

# God's Will and the Church

## Family Discussion



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1 Corinthians 12:7-11 (NIV) Now to each one the manifestation of the Spirit is given for the common good. 8 To one there is given through the Spirit the message of wisdom, to another the message of knowledge by means of the same Spirit, 9 to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by that one Spirit,

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to another miraculous powers, to another prophecy, to another distinguishing between spirits, to another speaking in different kinds of tongues, and to still another the interpretation of tongues. 11 All these are the work of one and the same Spirit, and he gives them to each one, just as he determines.

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### Discuss:

- List the different Spiritual Gifts which Paul describes.
- Discuss how spiritual gifts we see in this passage contribute to someone knowing and doing God's will for him or her.
- Think of some skills needed in churches today which would be Spiritual Gifts Paul would never have thought to list.

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