

Living beyond myself

Assessment & Commitment Card

Spiritual Gifts – The Holy Spirit Works Through You In . . .

- Administration - Organize and execute plans to accomplish ministry goals
- Apostleship - Start, revitalize or reengineer a ministry to increase effectiveness
- Craftsmanship - Creatively design and/or construct items to be used for Ministry
- Creative Communication - Use the arts to communicate the message of Christ
- Discernment - Keen ability to distinguish between truth and error
- Evangelism - Build relationships with unbelievers and engage them
- Exhortation - In spiritual conversations that helps them move toward a personal relationship with Jesus
- Faith - Encourage and strengthen people through words of comfort, inspiration and reassurance.
- Giving - Bold, peaceful, confidence in God that assures people of God's Sovereignty
- Healing - Joy in contributing money and resources to advance ministry purposes
- Helps - Pray, touch or speak words that bring spiritual, physical or emotional healing to others
- Hospitality - Support a ministry project or another person by assisting in the accomplishment of ministry tasks
- Intercession - Create a comfortable environment through food, housing or relationships
- Interpretation - Pray on behalf of others in response to God's prompting
- Knowledge - Make known to the body a message that was spoken in an unknown language
- Leadership - Bring truth to the church by revealing critical information or biblical insight
- Mercy - Cast vision, motivate and build teams to advance God's purposes
- Miracles - Extending compassion to the poor and hurting so that they may experience God in practical ways
- Prophecy - Demonstrate God's authority through supernatural interventions that bring glory to God
- Shepherding - Provide guidance to others by proclaiming truth that causes correction or repentance
- Teaching - Nurture, care for and guide people toward spiritual maturity
- Tongues - Ability to understand and clearly explain biblical truth to help others apply it to their lives and grow in their faith walk
- Wisdom - Speak, worship or pray in a language unknown to the speaker for the purpose of prayer or to deliver a message to the body
- Apply spiritual truth effectively to meet a need in a specific situation

Here's your next step...

Review the areas of ministry on the next page and make a decision to serve.

- I am ready to try a first serve in the following ministry area: _____
- I am currently serving in a ministry but I'd like to try a first serve in the following ministry: _____
- I am currently in a ministry that I enjoy and am committed to continue to serve.
- I would like to learn more about connecting my gifts/abilities with a ministry at Auburn. I will attend the Network workshop in January.

Name: _____

Phone #: _____

e-mail: _____

Guest & Hospitality Ministry

I'm interested in helping people enjoy a warm and comfortable experience at our church in a safe, distraction-free environment.

Interests: Cooking
Decorating
Greeting
Problem-solving
Telephone Contact
Administrative Support

Ministries: Ushers
Welcoming
Kitchen
Nursery
Making Coffee
Decorating
Emblems at The Table

Outreach

I'm interested in helping people build relationships with each other while encouraging one another in their spiritual journey and or developing relationships with seekers and new believers.

Interests: Group Facilitation
Mentoring
Training
Admin Support
Sports
Project Management

Ministries: Alpha
Adult Winter Retreat
Spiritual Discovery
Missions Committee

Facilities Support & Resources

I'm interested in using my specialized skills to maintain the high standards of excellence of our church and to impact people's lives.

Interests: Clerical
Gardening
Organizing
Physical Labour
Electrical
Accounting
Construction
Computers
Administrative Support

Ministries: Library
Grounds
Building Maintenance

Spiritual Formation

I'm interested in using my skills to help people grow in their understanding and development of spiritual disciplines necessary to maintain their spiritual growth and service.

Interests: Group Facilitation
Training
Mentoring
Teaching

Ministries: Discovering spiritual
Maturity
Leadership Development
Connection ministry

Emerging Church

I'm interested in helping the next generation – children, teenagers, or 18-20 something's – to build relationships, learn about Christ, and address age-appropriate issues.

Interests: Group Facilitation
Special Projects
Training
Mentoring
Set-up/Design
Crafts/Activities

Ministries: Sunday School
Overflow – Junior Youth
– Senior Youth
Young Adults

Hope & Support

I'm interested in helping people locally, nationally or internationally who are under-resourced or experiencing difficult challenges in their lives.

Interests: Counseling
Special Projects
Mentoring
Organizing
Maintenance
Odd jobs

Ministries: Meals for the sick/shut-in
Benevolence
Visitation
Operation Christmas Child
Prayer Team/Chain

People Resources

I would enjoy helping people find the right connection at Auburn where they could grow in their faith walk and develop their skills and abilities.

Interests: Interviewing
Training
Consulting
Leadership Development
Telephone Follow Up

Ministries: Volunteer Connection
Elders
Small Groups
Membership: Auburn 101
Newcomers Luncheons

Arts

I'm interested in using my artistic and technical skills and passion for the arts to teach, touch and transform lives.

Interests: Photography
Sound/Video Technology
Dramatic Arts
Instrumental/Vocal Music
Visual Arts

Ministries: Praise Team
Creative worship team
Drama Team
Media Ministry