fellowship and encouragement

Equipping (Discipleship) The heart that beats to mature believers toward Christ-likeness through teaching, mentoring or ministry

Caring (Ministry inreach) The heart that beats to assist people in the church and community toward physical, emotional, relational and spiritual health through practical expressions of grace and love

Supporting (Ministry assistance) The heart that beats to free other people, leaders and ministries from practical concerns by using their skills and resources to assist, help and encourage