

BIBLE QUESTIONS

1. Read 1 Corinthians 14:1-4. What is the purpose of the spiritual gift of prophecy? To whom are words of prophecy directly spoken? What is the purpose of the spiritual gift of tongues (other languages)? To whom are words of tongues directly spoken? When it comes to functioning with these two spiritual gifts, what is Paul's hope for the Corinthians?
2. Read 1 Corinthians 14:5-12. Why is prophecy considered to be greater than tongues? What must happen for tongues to be as great? What is it about the gift of tongues that makes it valuable for the one speaking in the "unknown" language, but not very valuable for those who are hearing it?
3. Read 1 Timothy 1:18-19. In this letter, Paul is writing to a young pastor to give him direction on how to lead the local church for which he is apparently the lead pastor. What can we learn about the gift of prophecy when we consider these statements from Paul?
4. From the previous passages of Scripture, what can we learn about God's care for us?

LIFE QUESTIONS

5. Which sounds more appealing to you: a) to be given the gift of prophecy and/or tongues; b) not to be given either of these spiritual gifts? Explain.
6. Have you ever had of a good experience with either of these spiritual gifts? How about a bad experience?
7. There is often a lot of tension around the use of these two spiritual gifts. Why do you think people get so intense on this subject? What can we learn from these tensions?
8. If God unmistakably offered you either of these gifts, would you try to put it to use?
9. Share some prayer requests on this subject and pray for each other.



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Our purpose is to bring glory to God and to help people become more like Jesus.

WELCOME TO SUMMIT VIEW CHURCH

We are glad you joined us this morning! If you are visiting, please do not feel obligated to give when the offering comes by. We simply desire that you will experience God's presence this morning.

Chris Kainu
January 24, 2010

If you're new, pick up a newsletter from the Hub in the lobby to find out what is going on around here.

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Music.....Steve Hotra

Message Chris Kainu

The Spiritual Gift of Prophecy
*But everyone who prophesies speaks to men
for their strengthening, encouragement and comfort.*
I Corinthians 14:3

THIS WEEK

TODAY

- 9:30 & 11:15am Worship Gatherings
- 11:15am Middle School Ministry
- 1pm Homeless Outreach Meeting
- 6:30pm Pilgrimage in Winter
Worship Night

MONDAY

- 6:30pm The Academy II

TUESDAY

- 6:30pm Women's Bible Study
- 6:30pm Firehouse (young adults) at
DeRoos' house

WEDNESDAY

- 9am Women's Precepts Study
- 9:30am Women's Bible Study
- 7pm Refuge (high school)
- 7pm The City (middle school)

THURSDAY

- 7pm DivorceCare

FRIDAY

- 5pm Avalanche (high school
winter camp) leaves
- 6pm Men's Conference carpool
leaves

COMING SOON

NEXT SUNDAY

- 9:30 & 11:15am Worship Gatherings
- 3:30pm (approx.) Avalanche Returns

LOOKING AHEAD

February 1

New GriefShare Class begins

February 5-7

Snow What (middle school) Winter Camp

February 7

Firehouse (young adults) Super Bowl Party

March 10-20

Nicaragua Mission Trip

March 12-14

Women's Retreat

PILGRIMAGE IN WINTER

A night of worship, reflection and journey...

Join us tonight from 6:30-8pm

Presented by Kristi Foster

*For more information about any of these events,
ask at the Hub or visit www.summitview.net.*

*Timothy, my son, I give you this instruction in keeping with the prophecies once
made about you, so that by following them you may fight the good fight,*
I Timothy 1:18