

# Don't Misunderstand

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Part of Midweek Service

August 27, 2025

## **TODAY: DON'T MISUNDERSTAND**

### **MAIN TEXT: 1 CORINTHIANS 12:1-31**

1 Corinthians 12:1 Now, dear brothers and sisters, regarding your question about the special abilities the Spirit gives us. I don't want you to misunderstand this.

- **MISUSE**

1 Corinthians 14:1,3 Let love be your highest goal! But you should also desire the special abilities the Spirit gives—especially the ability to prophesy.<sup>3</sup> But one who prophesies strengthens others, encourages them, and comforts them.

1 Corinthians 14:19 But in a church meeting I would rather speak five understandable words to help others than ten thousand words in an unknown language.<sup>20</sup> Dear brothers and sisters, don't be childish in your understanding of these things. Be innocent as babies when it comes to evil, but be mature in understanding matters of this kind.

- **IGNORE**

- **HOLY SPIRIT WILL ALWAYS ALIGN WITH THE BIBLE**

- **THE HOLY SPIRIT LEADS US TOWARD LORDSHIP**

## **1. THERE IS DIVERSITY AND UNITY AND SPIRITUAL GIFTS**

- **SPIRITUAL GIFTS**

- KINDS OF SERVICE

- **DIFFERENT WAYS**

THE TRINITY IS PRESENT IN THE GIFTS

- **HOLY SPIRIT IS THE SOURCE**
- **SUBMITTING TO JESUS AS LORD**
- **GOD IS AT WORK IN ALL OF US**

1 Corinthians 12:7 A spiritual gift is given to each of us so we can help each other.

## **2. THE MISSION OF THE GIFT OF THE SPIRIT IS TO HELP ONE ANOTHER**

## **3. THE HOLY SPIRIT GIVES SPIRITUAL GIFTS**

## **4. THE GIFTS ALLOW US TO CARE FOR ONE ANOTHER**

2 Timothy 1: 6 This is why I remind you to fan into flames the spiritual gift God gave you when I laid my hands on you.

## **5. WE MUST DESIRE SPIRITUAL GIFTS TO BE ACTIVE IN OUR LIFE**

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