

Just Dinner?

“ How to Achieve Your Potential at PCC - Part 2 ”

3. Be Proactive in Building Relationships 1 Cor. 12:24b-26

4. Step Into Your Area of Expertise Romans 12:6-8



Grow Group Discussion Questions

A grow group is 8-16 people who get together weekly to study God's word and the previous Sunday's message. There is a time of discussion, support, encouragement, and learning how the message applies to daily life. **PCC uses the ESV (English Standard Version).**

HOW DO I JOIN A GROUP?

To learn more or join a group, visit pacificcoastchurch.org/gg/ or sign up at the patio Info Kiosk.

Point #3

- a) Read 1 Cor. 12:24b-26. What does this highlight about how Christians are supposed to relate to one another?
- b) Why is this important when it comes to fulfilling your role at PCC? How does Point #3 help accomplish this?
- c) Why will this feel risky and uncomfortable? Why will this also take effort? How will you apply Point #3 this week?

Point #4

- a) Read Romans 12:6-8. Explain how Paul is giving examples and not a comprehensive list of spiritual gifts.
- b) Describe the difference between a spiritual gift and a natural talent. How can a talent help identify a spiritual gift?
- c) How does Point #4 relate? What has been your experience with this issue? How is God prompting you to apply Pt #4?

Daily Devotions

These are provided for mid-week personal spiritual growth. Prayerfully writing out your answers will help you experience real life transformation as you dig deeper into the spiritual truths of God's word and today's message.

A downloadable PDF of this document is also available each week at pacificcoastchurch.org/sermons.

MONDAY // Read 1 Corinthians 12:24b-26, Romans 12:15, 1 Peter 3:8

- In today's reading, how are Christians supposed to interact with one another? How does the "body" of Christ relate?
- What is implied if you are going to "feel" for others? (i.e., suffer, rejoice, etc.) Why is this important? Be specific.
- Beyond your family, with whom do you have this type of relationship? How can you develop this at PCC?

TUESDAY // Read 1 Corinthians 12:24b-26, Romans 12:18, 2 Corinthians 13:11-13, Hebrews 3:13

- What admonition is being given to both the Corinthians and the Roman churches? Why?
- Why will deep relationships always require effort and work? In what way are you tempted to avoid this?
- Why will deepening your relationships at PCC feel risky and uncomfortable? What steps can you take to grow?

WEDNESDAY // Read 1 Corinthians 12:24b-26, John 17:20-26

- In what way did Jesus pray for you and me when it comes to our relationships at PCC? Be specific.
- How does this also highlight 1 Cor. 12:24b-26? What does this imply about the enemy and a spiritual battle?
- How would you rate your relationships at PCC? (10-deep, 1-superficial) How is God prompting you?

THURSDAY // Read Romans 12:6-8, 1 Corinthians 12:8-10, 28, Ephesians 4:11

- What is implied by the three spiritual gifts listed in scripture? (i.e., differences) Why is this important?
- What are the differences and similarities between a natural talent and a spiritual gift?
- How can a talent help identify a spiritual gift? How can the Team PCC process help confirm your gift?

FRIDAY // Read Romans 12:6-8, Matthew 25:14-30, 1 Peter 4:10-11

- Why does God give Christians spiritual gifts? How can this get confused with self-fulfillment?
- What does the Parable of the Talents imply about using your spiritual gifts? Why is this important?
- How can you do a better job of using your gifts at PCC? What steps will you take? Be specific.

SATURDAY // Read Ephesians 4:11-12, Acts 21:8, 2 Timothy 4:1-5, Matthew 28:19

- What specific spiritual gift is described in all four passages?
- Describe how this spiritual gift can also be a general calling for every Christian. What is the difference?
- Explain how this relates to Timothy and Philip. (i.e., gift vs. obedience) How does this help you?

MEDITATION VERSE: ⁴Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; ⁵and there are varieties of service, but the same Lord; ⁶and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who empowers them all in everyone. ⁷To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. **1 Corinthians 12:4-7**