



PULPIT CURRICULUM

“Walk Fully Equipped”
Series: Brought Near- Now I Walk
Pastor Derek A. Ward

May 12 – May 18, 2019

1. GOING DEEPER

Ephesians 4: 11-16

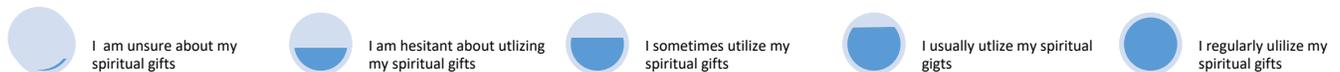
1.1) Why is it important for the believer to fully understand and utilize their spiritual gift? How does this diversity of gifts lead to "unity of faith" and "knowledge of the Son of God"? **(Ephesians 4: 11-13)**

1.2) How does spiritual infancy differ from spiritual maturity? Do you think that the church needs every member to exercise their spiritual gifts? What do you think may happen if some members choose to ignore their gifts and not use them in the church? **(Ephesians 4:13-14)**

1.3) Why would Paul mention "speaking the truth in love" while discussing spiritual maturity? Use scriptural references to emphasize why it is important to speak in truth and love **(Ephesians 4:15-16)**

2. ASSESS YOUR LIFE

2.1) To what extent do you utilize your spiritual gifts?



2.2) Identify what actions you will identify to utilize your spiritual gifts?

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

3. APPLICATION

Of the list above, which one(s) will you be intentional about practicing this week? *(Who will hold you accountable)?*

Verse of The Week

Ephesians 4 : 11 - 12

“And He gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the pastors and teachers, to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ”

Sermon Highlights	Helpful Resources
<p>As a believer you must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Accept your God-given role (11 – 12) ▪ Grow in Spiritual Maturity (13 – 16) <p>Specific areas of growth</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ In the unity of the faith ▪ In the knowledge of the Son of God ▪ To mature manhood ▪ In doctrinal stability ▪ In accountability to one another 	<p><i>“The gifts of the Spirit are not for the enrichment of oneself, but for the enrichment of the church”</i></p> <p>The Five-fold ministry gifts are ⁽¹⁾ Apostles, ⁽²⁾ Prophets, ⁽³⁾ Evangelists, ⁽⁴⁾ Pastors and ⁽⁵⁾ Teachers</p> <p>For more on spiritual gifts, refer to the following: Romans 12: 6 – 8; 1 Corinthians 12: 8 – 10; 1 Corinthians 12: 28; 1 Peter 4: 11</p> <p><i>“Don’t stifle your gift, I need you to survive”</i></p>

5 Day Study Plan	“Study to show yourself approved unto God...”
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<p>Day 1</p> <p>Philippians 3:10 What I learned (observation / interpretation):</p> <p>How I will Respond (application):</p>	
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<p>Day 2</p> <p>1 Corinthians 13:11 What I learned:</p> <p>How I will Respond:</p>	
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<p>Day 3</p> <p>Ephesians 4: 11 - 12 What I learned:</p> <p>How I will Respond:</p>	
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<p>Day 4</p> <p>1 Corinthians 14: 1 What I learned:</p> <p>How I will Respond:</p>	
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<p>Day 5</p> <p>1 Corinthians 12: 27 - 31 What I learned:</p> <p>How I will Respond:</p>	
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