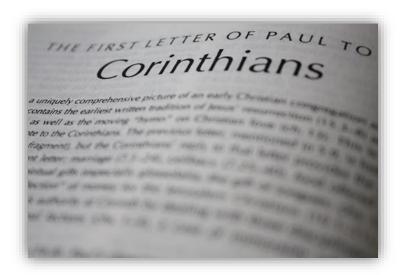
## **Personal Application and Conversations**

- 1. What do you do when you are not satisfied with your own ignorance on a subject?
- 2. Why is it so important for us to have a clear understanding about spiritual gifts?
- 3. What's your takeaway about the varieties of gifts, ministries, and effects that God has wired into our church?
- 4. What disturbs you when you consider all this variety of gifts, ministries, and effects?
- 5. What do you understand about your own giftedness, and how are you engaging in the ministry God has for you?



## God's Amazing Design for our Church

I Corinthians 12:1-7

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What do you appreciate about our church? What are our assets? What are our liabilities? What about our potential; what will it take for us to tap that potential? The early church in Corinth was grousing about a lot of things. So we continue to ask God to help us understand what He's up to among us. What does He want us to know and what does He want each of us to do with what He's teaching us? Today we begin a study about spiritual gifts. God clearly does not want us to be uninformed and naïve about such gifts. He also wants us to grasp how He has equipped all of us to get the job done. Remember, He's the Creator. And it is just like Him to accomplish His work with tremendous variety and creativity. So, are you ready to *be amazed and engaged?* 

He transforms the uninformed and naive (12:1-3)

He wires in varieties of gifts, ministries, and effects (12:4-6)

He has plans for everyone for the common good (12:7)