

**Created with gifts to share
For the week of May 26 – June 1**

Big Question for the week: What gift do you have to bless the body? Who else's gift might you call out and make space for?

Day 1: 1 Corinthians 12:1 – 11

Three questions to ponder:

- What are the key words in this text (consider the repeated)?
- Do you consider some of your gifts 'spiritual'? Why or why not?
- What might make them 'spiritual gifts'?

Day 2: 1 Corinthians 12:12 – 31

Three questions to ponder:

- What are the connections between texts?
- What are the key words in this text?
- Toward what is Paul calling the individual and body?

Day 3: 1 Peter 4:7 – 11

Three questions to ponder:

- How are Paul and Peter's language regarding gifts similar?
- How are they different?
- What is the basis for using one's gifts in this passage?

Day 4: Matthew 6:1 – 4

Two questions to ponder:

- What does this verse mean as we consider using our gifts? Is this passage even related to the use of gifts? How?
- When have you felt the desire to use your gift in order to be seen? What happened?

Day 5: Matthew 25:14 – 30

Three questions to ponder:

- What connection to using one's gifts does this passage have?
- Where is the broader body in view in these verses?
- How often does the voice of our Master resound in our ears as we use our gifts?

Prayer: we might find a place for our gifts which then provides us with encouragement against shame.