

# Everyday Faith

## Exploring our Gifts



Living out our Everyday Faith



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Living the story. Telling the story.

The answers you provide to the following statements will help you to think through where your gifts are the strongest. Once you've completed the form and totted up the scores, turn to the back page of this booklet for the next steps you can take.

Give yourself a rating for each statement on a scale of 0-5 (0 does not apply to me.

1 seldom applies to me. 2 sometimes applies to me. 3 fairly often applies to me.

4 usually applies to me. 5 is exactly me)

	Statement	Score 0-5
1	I enjoy explaining things to others	
2	I am a good listener	
3	I enjoy being with other people	
4	I dislike anyone being treated unfairly	
5	I am a practical person	
6	I like to express myself artistically	
7	I enjoy being quiet	
8	I am able to get people to see things in a new light	
9	I am sensitive to other people's pain	
10	I enjoy working for the good of the community	
11	I try to be just and to see that others are treated justly	
12	I am detail conscious	
13	I enjoy discovering how things work	
14	I like to spend time regularly just thinking about things	
15	I can communicate effectively in public	
16	I try to help people in need	
17	In groups, I am happy to take the lead	
18	I have to speak about injustice when I see it	
19	I am good at administration	
20	I like devising new and exciting ways of doing things	
21	Contemplation is important for me	

Copy your scores below against each statement. Then add up your scores for each of the columns A to G, and write each column total in the second table.

A	B	C	D	E	F	G
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21

Gifts	Column total
A Teaching	
B Caring	
C Building community	
D Seeking justice	
E Making things work	
F Creating	
G Reflection	



The highest score indicates a strong gift.

The questionnaire is only a starting point to help your thinking. Make a note if you feel your gifts are not included in the areas covered.

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## Possible next steps...

You might like to talk to someone you know well about what you have discovered about yourself.

You might like to use one of the leaflets below to explore how you could use your gifts more fully in everyday life. Both leaflets can be downloaded from the Everyday Faith page on the website:

- using the Growing with God leaflet
- using the How can I contribute? leaflet

Either of these leaflets can be used for personal reflection, with a local minister or we can arrange for you to have a one-to-one conversation with one of the Chaplains for Discerning Calling (CDC).

If you would like to talk with a CDC, please contact:

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“ The gifts he gave were that some would be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, some pastors and teachers, to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ



Ephesians 4: 11-12

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