

## Spiritual Gifts and Passion Questionnaire – Application for church membership

Russell invites people to serve “where”, “how” and “when” they are called to serve. Please complete this questionnaire and return to a Pastor, Elder or to the church office to become a member of WCBC.

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone No: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Work/Mobile \_\_\_\_\_

Recommend for membership by (Current WCBC members): \_\_\_\_\_

1. Where are you currently serving in WCBC?
2. Who do you go to for Godly Counsel?
3. Has there ever been a time when you felt like you were doing exactly what God had designed you to do? If so, please describe the experience.
4. If you could do anything for God (there was no obstacle of time, finance etc.) what would you do? What is your dream?
5. Is there a group of people (or age group) whose well-being you find yourself particularly passionate about?
6. It has been said that it is easy to steer a moving car. You can learn what you are going to be best at by giving things a go. Is there an area of ministry in the church that you would like to be trained in?
7. When were you baptised by full immersion?

**Hebrews 6:1-3** describes the **foundations** to Christian faith. i.e. Repentance, faith, water and Holy Spirit baptism, the impartation of Spiritual gifts through the laying on of hands and life after death. Do you have any questions about any of these areas?

**Mark 16:16-18** describes spiritual gifts that all Christians have when they have received the baptism of the Holy Spirit (even if they don't necessarily use them).

**Romans 12:6-8** describes the **motivational gifts**. Please go through the list below and tick the one or two you believe motivate you to serve.

- ☐ **Prophecy:** The motivation to reveal the heart and mind of God in a given situation.  
Encouraging, comforting and good for building character.
- ☐ **Serving:** The desire to invest time and effort in meeting the practical needs of others.
- ☐ **Teaching:** The desire to communicate God's truth in order to give understanding and direction.
- ☐ **Encouraging:** The desire to encourage and motivate others in their walk with God.

- ☐ **Giving:** The desire to sacrificially give to meet the needs of others.
- ☐ **Leading:** The desire to coordinate the efforts of others to accomplish a God-given vision.
- ☐ **Mercy:** The desire to express the compassion of Jesus towards the hurting and the wounded.

**1 Corinthians 12:8-10** describes spiritual gifts **used in ministry** (usually in church meetings). Please put a tick beside any that you feel you have.

- ☐ **Word of Wisdom:** The ability to solve problems skillfully, often with divine and instant insights.
- ☐ **Word of Knowledge:** The ability to know facts about a person or situation which were not learned through the efforts of the natural mind.
- ☐ **Faith:** To discern with extraordinary confidence the will and purposes of God for the future. You know what God wants to do and will do no matter what the odds.
- ☐ **Healing:** The ability to intervene in a supernatural way as an instrument for the curing of illness and the restoration of health. There are a variety of healing gifts given by God.
- ☐ **Prophecy:** The ability to communicate an immediate message from God to the church.
- ☐ **Distinguishing Spirits:** The ability to know what is happening in the spiritual realm (good or evil).
- ☐ **Tongues:** The ability to hear a message for the church in an unknown language.
- ☐ **Interpretation of Tongues:** The divine ability to know what the message in tongues means. Often someone with this gift will hear actual words in English as the tongue is being given or simply get a sense of what is being said.

**Ephesians 4:11-13** describes **leadership offices**. If you have ever had a church/ movement of churches acknowledge one of these senior offices in ministry in your life please tick alongside the office and write also where and when.

- ☐ **Apostles:** Set the church in order so that all the gifts can function properly. They usually move in all the gifts. Train up leaders. Plant churches and have oversight over more than one congregation.
- ☐ **Prophets:** Receive and handle revelation wisely. They give guidance and direction to the church. They usually see things in black and white and (unlike normal Christians who prophesy) they will make the church and individuals aware of sin.
- ☐ **Evangelists/missionaries:** Not only help people become disciples but encourage and train up others to effectively draw men and woman to Jesus. Evangelists often move in the power gifts such as faith, healing and miracles.
- ☐ **Pastors:** He/she gives personal care to the members of the church family. They will have a broad overview of the condition of the flock and a vision from God about where the church should be going.
- ☐ **Teachers:** Give the church and its members stability through providing a strong foundation of truth from the Word or a revelation.

Friend, we thank you for taking the time to go over these questions. You are important to us and we want to respect who you are and how God has made/gifted you. We only use this questionnaire to help you find your place of ministry; not a place of difficulty or burden but a place of fulfillment and kingdom impact. This questionnaire will not be passed onto anyone else without your permission.